



# FRIENDS OF MOUNT ATHOS

Registered Charity No 1047287

## RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP

Subscriptions for 2018 are due for renewal on 1<sup>st</sup> January. This reminder is being sent to all members; if you are a life member, you may ignore it.

We should like to encourage you to arrange for payment by banker's order, and use the attached form to amend existing instructions. If you are a UK tax payer, please consider Gift Aiding your donation if you do not already do so. You may also renew online ([www.athosfriends.org/membership](http://www.athosfriends.org/membership)) where the application forms are also available as well as further information for UK taxpayers about the Gift Aid scheme.

The minimum rates for life membership are £600, \$850, or €700 (or half these figures for those over 70). If you would like to become a life member, please indicate accordingly on the attached form.

You may of course continue to subscribe on a yearly basis and Gift Aided subscriptions (from UK taxpayers) allow the Charity to claim further 25% from the British Revenue Department (HMRC). The membership rates are £75 for institutions and communities, £40 for individuals, and a reduced rate of £20 for students, pensioners, monastics and the unwaged. Dollar and Euro rates are shown below.

You have been informed of the impending increase in subscription rates (from 1<sup>st</sup> February 2018), so if you are renewing after that date, you will need to do so at the increased rates indicated below.

Direct Sterling and Euro bank transfers may be made to the account of the Friends of Mount Athos as follows:

### **Sterling Account**

Account: The Friends of Mount Athos  
Bank: Lloyds TSB  
Account No: 00058730  
Sort Code: 30-96-64  
IBAN: GB96 LOYD 3096 6400 0587 30  
SWIFT: LOYDGB21085

### **Euro Account**

Account: The Friends of Mount Athos  
Bank: Lloyds TSB  
Account No: 86215304  
Sort Code: 30-96-64  
IBAN: GB20 LOYD 3096 6486 2153 04  
SWIFT: LOYDGB21085

Please indicate on the form below if you have given instructions for direct transfers and ensure that your name will be identified on the incoming credit. You may pay by PayPal through the website. You will be asked to pay a slightly increased amount to cover PayPal charges.

**Please note that all personal data you provide will be retained in accordance with FoMA's data protection policy.**



Please renew my membership of the Friends for 2018. I wish to apply for:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Life membership:          | £600 / \$850 / €700 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduced life membership:  | £300 / \$425 / €350 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Institutional membership: | £75 / \$110 / €90   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual membership:    | £40 / \$60 / €50    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pensioner:                | £25 / \$37.50 / €32 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student or Monastic:      | £20 / \$30 / €25    |
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- I am a UK tax payer; please send me a Gift Aid form.  
 I wish to pay by banker's order (automatic withdrawal): please send me a form.  
 I am paying by PayPal (through the website).  
 I have paid my membership by direct transfer.  
 I enclose a cheque (payable to Friends of Mount Athos) for £...../ \$...../ €.....

Signed: ..... Name: .....

Email address: .....

Date: .....

**Please return this slip to the Hon Treasurer *Simon Jennings, Treasurer, 18 Warwick Street, Oxford OX4 1SX, UK* If paying in US dollars, please return this slip and payment to *Prof Robert W Allison, 45 N Saunders Road, Greene, ME 04236, USA.***