The Chaplaincy Manchester Airport was first established in 1980: one part-time chaplain working from the boot of his car. In 1998 we became a registered charity and company representing all Christian denominations. Today we are a Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) with a multi-faith Board of trustees and a team that includes Jewish, Muslim, Sikh and Christian Chaplains from a number of denominations.

We are currently supported financially by **Manchester Airport**, the Church of England **Dioceses of Manchester and Chester** and the Roman Catholic **Diocese of Shrewsbury**, the **FCDO** and a small number of airport-based companies and individual donors. We want to broaden our base of individual supporters and invite you to join this small group of chaplaincy donors.

Our shared aim is to **help**, **support** and **guide** staff colleagues and customers of Manchester Airport, as well as associated airlines and airport companies, whatever their faith tradition.

- We pray regularly for the airport community, airlines, passengers and local communities.
- We offer spiritual support, pastoral care and understanding to all who work at the Airport.
- We seek to meet the pastoral and humanitarian needs of those who travel through the Airport.
- We lead services of worship for the airport community, its members, and visitors.
- We train colleagues in faith aspects of diversity issues, emergency response, and pastoral care.
- We work in partnership with the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, Ministry of Defence, UK Border Force and the Emergency Services.
- We assist those travelling on pilgrimage and their families, advising on how best to meet their needs.
- We offer pastoral care for staff and detainees at Manchester STR Immigration Detention Centre.
- We work with MAG People and Health & Wellbeing in offering holistic care for colleagues.
- We offer complete assurance that all matters are treated with professionalism and in compete confidence.

The main chaplaincy office is in **T1** Ground Level Check In. We also have an office in **T2** Arrivals. There are Prayer rooms in all terminals. You can contact us 24/7/365:

by phone: 0161 489 2838
by email: thechaplaincy@manairport.co.uk
via our website: thechaplaincy-manchesterairport.co.uk

The Chaplaincy Manchester Airport: help us be here for everyone

What is the Chaplaincy for?

The objects of The Chaplaincy Manchester Airport Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) are:

- to advance religion for the public benefit by the provision of multi-faith chaplaincy services to the staff, passengers and public of Manchester Airport.
- to assist in the provision and management of the airport's chaplaincy facilities.
- to provide appropriate worship and pastoral care for those of all faiths and philosophies.
- to offer emotional, spiritual and practical support to those in need.
- to promote religious harmony for the public benefit through communication, education and training.
- to encourage appreciation of shared values among distinctive beliefs and practices.
- to promote friendship, goodwill and understanding amongst people of all faiths and philosophies

The Chaplaincy's Mission Statement:

The Chaplaincy Manchester Airport is a living expression of faith through the provision of pastoral and humanitarian care for all people irrespective of age, ability, gender, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation, relationship or parental status, within and beyond the airport community.

We are here for everyone (i.e. whatever their religious faith),

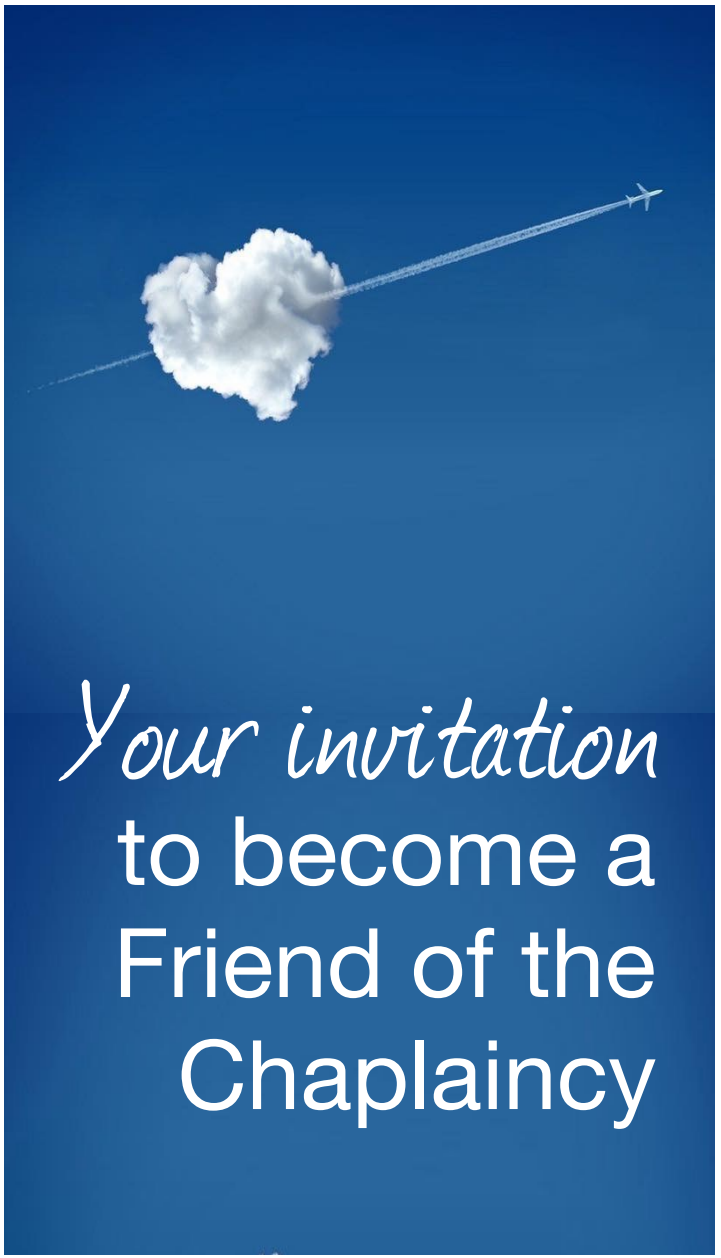
To help, support and guide:

