



Trinitots - Covid Precautions

The following precautions will be reviewed at regular intervals and may be subject to change.

If there are insufficient volunteers to run the session (due to illness or isolation) we may need to close at short notice.

To try and help us all stay safe:

Booking

- No one (Toddler, Grown-up or Volunteer) should attend Toddlers if they are at all unwell. Cold or Covid, or if you are waiting for the results of a PCR test.
- The number of spaces for Toddlers has been reduced to 15 with their Grown-ups.
- Spaces must be booked via Eventbrite - details for which will be sent out weekly via email, so *please let me have you email address.*

Arrival

- To avoid contact with other groups, there will be just one session which will run from 10.15 - 11.45am. We ask that grown-ups arrive wearing a face covering and wait to come in maintaining social distance.
- Buggy's must be left in the downstairs porch area; we ask that you bring them only if necessary.
- The signing in table will be just inside the church door, subs will remain at £1.50 per Toddler with 50p for an additional Toddler. Please bring the correct change if possible and drop into the box then sanitise your hands.
- Use the stairs to go up wherever possible, or just one family in the lift.
- Wear your face covering until you settle at your chosen seat.

Session

- As our chairs mark out the various areas, they will be in place as normal and you choose your seat.
- Certain toys and activities which are difficult to clean will not be used for the time being including; playdough, soft toys, cushions and dressing up clothes.
- We ask that the baby area is used only for our very youngest to prevent unhelpful use.
- Generally, less toys will be out to allow more circulation space for everyone.
- A maximum of 6 Toddlers will be invited to join in the simple craft activity first, the area will be cleaned and another 6 will take their turn etc. Finished craft items may be saved on the table.

Snack Time

- All tables will be used for snack time so that Toddlers may spread out, they will be sanitised as normal before snack. Toddlers and Grown-ups will be asked to sanitise/clean their hands first too.
- Snacks will be simplified and served in individual bowls by our volunteers to the table. Toddler drink will be water only. Adults drinks will operate as before.

Tidy Up Time

- To avoid too many people around storage boxes, we ask that you leave the tidy up to the leaders.
- Story time will take place in the back room as before, although we won't sing initially.
- Those without buggy's will be invited to leave first. We ask that you replace your face coverings and leave keeping your distance. I'll stand outside with stickers.

Cleaning

- The church space will have been cleaned in the morning before Toddlers starts. Antibacterial/viral wipes will be available for anyone to use at all times and leaders will remove any toy that needs further cleaning. Door handles etc. will be cleaned during the session. However, we will not be cleaning items of toys or equipment routinely during the session, be aware that others may have played with the toy before your child.

Leaders

- Will take a lateral flow test the night before Toddlers and not attend if the result is positive.
- Will wear face coverings during food preparation, food service and first aid incidents and most of the time during the session unless in conversation if mutually acceptable.
- Will follow all risk assessment requirements and rules of Trinity Methodist Church

Toilets/Changing station

- Should be used by 1 family at a time.



Trinitots News

Autumn Term 1 - 2021

Welcome to Trinitots!

We have missed you so much!

We've worked hard to plan for our new Toddler session, trying to balance the needs of our youngest toddler with our older grown-ups whilst keeping us all as safe as possible.

There are obviously some changes to the way we met before, which we plan to work with until half term when they will be reviewed. Heading into winter, we know things are likely to be unpredictable, so we will all need patience and flexibility.

The finer details of how this will operate are overleaf.

Any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

As you know we generally follow the Leeds school terms, with a couple of minor tweaks, so all the important dates are here, along with more **Trinitots** news!



Thursday 7th October 2021 - Restart **Trinitots**.

This half term we will be thinking about the topic - **Our Bodies**

Thursday 7th October - Our Feet

Thursday 14th October - Our Eyes

Thursday 21st October - Our Hands

Your challenge -

Start thinking of songs that match...

Thursday 28th October - No **Trinitots** today (half term)



Next half Term, we will be thinking about **Music**.

Monday 6th December - will be our last meeting before Christmas.

Some **Trinitots** reminders for next term.

- *Could you please make sure that we have a completed new 2021/2022 **Trinitots** registration form for every child, we hate to miss a birthday (or allergy!) Spare copies are on the signing in table.*
- *Fees remain £1.50 per child, with 50p for a second child with their grown up.*
- *Thanks to the team of volunteers who make this group work so well, we are very grateful!*

Keep up to date with all your **Trinitots** news

on Facebook **Trinitots@Bramley**

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