

# **Bereavement Services Questionnaire**

Losing a loved one by death is a very painful experience, and that pain can last for weeks, months and years. At All Saints we are aware that there is little formal support for the bereaved in our area, and our 'Come and Chat group' is not reaching those who might benefit.

We want to re-launch this service, which will be for those of all faiths or none, and for those who have been recently bereaved or still aching after many years. We would appreciate your help in finding the best way of designing it. Please fill in this questionnaire by ticking or circling all the options that apply. Feel free to add your own comments if you wish. Deliver the completed form to

Dr Sian Cheverton, 4 Tay Close, Oakham, Rutland LE15 6JR *or* The Parish Office, All Saints Church, Church Rd, Oakham, Rutland LE15 6AA

## **1) Would you use a bereavement support service?**

If you say 'no' then why not?

If you have said 'no', skip to the end of the form to fill in question 6

Please return the form, as even negatives are useful.

## **2) Where would you like this to be?**

Somewhere welcoming in Oakham?

In your own home?

Somewhere else? If so where?

## **3) Would you like the service to be**

One-to-one with experienced and confidential counsellors?

In a group of other bereaved people so you can support each other?

A mixture- in a group but with opportunities to talk one-to-one if you want?

## **4) Would you like there to be opportunities at the meeting for**

Meeting other people?

Having an inexpensive lunch?

Learning a new skill eg using a computer?

Anything else?

## **5) Would you prefer the meetings to be**

Daytime?

Weekdays?

Evening?

Weekends?

**6) Lastly, we would like to know a little bit about you.**

Are you male or female?

Age	0-10	51-60
	11-20	61-70
	21-30	71-80
	31-40	81-90
	41-50	over 91

Do you live alone?

Are you housebound?

How long ago did your loved one die?

7) If you would like us to let you know when the new Bereavement Support Service starts, please put your contact details here. This will not be used for any other purpose and will not be passed on to anyone else.

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Address.....

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Tel.....

Email.....