

In line with guidance from the Diocese, both our churches will be open for services from Sunday 2nd August. Service times will be as before: 09:15 in Milton Combe and 10:30 in Buckland Monachorum (no evening services in summer).

With the necessary restrictions in place church services will “look and feel” a bit different, but we are very grateful to be able to meet again. As the advice from the Diocese and Public Health England is constantly being revised and updated, we ask for your ongoing patience and prayers as we make gradual and incremental changes to our services week by week.

As previously stated, we would lovingly encourage all who are shielding or in the vulnerable category to stay away from the services in the church buildings and instead access the online services that will continue for the foreseeable future. We plan to record the service from St Andrew’s Church and post it on the Church Website as soon as possible.

We continue to maintain a safe physical distance within the church building and ask that folk give their name and a contact number on arrival as part of the track and trace system. Hand sanitiser will be available at the door and according to the latest guidance "it is strongly advised that face coverings should be worn by all those attending a place of worship".

If you are planning to attend on Sundays, please bring your own Bible, as those in the pews have temporarily been removed. As before, there will be no children’s groups over the summer. “Pew packs” will be available for children to collect on entering the church building if required, but the crèche area will remain closed.