Facilities Hire

Tiptree URC is pleased to be able to extend the use of its facilities to the local community

Our premises comprise the church, now 150 years old, and a modern hall and suite of rooms built in 2004

For costs and availability, please contact Beverley Carbonero at beverley.c@btinternet.com or phone 01621 815473 or send a message via the Contacts Page on http://www.tiptreeurc.org/contact-us.html

The Church

The church may be hired for concert, conference or choir at any time except Sunday morning.

Our pipe organ is no longer in use, but an upright piano is available. There is a PA system with a sound desk at the rear, and a digital TV with HDMI computer connection from the sound desk. A loop system for the hard of hearing is installed. There is a large platform at the front of the church with a lectern and table.

The ground floor is carpeted and seats 90; the chairs may be moved into whatever formation is desired. There is access at the front of the church to a small, basic kitchenette for tea and coffee-making, and a small break-out room which seats six.

There is level access into the body of the church, but steps down into the rooms at the front.

The gallery has retained its original tiered pews which will seat approx 120, and is accessed by an original stone staircase to one side and a modern staircase to the other.
The Hall

The hall is a light, airy space with high ceiling, wooden floor, level access throughout and double doors into a fenced garden.

It is suitable for meetings, children's parties, youth organisations and club events and will seat 70 persons audience-style and approx. 20 boardroom-style.

An electronic keyboard is available and there is wi-fi access.

Folding tables in two sizes are available.

There are four toilets nearby, one of which has disability access and is equipped with baby-change facilities.

The Kitchen

There is a large serving hatch between the hall and the adjacent kitchen; use of the kitchen is included in the hall hire charge.

The kitchen is spacious and fully-equipped with a double oven.
The Lounge

The lounge doubles as a church office and meeting room, but may be hired for small group events and meetings. It seats 12 in comfortable armchairs.

The room suffers from overhead noise during the mornings when the playgroup is using our upper room, and there may be children’s parties in the hall at weekends, but is usually quiet in the evenings and on most weekday afternoons.

There is wi-fi access.

Site Layout