

HOLY TRINITY, BLACKBUTT NORTH

FAITH DIRECT

INSPIRING SECURE GIVING



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Looking for a convenient way to support your parish financially? Faith direct is an innovative solution that allows you to support your parish using electronic funds transfer both through savings accounts or credit cards. Please consider the following and complete the enclosed enrolment form.

Thank you

STEWARDSHIP & PLANNED GIVING

Our deepest thanks to all those who contribute regularly to the Parish Program.

New Options for planned giving are now available: Parishioners are coming to understand the notion of stewardship and it is opportune to present (as in this brochure) alternative ways for members of our community to be involved in the **Planned Giving Program**.

Option One: Planned Giving Offering Envelopes: Most contributors seem to be happy with the present envelope system (Option One) as it now stands. Unless otherwise indicated it will be assumed that your contribution to the Planned Giving Program will be made in the Offering Envelopes available.

*Because of changes in banking methods, some parishioners have asked if **other payment methods** are possible. The following alternatives are now available. Options two and three are detailed in this brochure.*

Option Two:* Direct Debiting: If you prefer, a set amount can be **deducted from your bank account** monthly. It is processed by the Catholic Development Fund and credited to the parish's account. *(N.B. Banks charge a dishonour fee if there are insufficient funds in the account to cover the deduction.)*

Option three:* Credit Card: (not AMEX) Alternatively you can make your contribution using your **credit card**, which again will be deducted from your account monthly, be processed by the Catholic Development Fund and credited to the parish's account.

AND FINALLY
Option four Payment by cheque Some members of the community choose to pay by **cheque** several times per year. This is very acceptable and unless otherwise indicated it will be assumed that those using this method will continue to do so.

(If you choose option two, three or four, you will still receive a set of envelopes to enable you to place a symbol of your giving on the plate at Sunday Masses and to contribute to the various special collections.)

CREDIT CARD AGREEMENT TO TRY

I/we agree to give **monthly** for the support of Holy Trinity parish the following amount knowing that I am/we are not legally bound to do so. \$ _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ P/C _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

PLEASE DEBIT MY/OUR MASTERCARD VISA

CARD NUMBER _____ EXPIRY DATE _____

NAME ON CARD _____ SIGNATURE _____

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How does Faith Direct work?

This secure program works through our Catholic Development Fund (CDF) directly with your bank in the same way as other electronic funds transfer systems you may already conduct (such as utility bills and mortgage payments) debiting your bank account or credit card automatically for the amount to which you have agreed in writing.

Can any additional funds be taken from my account other than what I have authorised?

No! The Faith Direct program is strictly regulated, and only you can designate the amount of money that may be debited on a monthly basis. In accord with our privacy policy, Holy Trinity parish will not disclose any non-public personal information except as required by law. We maintain physical, electronic and procedural safeguards that comply with the Australian standards to safeguard your information.

When do the transactions take place?

For Credit Cards—normally, in the first week of each month your designated account will be debited for the monthly contribution amount you have authorised.

Debit Cards—on the day of the month you have designated on the application form.

How can I be sure my gift is going to my parish?

Your gift will be clearly itemised on your bank or credit card statement. Your parish will receive monthly statements from the CDF indicating your support level. If you so request, Faith Direct will provide you with an annual contribution statement for tax purposes. Your contribution is tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Can I stop, increase or decrease my payment at any time?

Yes, by notifying the parish office in writing at 70 Platt Street Waratah 2298 or by email to Tim O'Brien at: triparish@mn.catholic.org.au

How do I sign up?

By completing the bank account Debit or credit card information and returning it to:

The Parish Office
Holy Trinity Parish,
Blackbutt North
70 Platt St.
Waratah NSW 2298

Phone 4960 8010



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I would like to enroll in the Faith Direct program. I understand that my monthly contribution to Holy Trinity's Second Collection will be transferred directly from my savings account or credit card as follows. A record of my gift will appear on my bank or credit card statement and my transfers will begin next month. I understand that I can increase, decrease or suspend my giving by contacting Holy Trinity Parish in writing.

Please tick one of the following

Please register my gift for any tax concession

I do not require any tax concession

DIRECT DEBIT FROM BANK ACCOUNT

I/we wish to register for the Faith Direct Planned Giving Programme for Holy Trinity Parish. Please forward the appropriate Direct Debit Request Form to the following address:

NAME_____

ADDRESS_____

PHONE_____

MOBILE_____

SIGNATURE_____