Shrewsbury URC Carbon Weight Watchers

Notes on Recycling Reduce

The first thing to say about recycling is that, whilst it is really important, it's quite low down on the waste hierarchy and we should be prioritising reduce/ reuse/repair so that we have less to recycle. However, some degree of recycling will always be needed.

Recycling at Shrewsbury URC:

Information about recycling at church can be found on the Shrewsbury URC website Eco page:

https://www.shrewsburyunitedreformedchurch.com/eco (click the "view" button on each picture for more information about what exactly can be recycled at church).

Alternatively, if you're a member of the church, contact Heather Treweeke or Marion for electronic or hard copies of same. If you're not a member then please contact the office via the website above.

In brief (without the detail) the following can currently be recycled at SURC:

- Biscuit & Cake Wrappers
- Crisp & Nut Packets
- Cheese Wrappers
- Toothpaste Tubes and Packaging
- Personal Care Items

Reuse

Repair

Recycle

Recover

Dispose

These can all be recycled using the wheelie bins outside the office. Please check the detailed list on the website for what is and isn't accepted.

Printer cartridges can also be recycled at the Church Office, but there's no outside box, so either drop through letterbox in an envelope, or call during office hours. **Elsewhere (locally)** you can recycle (in alphabetical order of item):

>	Batteries (including hearing aid batteries - a particular danger to children)	in your streetside collection (place in a clear plastic bag and put out next to your recycling boxes on recycling day) or at any shop or supermarket that sells batteries, often near the tills
>	Brita Water Cartridges	at Sainsbury's
	Cellophane Covers on Packaging	at Co-op stores
>	Coat Hangers	at Asda
>	Pens	at WH Smith's in Shrewsbury
>	Pill Blister Packs	at Superdrug Telford (or any Superdrug store where there is a pharmacy)
>	Plastic Bags	at Sainsbury's
>	Single-Use Face Masks	at Morrison's
>	Tetrapaks	at Battlefield Recycling Centre
>	Water Filters	at Argos, Meole Brace

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