To help – where the client is without prejudice or making assumptions, maintaining the person's dignity and respect at all times.

To support – on the client's terms (i.e. to offer support on the basis of perceived need and vulnerabilities, as it is presented to us), we will undertake due diligence when it comes to expending chaplaincy resources (especially financial) but we acknowledge that perceived need can be as real to someone as their objective needs and vulnerabilities—especially if they are traumatised or unwell.

To guide – from where the client believes themselves to be – towards where they believe they need to go. To begin by listening (to God through prayer, and to the person asking for guidance).

All we do is underpinned by prayer, and our understanding of our role as a God-given vocation, with God-given responsibilities.



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I: Will you become a Friend of the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport and support our ministry?

by praying for us and for those who work at and travel through Manchester Airport? (There's a prayer diary on our website, or we could email or post a copy to you.)

by keeping in touch with us, by receiving our monthly email newsletter (with prayer diary) and six-monthly update, Roots and Wings - or by liking our Facebook page or visiting our Chaplaincy website?

Your response:

I want to support the work of the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport

Please indicate as appropriate:

☐ Please consider me a Friend of the Chaplaincy and invite me to the annual meeting of the chaplaincy, keeping my **email address on your contact list until I request otherwise.**

☐ I would like to **receive the chaplaincy's monthly newsletter by email**

☐ I would like to **receive Roots and Wings** every six months by email

Your NAME:

Your ADDRESS:

Your EMAIL ADDRESS:

THANK YOU

Please return this page to The Lead Chaplain, The Chaplaincy, Manchester Airport, Manchester M90 1QX

II: Will you offer your gifts and / or experience to support the work of the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport?

by being a point of contact and advocate for us within your community?

by offering your experience and skills to support the work of the chaplaincy?

by **inviting a member of the Manchester Airport Chaplaincy Team to speak** about the work of the chaplaincy to your **local** faith / community group?

Your response:

I want to support the work of the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport

Please indicate as appropriate:

☐ **I am happy to be a point of contact and advocate** for the chaplaincy within my community

☐ **by offering my experience and skills** to support the work of the chaplaincy

☐ I would like to **invite a member of the Manchester Airport Chaplaincy Team to come and speak** about the work of the chaplaincy to my faith / community group. Please contact me.

Your NAME:

Your ADDRESS:

Your EMAIL ADDRESS:

Your FAITH COMMUNITY / COMMUNITY GROUP:

EXPERIENCE / SKILLS / AREAS OF WORK that you'd be happy to share:

THANK YOU

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III: Will you support the work of the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport by making a financial donation?

by making a regular monthly donation (however small)? A regular gift helps us to plan more effectively for the ever-increasing demands on our resources? We rely on the support of individuals and faith groups as well as from larger grant-making bodies.

Your response:

I want to support the work of the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport.

Please indicate as appropriate:

☐ I would like to make a **donation** of:

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☐ **per month**
☐ **per year**
☐ **one off donation**

☐ I would like to complete **a Standing Order mandate**
Please send me a paper copy *(the form is also available for download at: www.thechaplaincy-manchesterairport.co.uk/keep-in-touch/support.php*

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☐ I would like to compete **a Gift-Aid declaration** to enable the Chaplaincy Manchester Airport to claim tax back on my donation.
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