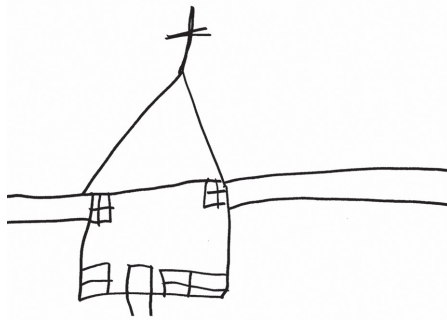


A church belonging form



This is for the person with a learning disability to fill in, with appropriate support from someone who knows them well. It could then go in the person's care plan. Photographs and drawings will both make it more 'user-friendly' and ensure the person themselves 'owns' it. (The form may be downloaded from the Canterbury Press website.)

CHURCH BELONGING

1 My church is called

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Address

.....

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Telephone number

2 It is a church (religious tradition)

3 I have gone to this church since

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4 The service I like to attend normally starts at
and ends at

5 I am / am not baptized.

6 I am / am not confirmed.

7 I take / do not take communion.

When taking communion I like to

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(e.g. only take the bread/dip the host in the wine).

When taking communion I need/I do not need support.

8 The people I know at church are (include their birthday)

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9 The priest / minister / leader is called

10 Another person at my church I can talk to for help and information is

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Telephone number

11 At church I like to do the following

(e.g. light a candle after the service, move around in my wheelchair)

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12 When I am in church I normally sit (describe the place, and who I like to sit next to)

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13 The things I don't like about church are

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14 Areas I need support include the following (e.g. choosing a place to sit, not singing too loudly, finding the toilet, receiving Communion, communicating with people, arranging transport)

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15 For the collection I normally give £

16 I regularly go to these events

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