

28<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Dear friends,

It is such a joy to announce you that our public worship will resume in the church building on Sunday 5th July. However, there are specific rules that we should follow according to the government's guidelines.

**Code of Conduct:**

1. Entry (front door only)
  - Sanitise your hands at the entrance
  - Keep the social distancing in the building all the time
  - Follow the 'one way' flow in the building
  - No physical contact (handshake, hug and kiss)
  - No foods are allowed
  - If you would like to make a donation, use the card reader
  - Keep the doors open all times
2. No-Go areas
  - Office- authorised persons only
  - Meeting room
  - Chancel – authorised persons only
  - Lady Chapel
  - Kitchen
  - Belltower (no bell ringing)
  - Sound desk – authorised persons only
3. Toilet
  - One person at a time in each toilet
  - Wash your hands for 20 seconds with soap
  - After washing, use a hand paper towel, not the dryer
  - Put your hand paper towel in the bin (not in the toilet)
4. During the service
  - Social distancing should be observed all the time and follow the one-way system
  - A household can form a bubble – tables are reserved for families with children
  - Only service leader and preacher in the chancel area
  - No sharing of microphones – testimonies and readings will be recorded before and played during the service
  - The length of the service time – around 1hr
5. Holy Communion
  - We will serve only one kind – bread
  - No communion assistants required

- Young will sanitise his hands twice, at the beginning of the Eucharistic prayer and just before the distribution of the bread
- Remain seated while Young will minister the bread to you.

6. Exit

- Use the Oasis centre door for exit
- Maintain social distancing
- Hand sanitiser will be available by the door
- Please do not congregate by the exit

7. Things we won't provide

- Gloves, masks
- Children's group
- Refreshments
- Bible/ leaflets
- Book store will be closed
- No weekday meetings in the church

8. Items that might be helpful to bring

- Your own mask/ gloves/ tissues
- Drink
- Bible
- Debit/credit card for offering

As we are running both services in the church building and live-streaming on Youtube at the same time, I would like to encourage you to join the service online if possible, so that we can give spaces for those who cannot access to the Internet.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Church reopening, please let me know.

Yours sincerely



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