

3 STEP COVIDSAFE MINISTRY PLAN - NORTHMEAD CHURCH

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	GOVERNMENT PLANS	SUNDAY CHURCH	GOSPEL TEAMS	KIDSALIVE	FORGE YOUTH	MIDWEEK MINISTRIES	HOSPITALITY	WEDDINGS & FUNERALS
STEP 1	STEP 1: Visits to home of 5 people. Non-work gatherings of up to 10. Religious gatherings may have up to 10 attendees.							
	<i>Connect with family and friends. Allow groups of people to be together in homes and in the community</i>	Online, watching at home with up to 5 guests Some GTs could use church buildings to watch together	Still using Zoom Some could book to use church buildings to meet together	Materials provided online	Online service Friday night Some year groups could meet in parents' homes	Unable to meet at this time	Encourage people to have others around sensibly and share meals and fellowship Ensure no one is left out	Weddings may have up to 10 guests Funerals may have up to 20 mourners indoors and 30 outdoors
STEP 2	STEP 2: Visits to home unclear at this stage. Non-work gatherings of up to 20. Religious gatherings may have up to 20 attendees.							
	<i>Building on slightly larger gatherings</i>	Still online Encourage watching at home with 5 (or more?) guests	Still using Zoom More meeting in homes depending on visit numbers More using church midweek with limit of 20	Drop off at church 9am - age 3-12 11am - age 3-12 4pm - age 5-12 16 kids and 4 leaders in church and MC. Breezeway gate padlocked.	4 groups at church: Thursday: Yr 7 5.30-7pm Yr 10 7.30-9pm Friday: Yrs 8-9 5.30-7pm Yrs 11-12 7.30-9pm	Unable to meet at this time	Encourage people to have others around sensibly and share meals and fellowship Ensure no one is left out	Weddings may have up to 20 guests Funerals may have up to 50 mourners
STEP 3	STEP 3: Visits to home TBD. Non-work gatherings of up to 100 people. Larger gatherings to be considered.							
	<i>A commitment to reopening of business and the community with minimal restrictions, but underpinned by COVIDSafe ways of living</i>	5 gatherings, live-streamed and recorded 8.45am + KidsAlive 11am + KidsAlive 4pm 6.30pm Sat 5 + KidsAlive Food TBC	Resuming as normal Special care for vulnerable	Connected once again to Sunday gatherings with families	Resuming Friday as normal	Looking to start depending on leaders: ESL, Playmorning, Germinate, Boost Unlikely to resume at this point: MidWeek Fellowship	Consider safe handling of Morning Tea and Supper. Congregational lunches/meals possibly in back yard. Ensure no one is left out	Allow gatherings of up to 100 people

- This COVIDSafe Plan produced with reference to the federal and state government plans which are subject to change
- All use of the Church premises is subject to the COVIDSafe Church use policies and check list
- Possible 2-3 week implementation period after Government announcements of each new stage



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