

Cornerstone Christian Fellowship

June 2021

THANK YOU JOHN.

This month sees the end of an era, John McNair has decided to step down from being an Elder, we have known for a while but the time has arrived (too soon).

Just to lay any fears aside, John is not leaving the fellowship, in fact he will continue to chair the Finance Team for the Fellowship.

I want to extend my gratitude on behalf of the fellowship and personally, John was going to step down a few years ago but continued to serve in this role which has been very much appreciated, John's calm diplomatic manner continues to be an asset to our Fellowship, I have enjoyed having him as part of this team.

As Robert Taggart say's "Having John's quiet, dependable, steady and reliable character has been ideal for the Eldership".

Tom Muir commented on John's "Organisational Wisdom".

As an Elder, John's input to discussion and decision making has been invaluable, of course this doesn't mean this will stop as he continues to help the development of finances within the church.

We are in a very different place financially now than we have been for years, thanks to the combined efforts and expertise of the finance team.

As Pastor, John's continued support to me personally has been an asset, over the years, we have had some difficult decisions and choices to make as leaders, John is not afraid to speak out, which I always appreciate, it's the combined knowledge and wisdom of people like him that has helped us arrive where we are today.

Thankfully, wherever John serves we will continue to benefit from these qualities, May God continue to bless his ministry and family.

Alan <><



Leader's Retreat Dunblane 1980's
Check out the style!



Current Photo
(Airbrushed, of course!)

CHURCH RESUMES.

As you will be aware our Sunday morning service will resume from Sunday 13th June at 11am (can't wait to see you all in person). We have made adjustments because of the delay in moving to Tier 1.

A lot of preparation has been going on behind the scenes to get ready for the reopening and all the necessary requirements for risk assessments are in place.

In order to comply with Government guidelines, we will be sitting around tables spaced 2 metres apart. This allows 6 people from 3 households to sit together (children under 12 do not count towards total, but count per household). Tea and coffee will be served at the tables after the service, this will help minimise movement. Numbers allowed are in ratio to the hall size as per guidelines, physical distance based capacity (PDBC), so we have everyone back.

Masks should be worn when moving around the building. Please continue to keep 2 metres apart where possible e.g collecting children from their various groups.

Singing is not yet permitted (under tier 2) but will be when we change to Tier 1, hopefully soon. This does not apply to the praise team and speaker(s) who will all be 2 metres away from each other and have their own microphone.

Track and Trace will be carried out by Mary Douglas or a nominated person. Door Stewards will help with location of hand sanitiser and a one way system (where possible). The various children and youth groups have their own guidelines specific to them, and we have a number of people who will be helping with the setting up and dismantling/cleaning after the service.

Hopefully you are reassured by all the preparations for looking after our welfare and keeping us safe, Tom Muir has worked on the Risk Assessment, so if you have any specific questions on that please contact him. Any other questions please contact me. We are more than happy to help dispel any caution you may still have.

Looking forward to seeing you all.

God Bless.

Alan <><



Colossians 3:16 New Living Translation

Let the message about Christ, in all its richness, fill your lives. Teach and counsel each other with all the wisdom he gives. Sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs to God with thankful hearts.