



Important Guidelines in Re-opening for Worship

Opening date: August 2nd (Phase 2)

Worship service times: 8:30am (Classic Service) / 10:15am (Contemporary Service)

Areas worship will take place: Worship Center / Chapel

- Please self-social distance and honor one another.
- These worship areas will be used for both services.
- A pastor will be present in each of the worship areas.
- The main Worship Center will have zones to remember where you sat in the event someone becomes ill.
- No reservations necessary.
- Please exit the building when the service is over so the cleaning team can begin to sanitize.

Childcare:

- The nurseries and the Kid's Faith Factory (infant through 5th grade) will be open for the second service only.
- Masks are welcomed but not required for children and teachers.
- Social distancing and hand sanitizing will be encouraged.
- Please make use of the Kid's Faith Factory entrance for your children.
- Student Ministries will require masks to be worn for all events.

Hanging Out:

- We will no longer make use of the outside corral area.
- Please feel free to socialize outside at will, away from the building entrances.

Safety Precautions:

- **Masks** are required upon entering the building. Please wear them as you walk throughout the building. After finding your seat in your worship area, you may choose to remove the mask while singing or during the message. However, they are always encouraged if possible.
- **Sanitize** regularly at the sanitizer stations throughout the building, and there is always soap in the restrooms.
- **Minimize Contact** whenever possible.
- **Proper Social Distancing** whenever possible. It is not always possible to be 6 feet apart which is why masks are helpful.

***Please** give GREAT grace during this time and RESERVE your judgment of others as many people have different feelings about these precautions. Guard the integrity and honor of one another (Philippians 2:3, "Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves,")

Cleaning Teams:

- Each worship area, restrooms, and common use areas will be sanitized between services so please promptly exit the building in order for these crews to prepare for the next worship service.

The following will not be happening on Sundays:

- Sunday Life Groups
- Program Distribution / Continue to access online along with sermon notes
- Valet Parking
- Water Fountains

Zoned Off Areas:

- Areas are being intentionally zoned off in order to mitigate the spread of germs such as the Café area, Welcome Center lobby seating, Kid’s Faith Factory, and other areas deemed necessary.

Offering & Communion:

- There will be ushers at the end of each worship service so that you may give your offerings and gifts to the Lord.
- Some areas have offering boxes on the wall that you may use.
- Electronic giving remains an ongoing option.
- Disposable communion cups (juice and cracker) will be distributed while entering the worship areas for those who would participate. Please dispose of them upon your exit.

Live Streaming:

- Stay home if you are ill or if you are uncomfortable being around others at this time.
- Each Sunday morning service will be live streamed.

Note:

- We are communicating through the Church Website, Facebook, Mobile App, and Written Emails.
- We will be evaluating our worship gatherings each week and strive to make the necessary adjustments as we go along.
- Please know that we are working to make the best decisions for the most people possible and that some of these parameters are subjective.
- We are grateful and excited for the opportunity to return and worship together—we will do our best for His glory!
- The church is resuming normal operating hours. However, please consult the pastors overseeing those ministries for guidance before scheduling.

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