

OPENING OF ST. TERESA'S

SEPTEMBER 6th

We are almost there. **On Sunday 6th September** we shall be celebrating Mass at 10.30am as before but with some significant changes. You are asked to book a place.

This is done on a special number between the
hours of 6 and 8pm on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

You can also leave a message and someone will get back to you. Michael, who is manning the phone line will ask you some questions, e.g your name. This is so we shall have a booking sheet for the Sunday.

When you come you will need to check in with one of the volunteers who will have this sheet.

Please be patient, keep a safe distance and wear a mask. If there is a reason that you can't wear a mask you will already have told Michael and it will be then on the sheet.

CONTACT NUMBER TO BOOK A PLACE IS

07734274559

Mike can also accept emails on mikejcox@live.co.uk giving your name, number of seats , name of all people in your party including children and any remarks plus telephone number / mobile number

After booking in, enter the church and other volunteers will lead you to your seat. If you are part of a group, like a family you will all sit together. Please cooperate and don't ask for a particular seat.

During Mass there is no singing and various parts will be missed out, e.g the Gloria. This is to reduce the amount of time spent in church. There will be no Offertory: please place your envelopes etc in the basket as you enter the church. As you leave the church there will be a copy of the bulletin for you to take home. There will be no holy water in the fonts.

Holy Communion is only given under the form of the Host. A volunteer will tell you when it is your turn to come out. When you have received the Host, consume it then turn round and walk up the central aisle and out of the church. Do not stay and chat inside.

That can be done once you have left.

All these arrangements have been made so that the church will be Covid secure.



You are safer here than in the supermarket, and will remain so if we all follow the guidelines. Hopefully we shall still be able to make it a welcoming and holy place. Overtime these arrangements may change.

Thank you for cooperating, and a big thanks to all our volunteers without whom we would no re-open.

Thank you, and God bless,

Fr.Greg.