



Contactless Giving for your church

Why Contactless?

The use of cash has declined since 2007, and as a church it is important to respond to this change and still facilitate opportunities to change. Solutions could enable contactless giving at the Offertory, visitors, for occasional office and to collection of rental income



Think About

There are a number of things to consider before buying a contactless machine.

For example:

- location
- portable or fixed
- attended or self service
- security
- connectivity

Solutions will be unique to your parish.

You can claim contactless donations of £30 or less on the Gift Aid and Small Donations Scheme (GASDS)

Top Tips

- Make ways to give clear, accessible and simple.
- Display the ways to give in a prominent place
- HMRC allow you to claim GASDS on contactless donations of £30 or less.
- Give people as much information as possible and be ready to answer questions
- Keep reminding people of the ways to give
- Show where their giving goes, highlight everyday costs or reaching a target for a particular project
- Say "thank you" in a way that is personal such as a letter.

What Next?

Visit the Parish Buying website to explore [solutions](#) and filter by price and portability.

You can also contact [Brigit Kiyaga](#) for more information.