

# Holyhead Road URC

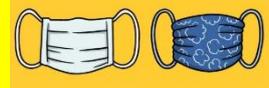


## What to expect when you attend worship

To protect others, **please DO NOT attend church if you are feeling in any way unwell**. If symptoms are noticed when you arrive, the Elders will politely request that you return home.



**Face masks are now a legal requirement** inside places of worship. Please make sure that you bring a mask with you and wear it until you have left the building.



We will be maintaining **2m distancing at all times**. There will be signs to help maintain this distance if you are queueing.



Seats will also be 2m apart. **Please do NOT move them!** Elders will direct you to a seat. There will be chairs in 2s and 3s - for 'bubbles' ONLY. **If you wish to sit as a 'bubble' you will need to enter church at the same time.**



When you arrive at church, you will be greeted by Elders who will ask you to **sanitise your hands**. It is very important that everybody does this to protect each other.



You may be asked for your **contact details** if we do not already have them. Elders will record them so that we can contact you if anybody who attends church at the same time as you becomes ill. Details will be kept for 21 days then destroyed. New records will be kept each week, so that we know who attended on which dates.

Holyhead Road United Reformed Church

In order to support the safe return of our members, we are taking contact details of those who attend church at Holyhead Road URC.

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Please give your consent by:

Name

Date

Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Because of the 2m distancing required for safety, there will be a limited number of places in church / the hall overspill area (where you will be able to see what is on the screens via a TV and hear the preacher), and no access to other parts of the building. Regrettably, if we reach total capacity, we will have to turn away anybody else who arrives.



There will be a **strict one-way system** in and out of church. This will be clearly marked, but there will also be guidance from Elders when required.



**We cannot yet sing hymns together** - this may increase the risk of spreading infection and is currently against the law! Instead, there may be meditative music to listen to, as part of worship.



**At the end of worship Elders will ask you to remain in your seat until you are directed to leave the building.** Please do not go to chat to others. This is to avoid the risk of people getting too close to each other when passing through constricted spaces such as doorways and corridors.



**We will not be able to serve tea and coffee or stay to socialise**, because larger numbers can only stay together for actual worship.

For your protection and that of others it is important that you also sanitise your hands when leaving the building.



One toilet will be available **for emergencies only**. Strict hand and surface cleansing will be required – including cleaning door handles - instructions for users will be clearly signposted in the toilet area.



**If you feel ill while in the building please alert one of the Elders immediately.** You will be looked after by an Elder, away from public areas and arrangements will be made for you to get home or to be assessed by a medical professional.



**Thank you for taking the time to read this information and playing your part in making worship at Holyhead Road as safe as possible.**