Church Attendance Guidance

There are a number of things to note when coming to Church:

* if you feel unwell and/or have any of the signs of Covid-19, you should return home and self-isolate as per the government guidelines
* you will need to wear a mask for the duration of the service (however, those with certain medical conditions may be exempt from this requirement.)
* hand sanitiser is available and must be used on entering and leaving the Church
* seats are marked out at a 2m distance and you may be directed to a seat which is not where you would normally sit
* There is a one-way system in place with appropriate signage, entering by the main door of the Church and leaving by the transept door, however if you are unable to walk up the steps at the main door, please let a member of the duty team know and arrangements can be made to allow you to enter safely by the transept door
* you will be asked for your contact details for the purposes of track and trace, either recorded in a note-book which is kept secure and destroyed after 21 days, or by using a QR code on a mobile device to record your attendance on-line.  Giving your name and phone number when you request a place will speed up this process.
* although there will be music, there will be no singing in Church
* you will be encouraged not to congregate outside the Church after the service to maintain the current restrictions of only having 4 people from 2 households meet together outside.
* On Easter Sunday and Sunday 25th April, the services will include Communion.  To ensure your safety, this will be provided in disposable cups which include grape juice and a wafer biscuit.
* It is likely that the doors will need to remain open to increase the level of fresh air within the building to help control the risk of COVID-19 transmission. You may wish to wear warmer clothing whilst inside the church building.

To begin with, there will be no offering uplifted at the services.  If you have been paying online directly into the Church's bank account, have a standing order set up, or have been sending a cheque to Doug McEwan, please continue to do so.  We will let you know when we are in a position to accept a cash offering.