

St Mary's Church Purton – Sunday Services Questionnaire

Please see the letter that came with this Questionnaire to explain what we are aiming to do.

It is our hope and prayer that as a *whole Church Family we will be able to 'gather around' the opening of the Renewed Church building as an opportunity to invite in and show the people of Purton the love and grace of Christ.*

If we are to look out to our wider community then we may need to make some changes to the services. After Covid restrictions are lifted, we are hoping to offer a balance of pre-Covid services and a series of new services/events aimed at growing the Church as illustrated below. This will mean the breadth of pre-Renewal/ pre-Covid services will be maintained but the frequency will be reduced to allow time and opportunity for these new services.

We would like to reassure you that we aim to maintain the breadth of service styles so that every Sunday there are normally two services (including at least one Traditional Service and one New Service - with Communion available in at least one of them)

Proposed balance of services (for a 5 Sunday month)

Pre renewal / lockdown		Proposed for reopening
Said Communion	Knowing Christ ↑	Said Communion
Said Communion		Said Communion
Said Communion		Said Communion
Said Communion		Said Communion
Said Communion		Said Communion
Said Communion		Choral Evensong
Choral Evensong		Choral Communion
Choral Communion		Choral Communion
Choral Communion		Youth Service
Choral Communion		New Service
Family Communion		New Service
Youth Service		New Service
Family Service		New Service
Messy Church	↓ Making Christ Known	New Service
Messy Church		Messy Church
		Messy Church

* Messy Church may be part of the New Service

Please return your completed questionnaire by **Wednesday 31st March 2021** through the letterbox at The Vicarage, or 33 Restrop View (Sandra) or 25 Glevum Close (Berta). Please phone 01793 770077 if you need it to be collected from your home or if you need a larger print version delivered.

Alternatively, it can be completed online at <https://tinyurl.com/p6jt4usa>

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ST MARY'S CONGREGATION FROM THE PCC

1. Before the Church was closed for Lockdown/Renewal which of the following Sunday services did you regularly attend? (*Please tick boxes to indicate 'yes'*)

8.00am	6.00pm - Choral Evensong			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
10:30am				
1 st (Sunday)	2 nd	3 rd - Family	4 th	5 th
Family	Communion	Communion	Communion	Communion
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other services

Messy Church	Ignite (Youth Led)	UJC	Zoom
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. Please add comments regarding why you chose to attend a particular service(s)? What drew you to these services rather than others?
3. What part of the services that you regularly attended did you particularly enjoy, not enjoy and why?
4. What would your priorities be for a new service and why?

5. What benefit do you receive from attending the service(s) you have attended?
6. What comments (if any) do you have on this pre-Lockdown/pre-Renewal pattern of services at St Mary's?
7. Please list service(s) you have occasionally attended? What did you particularly enjoy, not enjoy and why?
8. Would you like to see more of the congregation helping to deliver the services?
9. Would you be willing to help deliver the services, if so in what way?
10. What comments (if any) do you have on the proposed balance of services at St Mary's?
11. What ideas might you have to help St Mary's reach out to our wider community and build our Church Family?
12. If you have attended other churches before Lockdown, which aspects did you particularly enjoy, not enjoy and why?
13. What do you think our provision for young people should be? What comments (if any) do you have on how this could be changed and how?
14. How can we encourage more young people to get involved in our Church Family and/or services?
15. Any other comments or suggestions on services?

Contact Details : If you are willing to be contacted regarding finding more about your responses please fill out the following contact details, if you wish to submit an anonymous response please leave blank

Name :

Phone:

Email: