

## Transmission of Covid 19 - Risk Assessment for distribution of communion

<b>Church:</b> Christ Church, Southport.	<b>Assessor's name:</b> Dave Griffiths (Church Warden)	<b>Date completed:</b> 13.08.2020	<b>Review date:</b> 4 weeks or change in Covid regulations.
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<b>Administration of communion to reduce risk of transmission.</b>  <b>Following Church of England guidance.</b>	To reduce risk of contamination of Consumables	<p>The president will sanitise their hands in view of the congregation directly prior to touching the elements.</p> <p>Bread for distribution will remain covered until distribution.</p> <p>Wine will be consumed by president only and not distributed.</p>	Church team	ongoing
	During distribution.	<p>Communicants will remain in their seats to receive the bread.</p> <p>The president, wearing a face covering will serve communicants in silence whilst in their seats.</p> <p>The president will drop the bread into the open hand of the recipient.</p> <p>If there is accidental contact the president will immediately re-sanitise their hands.</p>	Communicants and Church team	ongoing
	Following distribution	The vessels will be cleaned in the usual manner.	Church team	ongoing

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14 <sup>th</sup> September 2020	DG