

5 June 2020

Dear Parishioners,

Worship Arrangements at St James' Church During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Requirements continue to change as the easing of government restrictions on church worship are worked out. At this stage, our service schedule (including numbers that can attend) is as follows:

- Sunday:**
- 8am - Holy Eucharist:** 30 places available – entering from the North Porch.
 - Communion in one kind at the Chancel steps
 - 10am – Choral Eucharist:** 42 places available – entering from the Tower entrance
 - Communion in one kind at the Baptistry
 - This service is livestreamed
- Mon - Fri:**
- 8:30am – Morning Prayer:** Continues to be held using Zoom conferencing
 - 12:30pm – Holy Eucharist:** 10 places available – entering from the North Porch
- Wednesday:**
- 6:15pm – Choral Evensong** 42 places available – entering from the Tower entrance
 - This service is livestreamed

To register your attendance, please do so online at: <https://www.sjks.org.au/service-registration/> or telephone the Parish Office on 8227 1300. Once you have registered you can assume that there is a seat available for you in the service unless someone contacts you to advise otherwise.

Please note the following COVID-19 restrictions for attendance at worship:

- You must not attend the service if you feel unwell,
- You must adhere to physical distancing guidelines and sit in the church at those places marked by a green dot,
- Hand sanitiser is provided for use when arriving and leaving,
- Random temperature checks will be conducted when entering at the door, and
- Members of the congregation must not sing during the choral services because of the risk of spreading COVID-19 through proximity to other people.

Post-service refreshments remain on hold, and the church building remains closed outside the service times.

Information about Kids @ Church, Resting Space, the Sister Freda Mission, and other activities can be found on the Parish website.

Parish Annual General Meeting

The Parish Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 28 June at 12noon, using Zoom Conferencing. The reports and nomination forms will be available on the Parish website from Wednesday 10 June. To register your attendance, please go to: <https://www.sjks.org.au/agm-registration>

Every blessing,

