

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CURCH SERVCIES – please read before going into church

For the purpose of social distancing and to minimize the risk of transmission of the Covid 19 virus the following arrangements are in place.

1. If you feel ill or have a cough or temperature do not enter the church but seek medical advice.
2. In accordance with recommendations we will be keeping a record of those attending each service, which will be retained for 21 days.
3. If you become ill after attending a service or for private prayer and have a positive test for Covid-19 please inform one of the churchwardens as soon as possible so that others attending at the same time can be informed.
4. The Order of Service and Readings are available on the website to download to your portable device eg iPad, phone or to print out.
5. **Please bring it with you** and if following the service on your phone please switch it to 'silent' (*not vibrate*).
6. Please clean your hands using the hand sanitizer provided as you enter and as you leave the church.
7. Please keep a distance of 2m apart from people outside your household group whilst walking to and from your pew or chair.
8. A one way system is in operation. Please follow the arrows as you go to a pew or chair and please do not double back.
9. You are welcome to sit in any pew that is not blocked off, but you should only share a pew with other members of your household or 'household bubble'.
10. If all the pews are occupied please use the red chairs at the back of church.
11. If you have children with you please keep them in the pew with you. The children's corner is closed and there is no Sparks.
12. To avoid increasing the risk of virus transmission we will not be singing hymns. However, during the service a hymn sung by a choir will be played to which you may wish to mime or quietly hum, but we ask that there is no singing.
13. Mike Foy will be playing organ music before, during, and after the service.
14. Only the toilets by the choir vestry are available. If you require the accessible toilet please ask one of the Churchwardens to assist you.
15. For those sitting in pews, when you are leaving church after the service, you should only walk towards the back of church and not towards the altar, even to talk to someone. Those sitting on the left hand side of the centre aisle as you face the altar should use the north door (by the children's corner) and those sitting on the right hand side should use the south door (by the kitchen area).
16. For those sitting in chairs at the back please leave by the door nearest to you without going against the flow of direction of others.
17. If you have used one of the church's service books please leave it in the tray on the table with the hand sanitizer to be quarantined.
18. Refreshments after the service are not available. If you need a drink of water please inform one of the Churchwardens on duty.
19. Donations to help with the running costs of the church may be made on the way out either using the contactless card machine or using one of the donation plates.
20. If you have any concerns or questions please see the Churchwarden on duty.