

Please confirm the type of Membership to be applied:

- Annual membership, minimum donation £20 per annum
- Life membership, minimum one-off donation of £300
- Life membership upon donations of 6 x £50 (Annual membership is applied until the sixth donation is received)

Please indicate how the donation will be made:

- I enclose cash or a cheque in the sum of £ _____
- I will use online banking to make my initial and subsequent donations
- I will set up a Standing Order for the payment of donations

GIFT AID DECLARATION

If you are a UK taxpayer please boost your donation by 25p of Gift Aid for every £ you donate. Gift Aid is reclaimed by the Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey from the tax you pay for the current tax year

In order to Gift Aid your donation you **MUST** tick the **three** boxes below:

- I want to Gift Aid my donation of £ _____ and any donations I make in the future or have made in the past 4 years to The Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey, UK charity reference 211236
- I am a UK Taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all of my donations in that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any difference.
- I confirm that the address given overleaf identifies me as a UK taxpayer.

If you pay Income Tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid declarations on your Self Assessment tax return, or ask HMRC to adjust your tax code.

Join

The Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey

*and help maintain this
beautiful place for
future generations*



The Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey is a registered UK charity which seeks to raise funds to assist the Parochial Church Council of Tewkesbury Abbey in the maintenance and development of the fabric and environs of this stunning historic site.



TEWKESBURY ABBEY is one of the finest medieval churches in England, consecrated in 1121, having a key part in 1471 during the Wars of the Roses, saved from destruction at the dissolution of the monasteries when the townsfolk of Tewkesbury saved the building by purchasing it for £453 from King Henry VIII, and extensively restored in the 19th century. The Abbey does not have the revenues of a cathedral and depends upon its visitors and friends from all over the world to help with its maintenance.

'The Friends' was formed in 1934 by the vicar at the time, Edward Pountney Gough. It makes an annual Fabric grant to Tewkesbury Abbey PCC, and in recent years has contributed significant sums to

- ◆ the upgrade to the lighting and sound systems
- ◆ the restoration of the Milton Organ
- ◆ the Abbey's 20.21 projects

The Friends hold an Annual Festival at the Abbey in July, and a number of social and educational events and visits throughout the year. The Friends have a very active Young Friends branch for under 18s.

To find out more, please visit the website:

www.friendsoftewkesburyabbey.org.uk

The Friends can be contacted in the following ways:

By post to: The Friends Administrator, Tewkesbury Abbey Office,
Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ

By email to: admin@friendsoftewkesburyabbey.org.uk

Donations to The Friends can be made using the account information:

Account Name: The Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey
Sort Code: 30 – 91 – 87 (Lloyds Bank)
Account Number: 02759206

This can be used for one-off donations or to set up a Standing Order via internet banking or through a bank branch.

Do join The Friends today and directly contribute to the preservation of this magnificent site for today and tomorrow

Membership of the Friends is open to those of all faiths and none. No assumption regarding the faith of any member may be inferred from their membership.

January 2020

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE FRIENDS

Please note that membership is available to individuals and joint memberships are not available

Please complete in CAPITALS and clarify any symbols used in an email address if necessary. Please return to The Friends' Administrator, Tewkesbury Abbey Office, Church Street, Tewkesbury, GL20 5RZ

Title:

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Email:

Telephone:

To comply with the requirements of the General Data Protection Regulations please TICK the boxes as appropriate below:

I agree to The Friends of Tewkesbury Abbey contacting me via

- Post (annual mailing, reports and newsletters)
- Email (annual mailing, reports and newsletters, events information)
- Telephone (updates about booked events)

Signature:

Date:

Please complete the FORM OVERLEAF to advise the Friends of the donation being made with this application.

*The Friends will treat with respect the information provided here. Contact details are not shared with **any** third party organisation. The Friends' Data Protection Policy and Privacy Policy can be viewed on the Friends' website, and are available by post upon request to the Administrator.*