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☐ Phone ☐ Please do not contact me

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- This guarantee is offered by all banks and building societies taking part in the Direct Debit scheme. The efficiency and security of the scheme is monitored and protected by your own bank or building society.
- If the amounts to be paid or the payment dates change, the St Vincent de Paul Society will notify you at least 10 working days in advance of your account being debited, or as otherwise agreed.
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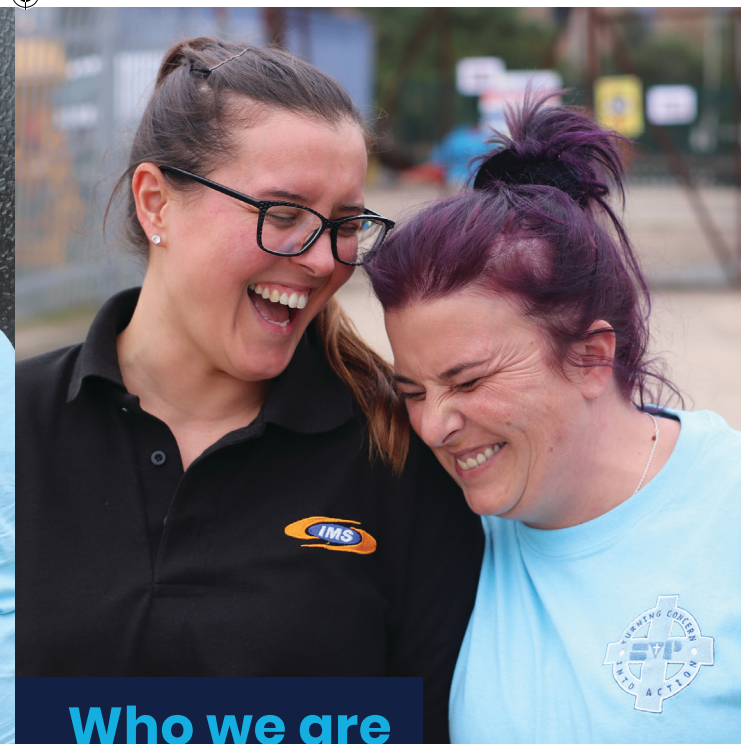
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What we do

- ✓ We visit and befriend the lonely and isolated
- ✓ We feed and provide food parcels to the hungry
- ✓ Our St Vincent's support centres provide tailored support for the needs of their community, including debt advice, counselling, and life skills training
- ✓ We distribute furniture and white goods to those in need
- ✓ We provide homes for homeless and vulnerably housed people
- ✓ We campaign for change, and provide a voice for the voiceless

Please visit svp.org.uk to find out more about our work in communities across England and Wales.



Who we are

The St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) is an international Christian voluntary membership organisation which tackles poverty and disadvantage by helping and supporting vulnerable people. Active throughout England and Wales since 1844, our mission is to relieve poverty in all its forms irrespective of ideology, faith, ethnicity, age, or gender.

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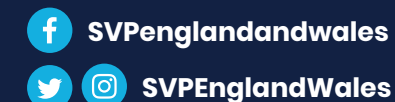
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St Vincent
de Paul Society

England and Wales

Turning Concern into Action



Turn your concern into action

**Become our
Friend today**

from just £10 per month



Our members transform lives

SVP members are community volunteers bound by their faith to help anyone in need. They see the daily effects of poverty and loneliness in their communities and respond with simple but impactful acts of kindness. Kindness to people like Pamela who is regularly visited by members because she became too frightened to go out after her husband died. They regularly talk with Pamela, who proudly chats about her life and her love of cooking. She loves cake, but she can't cook now, so she really appreciates it when the SVP delivers a homemade piece of cake, served with a cup of tea and some welcome company.

Do you want to become our Friend?

- ✔ To become a Friend and support our work with a regular donation, please scan the QR code or complete the application form



Becoming our Friend

Thousands of SVP members and volunteers visit people in need every year. By becoming our Friend today, you could support them to ensure that some of today's most excluded people are empowered to have a better life.

The number of people experiencing poverty and hardship is growing every year. Donating on a regular basis enables the SVP to make a difference to the lives of people in real need. From just £15 a month, you can help us better plan our finances so that we can fund projects, services and establish hardship funds which will directly help people who are often ignored and forgotten.

Benefits of being our Friend:

- A welcome pack which includes a welcome letter from the National President, a prayer book, and a copy of the latest issue of the inspirational Vincentian Concern magazine
- Three copies of Vincentian Concern per calendar year
- Three e-newsletters per calendar year
- Exclusive discount for the SVP online Christmas shop
- Invitations to SVP events
- Access to the free will writing service



Lisa's story

A series of family difficulties had left Lisa, a young mother of three, struggling with her finances and mental health. She then faced the loss of her job, the death of her father from Covid-19, and her mother having to go into a care home. She was struggling to pay the bills and to feed and provide school uniform for her children. SVP members provided Lisa with supermarket gift cards so that she could buy food and school uniform, and funds to pay off her utility bills. The breathing space the SVP gave her empowered Lisa to find a job as a cleaner in a primary school. She said: "I can't tell you how much it meant to me to be helped by the SVP. It helped me to get my life back on track."

What else can you do?

- ✔ Encourage others to join us as a Friend of the SVP
- ✔ Consider including the St Vincent de Paul Society in your Will. Email legacies@svp.org.uk for further details
- ✔ Make a one-off donation by sending a cheque made payable to **St Vincent de Paul Society, Romero House, 55 Westminster Bridge Road, London, SE1 7JB**
- ✔ Donate online today at svp.org.uk/donate
- ✔ Volunteer with us svp.org.uk/volunteer

SVP Friend Application Form



Fill out and return this form today.

Your details

Mr / Mrs / Ms / Other

Full Name

Address and Postcode

Telephone

Email

I wish to make a donation by Direct Debit

Frequency: ☐ Monthly ☐ Yearly (Please tick)

Amount

Commencement date

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Signature

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