



# Salisbury Diocese **RURAL HOPE** **Webinar**

Here's an Idea...

*Why?*

- \*To celebrate God's glorious creation and people's creative gifts...
- \*To offer the Church's hospitality...to meet other people...
- \*To invite people to sit awhile, apart in a beautiful space...

*When?*

~ Easter Monday

~ Harvest Festival

~ Flower Festival

Or any other day when your parish church is looking lovely!

**Note : Covid constraints...check Archdeacon/C of E**

*What?*

**An invitation to any (including children) *who would like to draw, paint, take photos - or just sit...in company with others...having coffee and cake and listening to some gentle music...***

*When?*

Mornings are often when people have their best energy so 10a.m. – 12noon works well (but any time that suits the host really!).

*What it takes!*

- > A host or two...the best are parishioners who are artists!
- > Coffee, cake, etc (don't forget children!).
- > If no running water in church then some spare is a good idea.
- > Music
- > Something to put waste paper, pencil shavings, etc. in.

## **Notes (various).**

1. *Advertise widely.*
2. Local Art groups will appreciate a personal invitation.
3. A basket for donations could be around – but subtle...the idea of this event is a *gift* to your community – and to encourage people to see the church as theirs!
4. With any luck you might even get an *exhibition* in church from the art works (when they're finished!).

Any Questions, feel free to contact  
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