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Our return to **Church**

If you have any symptoms of Coronovirus DO NOT come to church: Self isolate, book a test and follow the "Test and Protect" instructions

Arriving at church



Please enter the church via the South Door



Welcomers wearing face coverings will greet and direct you.



Keep 2m physical distancing at all times in church and follow signs and markers.



Use the hand sanitiser as you enter.



We ought to wear face masks in church unless we have a medical condition that makes it difficult.



Fill in the slip of paper on the pew so we can 'Test and Protect' if necessary.



Holy water stoups are empty.



Sit where indicated on the pew – alone or in a family group.



Pick up a weekly sheet and take it away with you afterwards. If you require a Mass Book take it away with you and bring it each week.

During the service



Greet others with smiles and waves avoiding physical contact.



There won't be any singing in church initally but there may be recorded music.



Readers will read from communion station with their own Missal without mask.



Those on intercession rota will pray from their own pew without mask but making sure they are a safe distance from those in front of them.



The Children's Corner is suspended for the foreseeable future.

Safe Holy Communion



Follow the one way system – going forward in the main aisle and back through the Holy Name aisle.



The Priest will sanitise his hands at various points of the mass especially before dispensing communion.



Receive bread only from the priest who will stand at the bottom of the chancel steps.



No need to wear a face covering when receiving Communion although the priest will.



Sanitise your hands with the sanitiser provided before and after receiving the wafer.



Receive the wafer in your hands – not tongue.



You are welcome to go forward for a blessing.

After the service



Departure from the church will be via the west door unless you have mobility problems. Please take care on the steps.



At the end of the service leave carefully starting from the back of the church.



Place any offering in the plate on the font as you leave unless you have arranged to give direct through the bank.



Use the hand sanitiser as you leave.

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Please turn over for a map of the layout in church