RETURNING TO OUR CHURCH BUILDING

- We are doing our best to ensure everyone stays safe and keep to all government requirements so please be aware things will look, sound and feel very different.
- We are not allowed to sing.
- When speaking, speak quietly and do not raise your voice.
- People need to be socially distanced (2m apart) in the church building which means only 16 people at any one time can be seated, plus the minister.
- To attend a service you will need to book a place by telephoning 221889.
- When you reserve a place at a service we will need to keep a record of your details for 21 days as this may be requested by NHS Test & Trace.
- Everyone will need to maintain social distancing in the building, even members of the same household – please inform us in advance if this presents a problem for you.
- It is the responsibility of parents and carers to ensure their children adhere to the guidelines. We recognise this makes it very difficult for children under 5 to come at present. We are not allowed to provide a crèche area, toys or activities.
- Please be aware that current advice is that, due to the increased risk involved, the clinically extremely vulnerable (shielding) are not encouraged to attend a service.
- The clinically vulnerable may choose to attend at their own risk.
- People who are self-isolating may not attend a service.
- We ask that everyone wears a face covering inside the building.
- Only enter the building when the porch is empty.
- Only leave the porch when there is no-one else in the foyer.
- On entry to the main hall please sanitise your hands.
- Please make your way as soon as possible to a seat, filling up seats from the front row first, and move along the row as far to the right as you can.
- To avoid congestion you may be directed to a waiting space (marked with a cross on the floor).
- Please don’t socialise with people outside of your own household.
- To use the toilet only one person may enter the foyer at a time.
- Please use the wipes to clean all surfaces before you leave the toilet.
- At the end of the service we will leave the building from the back row first, from the left hand side of the row only. Please don’t leave your seat until you are asked to do so.
- Please sanitise your hands before you leave.
- Please let us know of any problems you have or any suggestions for making things easier.