



Ingatestone Elim
Church

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attending services in the
building from
Sunday 16th August 2020

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Instructions for booking and attending services at Ingatestone Elim Church from Sunday 16th August 2020

1) Express your interest in attending a service in person

Please contact our church administrator Shirley Childs at:
office@ingatestoneelimchurch.org.uk or on 01277 350671

2) Provide some further details

When contacting Shirley, please tell her the following things:

- A) The number of people attending with you and their names
(please confirm if they are from the same household and can sit together)
- B) Any Sunday dates you **cannot** make
- C) Address, Email and Telephone number if you are not on our ChurchSuite database as a regular member

3) Await confirmation from Shirley of the date allocated to you

You must receive an email or phonecall from Shirley confirming you can attend a service and on which date before coming.

To be eligible for attending Sunday 16th August, please submit your interest by Midday on Thursday 13th August.

Please note - we are unable to arrange transport for members at present

Attending on the Day

Before you come:

- 1) Check you have no symptoms such as a high temperature or a new persistent cough - if you do, please do not attend
- 2) Check you have a facemask or visor - we will have spares, but we won't be providing them for everyone
- 3) Bring your own bottle of water - refreshments and water glasses are not being provided

On arrival:

- 1) Please wait at the distance marker cones on the drive where a steward will let you in when ready
- 2) Sanitize your hands using the dispenser in the foyer (also after using the toilet)
- 3) Please sit as directed by the stewards who will control inflow and outflow of people to minimise the need for people to walk past one another

During the Service:

- 1) Please remain in your seat - avoid using the toilet if possible, however one will be available if you need
- 2) Singing is still not allowed under current guidelines - assume this will still be the case on the day
- 3) Follow any direction or distance markers in the building
- 4) Offerings - a receptacle near the entrance will be available to drop offerings into, please give online or by standing order where possible
- 5) Communion - special individual communion cups with a wafer and juice have been ordered. Please use as directed in the service

After the Service:

- 1) Please wait in your seat to be directed by the stewards out of the building

In our first phase of reopening - we will not be providing children's/youth work or refreshments after the service.

Additional phases will include small groups, refreshments, children's work, Hope Café etc... The foodbank will continue throughout this time.

These arrangements will be continually under review as government guidance changes are released and we receive specific instruction from Elim Headquarters.

Coming up on Sundays online at 10am

Sunday 2nd August

Guest Speaker - Rev. David Redbond

Sunday 9th August

Guest Speaker - Pastor Richard Keeler

Our services will be scheduled to broadcast at 10am
on both Facebook Live and YouTube

YouTube link below

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UClp4QEzwyCZXfMa14ZNB68w/>



**Are you, or is someone you know, in need of practical help at
this time?**

Hope Foodbank is stocked with food and other essentials to
help those in need. To request support contact Joanne on
07365225499.