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Dear Parishioner,

From Monday 26 April it is possible to increase the number of participants at Mass or services to a maximum of 100, ensuring that all protocols are maintained. It is more likely that we will increase our numbers to around 75, give or take either way. Additional seats will now be available from Saturday 1st May, on a first come basis and be allocated on arrival at the church. It is no longer necessary to book a seat in advance from that date. Please keep in mind that we cannot exceed the capacity permitted, so I advise that you come to church early in order to avoid disappointment. You will be requested to provide, at all times, contact details for Track and Trace purposes.

Parishioners with season tickets will continue to attend Mass in the usual way. On arrival at the church, give your number to the registrar and then take your seat in preparation for Mass.

All season tickets have now been allocated. MAY I REMIND SEASON TICKET HOLDERS THAT THEY ARE COMPELLED TO INFORM ME BY EMAIL OR PHONE AT LEAST 24 HOURS BEFOREHAND IF THEY OR OTHERS ON THEIR TICKET ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS. It is essential that I know which seats are available for use for each Mass. Your cooperation in this regard would be gratefully appreciated.

It is possible for us to celebrate the Liturgy in the church because we have a committed and well-trained team of volunteers who kindly give their time each week to manage the protocols demanded of the Scottish Government and the Bishops of Scotland. On behalf of all of us, I thank them for all that they do in keeping us safe.

I thank you for choosing to attend church each week and for supporting your brothers and sisters in this faith community. You help enormously in creating a strong bond of unity and an environment of joyfulness and peace when we are together – it was far too long a time to have been apart. Fortunately, we are coming together more often and in greater numbers:
Deo Gratias!

Finally, encourage your family, friends and neighbours to come back to church; tell them of the procedures we have in place to keep them safe.

With my best wishes and prayers for you and your loved ones.

Keep well and stay safe!

Canon Eddie