

Bunting for Hope

A4 Paper

Please use this pattern
if you'd like to make
your own triangles.
Use any material you like.
The more colourful
the better!

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We will meet again - Bunting for Hope HANDOUT

The Invitation is for you to participate in a community group project to create a very long celebration bunting all along the church fence and around the church yard. We hope that you, the whole church congregation, neighbours and friends in and around Chapelfields, of all ages, will take part!

The idea is to capture a sense of goodness and kindness during the pandemic. How do you respond to the following questions?

- Where do you see hope in this pandemic?
- Where do you see love in this?
- Where do you see God in this?
- Where do you see joy in this?
- Where do you see the helpers in this pandemic?
- What do you grieve? What have you lost? Who has helped you?

The plan is to make bunting showing where we saw or felt love, goodness, God's presence, help or kindness in the pandemic (and if the answer is a desperate "nowhere," that's fine too).

We invite each person to decorate one or more triangles with their answer(s). You can draw or write your ideas with fabric pen or use a combination of images and words.

If you have skills in embroidery, applique, patchwork, knitting etc. – feel free to use them! (Just be sure that whatever materials you use can withstand some of the British weather).

The hope is that as many people as possible will decorate one or more triangles. You can use the triangles in this box or make your own. See triangle size and pattern on the other page.

The Deadline for submissions is open. We can use your triangles at any time and will simply add yours to the others when it is received.

When you have finished your triangle(s), either:

- Put them through the letter box at the church
 (The black post box on the wall to right of the glass doors)
- Put them through the letter box at the vicarage
- Post them to directly to the Vicar (a.k.a. Dwayne)

The vicarage is NOT next door to the church. The address is: The Rev'd Dwayne Engh 63 Broad Lane Coventry CV5 7AH

A huge thank you to The Rev'd Cécile Schnyder from St Clement with St Peter Parish Church in London for the inspiration!

Questions? If you have any questions or are in need help (or inspiration), please get in touch with Dwayne. You can call 024 7705 0501 or email priest@stmarymagdalen.plus.com.

Love, prayers and wellbeing to you all.

We look forward to receiving your contribution.

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