

Preparing a Codicil

Fill in the details then send the following note to the holder of your will.

To the holder of my will _____

Please would you prepare a codicil to my will to enable me to make a gift to **ACROSS**. I would like to give \$x__ or __% of my estate to that social service agency. Can you please call to make an arrangement on (your telephone number) _____.

Wills and codicils must be dated, signed and properly witnessed.

Volunteers

If you are able to support us in some other way perhaps by volunteering your time to help with our services and programmes, please let us know.

For More Information

For more information on any of these matters, or to discuss these options, please telephone **ACROSS (06) 356-7486** and ask to speak to our Director, Graeme Munford or e-mail the agency **across@inspire.net.nz** or visit our website **www.across.org.nz** (on line from November 2006).

“No one can agree with what you say! All must share alike: whoever stays behind gets the same share as the one who goes into battle.” (1 Samuel 31:24)



ACROSS
TE KOTAHITANGA O TE WAIRUA

**An Anglican, Catholic and
Community Social Service**

SUPPORTING OUR WORK

ACROSS is part of *Anglican Care Network and Catholic Social Services*, a network of agencies providing a range of social services to people throughout New Zealand.

Our vision and purpose at **ACROSS** in Palmerston North is to respond to social need, working directly with people experiencing difficulties in their lives;

...to be found by those who were not looking... (and) appear to those who were not asking...
(Romans 10:20)

ACROSS receives funding from a number of sources, including donations from individuals.

We continue to rely on and be grateful to our church partners for both prayer and financial support, appreciating that people give in various ways, both directly and indirectly.

We have indicated some ways below in which you may prefer to support us.

Automatic Payment System

Some people may prefer to give by arranging a weekly, fortnightly or monthly **automatic payment** from their bank to **ACROSS**. To set this up, all you need do is go to your bank and ask to set up an automatic payment for a set amount each week, fortnight or month, from your account; (please see our bank account details on the next page).

The more people who give by Automatic Payment, the more stable our income and the greater our ability to respond to social need in our community.

Bank Account Details

Name of Bank: Bank of New Zealand,
Cnr Rangitikei St & The Square,
Palmerston North.

Name of Account: ACROSS Supporters Trust

Account number: 02-0630-0442524-00

Donations

You might wish to make a special **donation** to **ACROSS** for a particular purpose or event you are passionate about, then watch as the event you funded (or help fund) happens. Direct donations can be sent to **ACROSS, PO Box 1140, Palmerston North.**

Taxation Benefits

If you make a donation of \$5 or more, you can claim a **tax rebate** from Inland Revenue at the end of the tax year, ending 31 March, using the form IR 526 available from the Department of Inland Revenue (IRD), or you could download this form from the IRD web site www.ird.govt.nz. The maximum rebate you can claim in any one year is \$630 on total donations of \$1,890 or more. Once you have made your first request, the Department will automatically provide you with an IR 526 in future years while you still continue to claim. You might wish to keep your annual rebate, or donate this amount to the agency.

Bequests

You could provide a **bequest** in your will to **ACROSS**. To do this, all you need to do is see whoever holds your will and have a simple codicil added to your will saying that you want to make a gift of \$ (state the exact amount) to **ACROSS**.

Alternatively, you could have a simple codicil added to your will specifying what percentage from the residue of your estate is to be paid to **ACROSS**.

Tithing Your Will

You could make provision in your will to **ACROSS**. You would need to see whoever holds your will, to have a codicil added to your will to include this provision.