

## YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Each day staff and volunteers open the doors of St David's Neighbourhood Centre and welcome in our community. To make a difference it can be as simple as providing a listening ear, sharing information or the opportunity to connect and be welcomed. This work is not possible without the generous support of others.

You can provide financial support through a donation, memorial or special occasion gift or a bequest through your will.



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# ST DAVID'S NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE



## Bequests, Memorial Gifts and Donations

"WE MAKE A LIVING BY  
WHAT WE GET, BUT WE  
MAKE A LIFE BY WHAT  
WE GIVE."

Winston Churchill



## DONATIONS

All donations over \$2 are tax-deductable and will be issued with a receipt. Donations can be made online through our website [www.stdavidsnnc.org.au](http://www.stdavidsnnc.org.au) and visiting the Donations page. For other methods please contact the office on 07 3274 3240.

## SPECIAL OCCASION FUNDRAISERS

Using a special occasion such as a birthday, anniversary or marriage to raise funds for St David's Neighbourhood Centre creates a meaningful connection between you and the work of the centre. Asking your family and friends to donate instead of buying a gift is a great way to give back to the community in recognition of your special day.

Share this brochure with your family and friends to inform them of your desire to donate instead of a gift. All donations will be issued with a receipt and thank you card in honour of your special occasion.

## MEMORIAL GIFTS

By making a gift in memory of a loved one, family and friends can continue the work of the Neighbourhood Centre in a way that was special to the person. The gift may be directed to support a specific area of the centre, program or activity or a general gift to be used at the discretion of the Board and Management.

A memorial gift can be made directly to the centre or at the request of family at a funeral or memorial service. Please contact the Centre Manager on 07 3274 3240 and we will be able to support your request.

## BEQUESTS

A bequest is a way to leave a legacy through a gift towards St David's Neighbourhood Centre in your will. There are different ways you can provide a gift in your will, and we are grateful for any contribution made.

You can give a part of your estate or the residue of your estate. If the value of your estate grows, or is eroded by inflation or other circumstances, your family and any other beneficiaries will not be disadvantaged.

You can give a specific amount of money. This does not allow for a change in your circumstances or for inflation, which will tend to erode the value of a specific amount. You can also give a particular item or items. These can include shares, works of art, property, jewellery or other items of value.



## SUGGESTED WORDING FOR YOUR WILL

To ensure your intentions are correctly followed, it is important to word your will or codicil correctly. If you decide to support St David's Neighbourhood Centre through a bequest, the following are suggested forms of wording for inclusion in a will or codicil. We recommend that you seek independent legal advice before when drafting your bequest:

*"I give to St David's Uniting Church Neighbourhood Centre (ABN 64543404785) free of all taxes and other deductions (the residue of my estate/ a \_\_\_ % of share of my estate/ the sum of \_\_\_/ type of gift or property location/ for its general purposes, and the receipt given on behalf of St David's Neighbourhood Centre shall be sufficient discharge to my trustee."*

## TELL YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

It's important to discuss your Gift with your loved ones to ensure they understand and support your decision to help St David's Neighbourhood Centre in such a powerful way.