

DARLINGTON & DISTRICT ORGANISTS' & CHOIRMASTERS' ASSOCIATION

We exist for those who have a passion for the organ and its music.

Everyone is welcome to join: organists, those who enjoy listening to organ music, or people who would just like to support the organ world in the Darlington, Co. Durham and Cleveland areas. Our aims are to encourage those with an interest in the organ (especially the young), promote musical activities relating to the organ, and build a social network of organists and those who support the organ.

A series of varied and interesting events is arranged throughout the year. These include concerts, training occasions, visits to organs of interest, and an annual dinner where members and friends can meet socially. We also help to promote and support other musical events connected with the organ and church music in our area.

Our website aims to contain comprehensive information about our activities including the organs we have visited, forthcoming events and news from members – do visit at <http://www.duresme.org.uk/ddoca.htm> . There is also a Darlington Organists Facebook group with more day to day news and links which you are welcome to ask join at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/178744039534380/>

DDOCA is affiliated to the Incorporated Association of Organists - the national federation covering all matters connected with the organ. Its magazine, the *Organists' Review*, is published quarterly and is offered to DDOCA members at a reduced rate.

We hope you would like to become a member of DDOCA; please print out and complete the form below, and return to **Frances Kelly, Membership Secretary DDOCA**, as indicated.

Current (2023/24) annual subscription rates, to include *Organists' Review*:

Standard Membership £35.00 2 Family members £40.00
*Student Membership £25.00

**To qualify for the student rate, applicants must be enrolled in full time education at a school, college or university.*

Subscriptions are due on the 1st June each year

DDOCA Membership application

Name [*Mr/Mrs/Ms/Dr/Revd]

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Address:

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Postcode:

Tel:

Mobile:

E-mail:

Musical Interests/Post(s) held (if any).....

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I have set up a direct [BACS] payment to Darlington Organists;
Sort Code 20-27-41; Account Number 70150657 (membership will commence
with receipt of payment), or

I enclose payment for my first annual subscription (cheques payable to "DDOCA"),

NB. Minimum payment is now £35.00 for standard membership (£15 without "Organists Review");
or £40.00 for Family membership; or £25.00 concessionary rate, notably for students.

Signed.....

Please send your completed form to:

**Frances M. Kelly [Membership Secretary: DDOCA],
1, Hill Garth, DARLINGTON DL3 9ET**

[or by e-mail attachment to: franceskelly8@icloud.com