Adopt a Stone

1. Donor's Name ……..

Address ……

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Postcode ……..

Telephone ……

Email ……..…..

2. Recipient's Details (if appropriate)

Name ……..…….

Address ……

……..

Postcode …….

3. ☐ Christmas ☐ Birthday ☐ Anniversary
☐ Christening ☐ Graduation ☐ Marriage
☐ Other ……
☐ In memory of ……..

4. Stone Type

☐ £15 Small Block ☐ £25 Large Block
☐ £50 Shaped ☐ £100 Carved
☐ £250 Sculpted Figure

5. To whom should the Gift Certificate be sent:

☐ Donor ☐ Gift Recipient

6. Gift Aid (The church will receive an extra 25p for each £1 donated.)

I would like St. Peter's Church to reclaim the tax on this donation.
Signature …… …. Date ….……

I confirm I have paid or will pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for the current tax year (6 April to 5 April) that is at least equal to the amount of tax that all the charities and Community Amateur Sports Clubs (CASCs) that I donate to will reclaim on my gifts for the current tax year. I understand that other taxes such as VAT and Council Tax do not qualify. I understand the church will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that I have given.

A MEMORABLE GIFT

Adopting a stone at St. Peter's Church is a creative gift idea that lasts for more than a life-time.

The person in whose name you adopt the stone will receive an attractive certificate.



Please place the completed form along with your cheque/cash in an envelope marked 'Adopt a Stone Appeal' and send to:

PCC Secretary
83 The Parchments,
Newton le Willows
WA12 0DX

Cheques payable to St. Peter's Church PCC please.

charity registration number 1133794

Adopt a Stone Appeal

St. Peter's Church

Newton le Willows



Needs your help ...



St. Peter's Church



Past and Present

St. Peter's Church stands in a prominent position at the eastern end of the High Street. A church has stood on this site since 1242 — for over 770 years.

The church is part of Newton's heritage. It is not only a centre for Christian worship and mission, but also plays an important part in the life of the local community and beyond.



Unfortunately, over the years, the building's stonework has deteriorated as a result of weather and pollution. Some parts of the church building are now in a very serious condition and, unless immediate remedial action is taken, there will be serious consequences .



How can you help?

Unlike public libraries, galleries and museums, English churches do not benefit from central government funding. St. Peter's is responsible for raising the money to operate as a church and maintain the building.

The work needed to renovate the stonework has been divided into three phases. The first phase (bell tower) was completed last year at a cost of £90,000. The estimated cost of phase 2 (north and south porches) is currently estimated at around £50,000 and phase 3 (the main body) at £50,000.



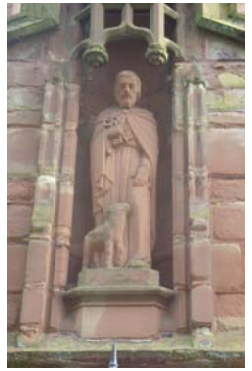
Fortunately, a grant of £25000 was received from Cory Environmental Trust to help with phase 1 renovations but our application to the Heritage Lottery Fund has been unsuccessful, which means that we need to continue to raise funds ourselves.

We are hoping that those who have been inspired by this place and its history will respond generously in order to bring the building back to its former glory.

The Future?

The beauty of this church bears testimony to the generosity of our forebears who bequeathed it to us and we have a responsibility to preserve it.

Now it's our turn to play our part in caring for the Church to make sure it is handed on to future generations.



Adopt a stone today!

Large or small

every gift counts ...