

Bellringing Report

In last year's report I wondered how many of our ringers would return. We didn't start ringing again on Sundays after lockdown until July last year and Tuesday practices didn't resume at St Andrew's until February 2022 and by that time we had 'lost' 3 of our regular ringers and two learners who had started learning to ring before the pandemic struck.

This means we sometimes struggle to get enough to ring on some Sundays, however we are fighting manfully under Christ's banner to ring whenever we have enough to do so.

Some of our regular band have recently been helping to teach a group of new ringers at Holy Trinity Bengo. That seems very fitting because in 1920 the ringers of Bengo were included in the Hertford College Youths society of bellringers. I am hoping that some of these new ringers might come along to ring at St Andrew's from time to time.

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