Peter's Place FAQ

(Frequently Asked Questions)

Does my child have to be on "best behaviour" because you meet in the church?

We just want your children to enjoy their time with us. We ask them to be respectful of the building and its' contents so that they do not get hurt.

Can I bring along a child under school age?

You are welcome to bring along a younger child and if appropriate help them to join in the activities.

Are there any toilet facilities in the church?

There is a fully accessible toilet at the back of the church.

Can I bring my child who has a disability?

We aim to be fully inclusive. It is helpful if you contact the team by phoning the Parish office prior to your visit, so that we can have a chat about specific needs.

Can I just drop off my child and fetch them at the end?

We are not able to take responsibility for unaccompanied children. Why not come yourself and enjoy yourself.

How long is Peter's Place?

A typical afternoon would be just over an hour.

How are you dealing with Covid?

Just to let you know that we do have face masks and sanitizers around the church as well as hand washing facilities. If you or your child are unwell please just "give us a miss" and hopefully you will soon recover and we will look forward to seeing you the following month.

A little extra information about Peter's Place.

Peter's Place is the name we have given our Messy Church, which is held in St Peter's Church in Oadby, in the church building.

Our Messy Church is run independently of St Peter's but we have strong links with the congregation, who attend the church services.

As a Messy Church our aim is to provide an opportunity for "messy activities" and creative work. We are currently focussing on games, crafts and music. From time to time we will offer puppetry, story telling and videos.

Messy church was established to reflect the creativity of God in our everyday lives. At Peter's Place we actively encourage families to come and join in and enjoy being creative and messy. We use themes from the church calendar to make each month different and meaningful to our everyday lives. We believe that it is important that we all learn to respect each others' beliefs and values. For those people who would like to understand more about the life of the church and Christian worship we are happy to facilitate this.

From time to time we undertake other activities with the children. In the past they have taken part in Nativity plays, met up at Brocks Hill Park and gone to the Windmill Farm Park.

It is important to know that we take our responsibilities at Peter's Place seriously.

All the leaders of activities are DBS checked. We are linked to the Safeguarding Lead for St Peter's Church. We follow Health and Safety Guidelines.

So come and visit us.

Further details are available from the Parish Office.

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