

Who are we?

Karis Neighbour Scheme is a small charity working in the community to offer support and friendship to those who need it the most.

We want to see people in need supported; to come alongside them, be a good neighbour, and in really practical ways, help them through whatever hardships they're facing.

If you'd like to find out more about Karis Neighbour Scheme feel free to get in touch using any of our contacts listed on the back of this leaflet.

You can also look on our website for more information.

Or, if you'd like to, you can just drop in to see us.

Our office is usually open throughout the week and we'd be happy to offer you a cup of tea, sit down and explain a bit more about what we do.

**Opening hours: 9:00am—4:30pm
Monday—Friday**

Contact Us



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Advice & Advocacy



Karis Neighbour Scheme

Offering practical support, friendship and advocacy in the local community, through volunteers.

What's it about?

Some things that are straightforward when you know what you're doing, can be a real challenge if you don't.

We're here to help with anything from contacting a service provider about a bill to helping you fill in a form.

We run drop-in sessions at our office for anyone to come in and see us. We can take time to work through any problems they're struggling with.

We can't solve everything ourselves but we can point people in the right direction for more help if they need it.



If you need help with something you can pop in to see us at the following times:

Monday 1:00pm—4:00pm

Wednesday 9:00am—12:00pm

We'll be able to help you with making phone calls, writing letters and may be able to give you advice or point you towards where you can get advice.

We can help with filling in some forms, things like contacting the council about repairs or simply speaking on your behalf.

If you need to make a phone call yourself, take a photocopy of a document or send a fax you can drop in anytime.

If you're not able to get to us and need help with something we may be able to come and see you instead. Let us know and we'll see what we can do.

How can we help?

Who is it for?

We support anyone who lives in the Harborne, Edgbaston or Ladywood areas of Birmingham.



We particularly want to support those who are vulnerable and isolated, who may not be able to get help elsewhere.

Also people for whom language barriers cause difficulties, including refugees and asylum seekers.

If you could do with help yourself please do come to one of our drop-in sessions. Or if you know of someone who might benefit from our support, please tell them about us and how we can help.