

## **Phase 3: Plan to return to indoor Worship Celebrations:**



This is a “living document” that will change as more information becomes available and/or conditions change.

- Church doors will open 30 minutes prior to the Worship Celebration. They will be propped open to minimize touching the surface of the doors.
- Sanitizing Stations will be placed at each entry/exit point and all guests will be encouraged to sanitize their hands coming and going.
- Tithes and offering plates will not be passed around. They will instead be located in the back of the church. You may also use our online giving platform, Tithely, which is a safe and secure way to give. You can access Tithely directly from our website.
- Ushers will seat guests as they enter, seating people every other pew, beginning from the front of the sanctuary until we are at capacity. Once full, people will be seated in the overflow section in Wesley Fellowship Hall.
- Guests in Wesley Hall will participate in worship via our online platform by watching on the big television.
- Masks are required for the duration of the Worship Celebration. Those who choose not to wear a mask, regardless of reason, may participate in worship from Wesley Hall.
- The praise team will remain on the platform for the duration of the Worship Celebration. Singers, musicians, and speakers are not required to wear masks while they are performing as they are 15 feet away from anyone in the congregation. Once seated, they must wear a mask.
- When the Worship Celebration is over, ushers will release people from the back to the front, one pew at a time, to head to their car.
- We will bring back the Children’s Moment and corporate prayer time.
- Communion will be served using pre-packaged elements.
- We will continue to offer the online and radio experiences.
- No temperature checks will be done for the Worship Celebration. Please self-assess at home. If you are showing signs or symptoms, have a fever of 100.4 or higher, or are just not feeling well, please worship with us online.
- If you are at high risk or are caring for someone who is at high risk, we ask that you worship with us online.

### **Phase 3: Plans to reopen the Nursery:**



- Nursery is for children 4 years and younger only.
- Max capacity is 5 children and 2 adults.
- Nursery will open 15 minutes prior to worship beginning.
- Parents must sign their child in each week so that we maintain accurate attendance records.
- Parents will take a pager with them in case of an emergency. Please return your pager when you pick-up your child.
- Temperature checks will be done on every child entering the nursery. If 100.4 or more, or if a child is showing any signs or symptoms they will not be permitted in the nursery. Please self-assess prior to coming to church.

#### **Our Nursery Volunteers will:**

- Wear masks
- Clean and sanitize all shared toys periodically through the service and the entire nursery will be sanitized immediately following each Worship Celebration.

### **Phase 3: Plans to return to Small Groups & Sunday School classes:**

- All Sunday School classes for children in Pre-Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade will not meet in-person. Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday School lessons are available every 2 weeks online by visiting our website. Grades 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday School classes will be coming soon.
- The following Sunday School classes and Bible Studies will not meet in-person and are postponed for now: Upper Room (led by Mark and Linda Smith); Parenting Thru God's Word (Young Adult Bible Study led by Al Shomaker); Simmons Bible Study; Women's Bible Study; and Lectio Divina Bible Study.
- Mark McDaniel's Sunday School class will resume using Wesley Hall instead of their normal classroom. They will meet at 8:30 a.m. They will practice social distancing guidelines, wear masks, and sanitize their space. This class will end at 9:30 a.m.
- Altered Youth Ministry will continue to meet at the parsonage with the schedule that was laid out earlier. We will continue to practice social distancing guidelines, wear masks when indoors, and sanitize at all events.