



## MIX - Changing with the times!

MIX aims to be accessible church for people with additional needs, their families, friends and carers. The restrictions due to the Covid virus mean that it is not possible to hold our monthly MIX gathering on the third Sunday of the month as we usually would. But we do not want this to stop us from spending time being creative in exploring God's word, praying and keeping in touch with one another as far as possible.

Over the last few months, we have been putting together a 'Virtual MIX' video for each month. With kind offers of help and support, we have managed to include some music and Makaton signing with some ideas for 'do at home' crafts and prayers. We have also been sending out a monthly newsletter to all those on our contact list. We are grateful to 'theBarn' Baptist Church, Bidford for including 'Virtual MIX' on their Virtual Service YouTube Channel. You can find our Virtual MIX videos so far by going to the VIDEO options on 'theBarn Bidford Virtual Service' Channel on YouTube and looking out for the MIX logo.



We are aiming to continue with some sort of 'Virtual MIX' for as long as we are unable to meet together in person. We are learning as we go along and so we are currently seeking feedback as to what will be most accessible and helpful in terms of what we are doing and how we are trying to stay connected. Watch this space for details of future developments! Our prayer is that, although we cannot meet together for the time being, we will all know and experience the everlasting love of God through the presence of Jesus in our lives.

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