

TREE OF ANGELS

*Remember a loved one and
dedicate a symbolic angel
this Christmas*



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Essex and East London

DEAR FRIEND,

Christmas is a time when we remember our loved ones who are no longer with us. It is a time when we cherish the wonderful memories we have of our times together. In remembrance of a loved one, we invite you to dedicate a symbolic angel on our Tree of Angels. To make a dedication, please complete and return the form. We will then send you an angel on which you can place a special message. This may then decorate one of our Tree of Angels sited at churches around the Diocese or you could hang your angel on your Christmas tree at home. It will remain a symbol of remembrance all through this season of family joy.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The name of each person remembered will be entered into our Book of Remembrance. You may submit a name of a loved one into the Book of Remembrance up until Friday 5th January. The book will then be bound and placed in the Chapel at Childcare House.

TREE OF ANGELS CAROL SERVICE

We would be delighted to welcome you and your family to our Tree of Angels Carol Service. This will be held at Our Lady of Ransom Church, Rayleigh on Sunday 3rd December at 4pm. There will be other services taking place around the Diocese; please check with your local parish.

Thank you for your support. Our thoughts and best wishes are with you and your family this Christmas.

Your details:

Title **Initials** **Surname**

Address

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Postcode **Daytime tel**

I wish to dedicate (no of) symbolic angels on the Tree of Angels
for a total donation of £

Payment

1. I enclose a cheque for £
(made payable to bccs)

2. Please debit £ **from my**

3. **Visa** **Mastercard** **Maestro/Debit** **CAF**

Name on card

Card Number

Valid from Date..... **Expiry date**

Issue number (if applicable) **3 digit security code**
The last three digits on signature strip on reverse of the card

Signature

Date

Please print the name of your loved one clearly, in block capitals, as you would like their name to appear in the Book of Remembrance. We are only able to include names, regrettably there is not enough space to include messages.

In memory of

GIFT AID DECLARATION:

I would like bccs to treat all donations I have made in this tax year, in the qualifying years prior to the date of this declaration and all donations I make in the future as Gift Aid Donations. I confirm I have paid or will pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for each tax year that is at least equal to the amount of tax that all the charities or Community Amateur Sports Clubs that I donate to will reclaim on my gifts and I 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 other taxes such as VAT and Council Tax do not qualify and that bccs will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 I give. I will advise bccs if this is no longer the case. Additionally I will advise of any change of address and/or if I wish to cancel this declaration.

Signature

Date

Please return your completed form to:
bccs, Childcare House, Little Wheatley Chase, Rayleigh, Essex SS6 9EH.

THANK YOU

Data Protection

The information you have provided will be used to fulfil your request
It will not be passed to a third party. We would like to be able to send you updates and information about news and events organised by bccs.

If you are happy for us to contact you, please tick the box

Christmas can be an especially difficult time for children who are living in poverty, suffering abuse or acting as carers for their parents. To many the thought of Christmas may be just very stressful and sad.

bccs supports families that struggle to afford the additional expense at Christmas by passing on presents and vouchers kindly donated by our schools and supporters but we also support children/young people and their families by helping them through, what is for some, an emotional and difficult period. For these families presents cannot recompense for their losses but skilled help from our professional and experienced workers can make a difference to their ability to get through a difficult period.

Please remember these and other families in need in your prayers at Christmas.

bccs – Brentwood Catholic Children Society has been supporting children and families since 1984 and we regard our mission and values as important today as they ever were. The primary focus of our work is to provide an early intervention service with children, young people and families and enable them to address difficulties that may be impeding their social and emotional development. The challenges faced by people today are many and complex and our team provides help, care, counselling and support wherever and whenever it is needed. Most of our work is in primary and secondary schools, throughout Essex and five East London Boroughs, providing counselling support for children aged 5 to 18 years.



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