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I confirm that I am a UK taxpayer and would like the Diocese of Down and Dromore (Church Planting Fund), to reclaim tax on my donation of

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and any donations I make in the future or have made in the past four 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. I understand that the Diocese of Down & Dromore will reclaim 25p on every £1 that I have given.

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FULL NAME

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SIGN

DATE

I will notify the Diocese of Down and Dromore if:

- I want to cancel this declaration;
- I change my name or home address;
- I no longer pay sufficient tax on my income and/or capital gains.

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 donations on your Self-Assessment tax return or ask HM Revenue and Customs to adjust your tax code.

SEND YOUR COMPLETED FORM TO:

Mr Brian Lavery,
Diocese of Down & Dromore
Unit 1, 21 Old Channel Road
Belfast
BT3 9DE

Partnering with us

PRAY

Pray for The Suitcase Project that:

- We would build connections with people, churches and organisations so that we can best serve newcomers.
- God would mobilise volunteers across the diocese.
- We would have opportunities to meet with newcomers and the heart to listen, and serve them.

VOLUNTEER

There are opportunities to volunteer with The Suitcase Project by:

- Spending time with people as they come along to Emmanuel Hall.
- Preparing and serving food while a drop-in or course is happening.
- Using skills or knowledge that you have to support newcomers. For example teaching English or creative arts.

GIVE

Give to The Suitcase Project by:

- Standing Order.
- Cheque payable to 'Diocese of Down and Dromore Church Planting Fund'.
- Bank Transfer: AIB (NI) Account No: 17028762 Sort code: 93-80-92 (Identifier: DOASR01)
- Charities Aid Foundation.

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What is the Suitcase Project?

The Suitcase Project exists to help us love the newcomer as ourselves; to express the deep love of God through practical support and emotional care and by sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.

God is providing new opportunities for churches in Northern Ireland to respond to the hundreds of asylum seekers and refugees arriving each month from Africa, the Middle East, Afghanistan and Ukraine. Many have been forcefully dislocated from their communities, and come from countries that are closed to the Gospel.

Based in Emmanuel Hall, East Belfast, The Suitcase Project has two key purposes:

1. To care for newcomers through practical outreach from Emmanuel Hall.
2. To partner with parishes throughout the Diocese of Down and Dromore to build local churches' capacity to support newcomers through training, resourcing and practical support.

Read on to learn more...

THE
SUITCASE
PROJECT

Connect

We seek to connect with newcomers and demonstrate God's love by providing them with a warm, welcoming, safe space in Belfast where they can:

- Meet together
- Rest and relax
- Be respected and listened to
- Be creative
- Belong

Assist

We seek to serve asylum seekers and refugees by helping them become orientated and integrated into NI communities through:

- Cultural orientation
- Language classes
- Understanding their needs
- Supporting with advice or signposting

Share

In addition to demonstrating the love of God through our welcome and practical assistance, we seek to introduce people to Jesus Christ by:

- Offering to pray with individuals
- Studying the Bible together
- Connecting people to churches

Equip

Many churches want to serve asylum seekers and refugees but don't know how. The Suitcase Project is a training hub to equip and mobilise churches and volunteers in the diocese to:

- Befriend asylum seekers and refugees
- Help meet their needs
- Share the good news of Jesus Christ with newcomers

Complete these instructions for your bank or building society to pay your standing order.

Standing Order Form

TO BANK/BUILDING SOC

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ACCOUNT NO

ACCOUNT NAME

Please pay a regular monthly gift to the **Diocese of Down and Dromore Church Planting Fund** of:

£10	£25	£100	OTHER £
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Please also state the amount in words:

Please start on _____
and from then on each month until further notice.

SIGN

DATE

TITLE

YOUR DETAILS

FULL NAME

ADDRESS

POSTCODE

EMAIL ADDRESS

TELEPHONE

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