ST FAITH'S CHRISTIAN AID TEA PARTY

Despite the coronavirus lockdown the St Faith's Christian Aid Tea Party took place on 8th May 2020 but Social Distancing was maintained. The home of every participant was the location with Tea Party Goodies being delivered.

Rosie and Rick Walker did the organising and the production of the Party Bags. These Party Bags consisted of sandwiches, scones with jam and cream, as well as a tea bag. This arrangement enabled everyone to eat together as if they were gathered in the church hall. The logistics for this year's event were a bit more complex than in previous years as the Party Bags had to be assembled individually as can be seen from the photographs below.



















Some photographs of the materials required to assemble the Tea Party Bags

Out On Delivery

Delivery of tea party bags was an essential requirement of the event and that had to be co-ordinated with delivery teams having the correct addresses and maps.



Rick and Rosie delivering Tea Party Bags Photo by Bill Matthews



Tea Party Bags ready for delivery

Party Bag Delivery Teams



Maureen Madden



Denise and Bruce McDougall



Fr. John Reed



Helen Mulholland

Kevin Mulholland

Denise McDougall's Party Bag Delivery Photographs









Sally Noakes

Sue Walsh

Judy Riley

Kari Roberts



Margaret MacDonald



David Jones



Viv & Peter Shillitoe

The Tea Party Hosts

Rick and Rosie Walker





THE CHRISTIAN AID TEA PARTY









Judy Riley

What a wonderful St Faith's spread, even in such difficult times! Grizz the bear was very excited, & couldn't wait to start unpacking the bags as soon as Denise delivered them!

We had perfect weather - it couldn't have been better; except that we had to be physically apart. But in spirit, we have all been together this afternoon, & I am certain we will raise a lot of money for Christian Aid.

Thank you to everyone,



Angie Price

Good afternoon. Hope you are having a lovely day on this special occasion. Rosie has asked that we send you a pic so here it is!!

Take care

Sarah and Angie



Judy Riley

The roses were so beautiful we've stood them by the photo of my parents: they look lovely! Thank you again.



Diane Shepherd

Very much enjoyed and a good way to celebrate 'VE Day'.
Alistair and Diane





Fr. John Reed



Chris & Audrey Dawson



Gillian Edwards
Wonderful afternoon tea.
Thank you to everyone involved.
Gill Edwards



Anne and Norman Edwards
Very enjoyable, thanks very much.

Anne & Norman



Bill & Eileen Matthews
Thank you to Rick, Rosie and all involved in making the VE
Day tea so wonderful. Here's a few photos - don't do justice to just how delicious this was but you can be sure we thoroughly enjoyed it and trust everyone else enjoyed it as much as us.



Bill Dagnall
A lovely afternoon tea. Thank
you all at St. Faith's





Denise and Bruce McDougall





Elaine Fitzgerald
VE Day afternoon tea to
support Christian Aid
Thank You
Rick and Rosie









Maureen Madden
VE Day thanks to the Walkers
Done my delivery and scoffed
the sandwiches!



Suzanne Pierce My lovely afternoon tea.



David JonesMy afternoon tea photo.



Susie and Roger Greenwood Thanks to Rick & Rosie for a delicious tea "all together" on our own.!!







Val Broom

Although we invited Shelagh Mulholland, Margaret Davies and Richard Woodley to join us, we maintained social distancing....Mike measured it out very carefully!. RHS photo going clockwise from the left; Shelagh, Margaret, Mike (Broom) and Richard. Val obviously took the photographs.







Marguerita Derringer

Thank you to all the team at St Faith's who provided my lovely afternoon tea yesterday. It was a lovely thought and much appreciated. We had social distancing tea in the street with our neighbours in Mornington Avenue.

Mary Crook

Alas, I do not have a smart phone to send a "piccie" of the Tea Party, so written [well, typed] words will have to do instead to say what a truly splendid effort on Rick and Rosie's part in providing us all with a "delish" tea. So wonderfully packed, presented, thought out. and delivered [thanks to Kevin and Helen].

Let us hope that Christian Aid will benefit hugely.

Well done to Rick and Rosie for their ingenuity and many thanks.

Joan and Bill Tudhope

Have enjoyed looking at the Afternoon Tea photos and comments. We really did appreciate it. All the best, keep safe. Joan and Bill.

Eunice Little and Irene Taylor

It was a great idea for 8th May afternoon tea. We thoroughly enjoyed it. Great to hear that others did too. Keeping in contact in the strange times is so important, this was an excellent way to do it. Thanks to all concerned.

Eunice and Irene.

Stephanie and Ian Dunning
A huge thank you to everyone involved in planning and setting up the event! Best wishes to all.









Corinne Hedgecock

Here's my table with vintage plates. How do you eat and take a selfie? Corinne.





