



St Vincent de Paul Society (England & Wales)

Here is a great opportunity to make a little money for the SVP out of those old coins and left over holiday currency that has been gathering dust in your top drawer.

So often after a great holiday abroad you have left over currency which is just not used. Alternatively you have old coins and banknotes which are no longer legal tender. It doesn't seem right to throw money away but you can't change it at the bank so it just sits there! Well now it can benefit the work of the SVP both locally and nationally. Working with Cash4coins, a currency service for charities, the SVP can collect:

- All foreign coins and banknotes
- Current UK coins and banknotes
- Any old British and Irish money
- Even obsolete currency! E.g. pre decimal currency

So why not collect from your church congregation, friends, relatives and make good use of it! 50% of the funds realised will go to your local Conference and 50% to national SVP funds.



We can send you an A4 poster and sticky labels to get you going - so get started and recycle some of that wasted cash and currency for a good cause! Please remember that the money cannot be exchanged at high street banks and we are not competing for parish funds in Sunday collections. There is no time limit on the scheme at present so be patient and collect as much as you can before sending it to Cash4Coins. If you have any problems or want to clarify things please contact Ken Madine at National Office via email fundraising@svp.org.uk call **020 7703 3030**.



This is how you do it...IT IS SO EASY!

Get a 2 litre plastic bottle or other collecting box and cut a slit for donations. We can send you a sticker to attach to the bottle.

Post up the A4 poster (available from National Office) on the church notice board.

Place a notice in your church news letter saying you are collecting foreign and obsolete coins, currency and cash for the SVP.

Start collecting from your friends and church colleagues - don't give up as it may take time for them to find their personal hoard of old currency.

Fill up your collecting bottle and if you collect:

5kg -10kg (approximately more than 4 coffee mugs full) you can contact cash4coins (0161 635 0000) and they will send you a form by email or post - bag up the cash with the form and deliver it to a designated local drop-off point (there are 4,500 authorized points - so one will be near you).

10kg or more a secure national courier can be arranged to collect the coins from a member's Home/church/office FREE of Charge.

On the form be sure to write your Conference details (Conference number, not bank details) so we can return 50% of the funds collected to you.

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