

Using Zoom

We are going to run another zoom service on Easter Day at 7.00 p.m. Once again admission will be by password and there is a need to send the form below to the email address. Last Sunday worked much better than the week before. I think everyone has now found the mute button but we must remember to be muted unless we have been invited to say something as zoom responds to any noise. The use of chat for prayers has developed and will now be recorded and sent to all those who ask to join so it can be used in prayers the following week.

We are still learning lessons. This week we will try singing, I've called it "Duets with Jason". As we will all be muted except Jason who will provide us with some music to a couple of great Easter hymns. You can then sing along at home at whatever volume you want! If you have a hymnbook to hand it would be helpful although we will try to get the words up as well this may be more complicated.

If you've not joined us before please look at the how to use zoom advice. (It comes from the L'Arche community so is really helpful) In such a situation we need to learn a new 'etiquette' that is totally different from the ones we have trained ourselves in over the years, especially when we are in the comfort of our own home

At present we can only admit 100 devices at any one time. Last Sunday we were able to accommodate everyone who applied so we haven't increased the number available. We will continue to monitor the situation but please use the form at the bottom to sign up.

If the number of requests exceeded the allowance, we could arrange a second/repeat time for those who missed the first opportunity. If the number of requests was significantly over the 100 then we would consider the cost involved in increasing the number of allowed devices.

**Please copy the below in an email and send to:
lancashiredistrictzoom@aol.com**

Application form to join zoom meeting on Sunday 12th April at 7.00 p.m.

Name:

Email:

Required for sending meeting details and password.

Church & Circuit if known

This helps us to know where you are in Lancashire

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The Lancashire District has a licence which means meetings can exceed 40 minutes. Experience shows that it is best for all bar the chair of a meeting to be on mute all the time. However, pressing the space bar allows you to speak and temporarily unmutes the microphone. This is easier than using the cursor over mute button.