

## Highfield Road Uniting Church COVID-19 Policy.

The Highfield Road Uniting Church acknowledges the views and values of all our congregational members whilst aiming to maintain a duty of care toward all who visit our building.



This policy aims to provide a safe, legal, community environment.

We welcome all to join our inside worship. Remote worship will continue to be offered, as an alternative to all via our YouTube channel.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMg9XOmm7N9JsiolyI37dRA>

- All are welcome to our services. Entry requirements will vary from time to time, in accordance with Government directives.
- Our need to wear face masks will follow the Government directives of the day. When worn, face masks must cover both the nose and mouth.
- Hand sanitisation is encouraged on entry.
- Government directions will apply for person density rules. When necessary, we will count numbers entering the Church space and may, as it fills, need to direct some people to the foyer area.
- Those who are under 12 may enter and will be included in our density head count.
- With consideration to others, we ask that others with cold or flu like symptoms not attend in person. We suggest that they join us via our online worship.
- Hymn books and pew Bibles will be available but should not be shared.
- Our ability to sing, or partake in Communion, will follow the Government directives of the day.
- When permitted, after service morning tea will be offered.
- Cleaners will conduct a complete clean weekly.
- All users/rentals of our Church space will be required to demonstrate that they have their own COVID-19 protocol.
- Our COVID-19 protocols will be routinely updated in accordance with Government and Synod guidelines.

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