

RE-OPENING



Is it safe to attend?

The church building is limited to a maximum of between 54 and 94 spaces (depending on whether individuals or couples) in the Sanctuary. This allows 1m distancing to be maintained. Seating has been reduced to reflect these numbers.

The building was cleaned and disinfected before re-opening and will be before each church service.

What happens when I attend a service?

- Entry to the Church will be through the usual side entrance.
- If you need to wait to enter, please maintain 1m distance from other people, avoiding hand shaking & hugs.
- The toilets will not be available.
- Upon arrival, the person on duty at the entrance will take your name and contact details.
- You should use the hand sanitiser provided.
- You are required to wear a face covering for the duration of the service.
- A stock of disposable face coverings will be available if you have forgotten to bring one.
- You will be directed to your seat, be it for a single person or couple or family / household grouping. You probably will not be seated in your “normal” pew.
- A one-way system will be in operation and you are asked to strictly follow the signs.
- Singing is permitted but no bibles or hymn books will be available.
- A collection bowl will be available as you enter and leave the sanctuary to take freewill offering envelopes and cash.
- At the conclusion of the service you will be required to exit via the Manse Brae side door.
- Please wait in your seat until asked to leave, this will allow us to manage social distancing.
- It is important that you do not congregate either inside or outside the Church but to leave directly, continuing to observe social distancing whilst allowing others to leave the building safely.
- Spaces will be allocated on a “first come, first served” basis.
- **You should not attend Church if you feel unwell or have Covid 19 symptoms.**