



At some time St. John the Baptist Church, Aldenham may have figured in a large or small way in your life. Either way it must be acknowledged to be a beautiful jewel set in the midst of the village of Aldenham.

- Do you ever wonder what happens there now?
- Have you ever thought you would like to receive news of the Church's activities, or people you knew there?
- Would you like to help preserve this ancient and beautiful church?

If the answer to these questions is YES, could you:

Perhaps you or some of your family were baptised or married here, maybe you have relatives or friends who are buried in the churchyard or commemorated in the Garden Of Remembrance.

Maybe you feel that, although you may not attend services you feel that this amazing building in the village should be here and you would like to support it?

Whatever your connection we would like to invite you to join 'The Friends of Aldenham Church'.

The annual donation we ask is a minimum of £15 per person and we can offer you in return regular updates of the activities of the church and priority booking to any social activities that take place.

We will send you the newsletter published three times a year and notification of any other special events.

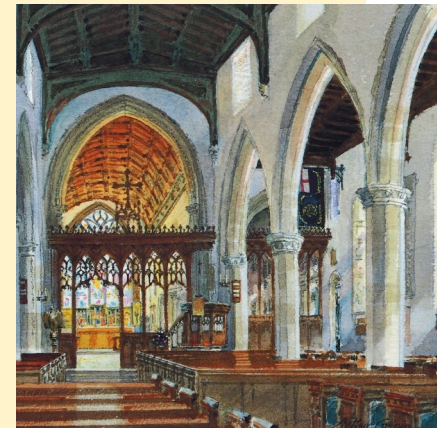
There may also be some Special Services each year where you as a friend would be specially welcomed!

To join just fill in the form overleaf and send or email it back with your donation and we will be in touch! (Or pay the donation on line, see over.)

Aldenham Parish Church has stood on this spot for more than 750 years. Parts of the original building still stand, including our Purbeck Marble Font - the only one used here for Baptisms since 1250!

The fabric has survived the attentions of Cromwell's soldiers, enemy bombs during the second World War and the normal ravages of time and it remains a beautiful and unique old building.

We have connections with the battle of Trafalgar; we are proudly associated with the commemoration of those who lost their lives in HMS Aldenham - a Hunt Class Destroyer in Word War II and within the church are memorials to some of the founders of the great estates that surround the village.



Please be a Friend of Aldenham church?

Please complete in block capitals:

I would like to renew/become a
Friend of Aldenham Church.

Name:

Address:

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Post Code:

Telephone:

Mobile:

Email:

Please donate a minimum of £15 to become a
Friend. (More would be fantastic!)

Payment can be made on line using, Account Name:
St John The Baptist Aldenham Parish Church.
Sort Code 20-74-09, Account No. 90100668.
PLEASE email this form and confirmation of
payment to: suekenbarnard@aol.com.

If paying by cheque please add £2 extra to
cover bank charges and post with this form to:
Sue Barnard, (Friends Secretary)
Wall Cottage, 50 Watford Road, Radlett,
WD7 8LR.

Add 25%

I want to add Gift Aid to my donation of £
And any donations I make in the future and in the
past 4 years.

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 my donations in
that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any
difference.

You may not know that the church:

receives no income from the Church of England or
anywhere else.

- ◇ Has to pay the Diocese over £4,000 per
month for support.
- ◇ Pays for all the maintenance of the grounds
and fabric of the building
- ◇ Has to find the money for all the normal
services, light, heat etc.

Where does it come from?

The church relies totally on donations, social
activities and peoples generosity!

What would happen if we ran out of money?

The church would go into liquidation and the
future of the building, the heart of the village,
would be in grave danger!

Please help by becoming a 'Friend'.

After 750 years we need some support!

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Churchwarden:

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There are many other ways to help us on the
website at:

[St John The Baptist - ALDENHAM CHURCH](#)



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