**Questions to be answered and posted in the SAE**

**(please return by 10 July)**

1. What do you miss most about church life during the Covid-19 lockdown?
2. What has kept you close to God during the lockdown, if anything, and what has God been saying to you?
3. What new spiritual practices, if any, have you developed during this period of lockdown?
4. Assuming that your church does re-open in the near future, and knowing that you are under no obligation to return until you feel safe, are you likely to return immediately?

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| Yes |  | No |  |

1. If you have answered no, you are not obliged to but it would be helpful if you would briefly share with us why?
2. How much do you expect church life to be different when restrictions are lifted?
   1. Significantly
   2. A little
   3. A little, but only temporarily
   4. Not at all, business as usual
3. Do you have any concerns or worries about church life in the future that you would like to share?
4. There is a lot in the Bible about the experience of exile and return, being forced out of life as they know it and spending a lot of time dreaming of a return. In this period of ‘exile’, what dreams do you have of the ‘new normal’ you would like to return to in your local church?
5. Have you seen any of our online services?

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| Yes |  | No |  |

1. If so what did you like about them?
2. Was there anything you didn’t like?
3. Would you like to see the online services continue once we return to worship in our church buildings?
4. Are there any ways in which you could see elements of the online services being incorporated into our physical Sunday morning worship? For example, how would you feel about a recorded sermon by one of our ministers or local preachers being shown as part of a local arrangement?
5. If the online services do continue, can you see an occasion other than illness or incapacity when you might stay home to worship rather than attending a physical church service?
6. Any other comments?

**Name** (optional) ..........................................................................