

Church Updates

This is to announce that worship services will resume on Sunday, May 31, 2020 in compliance with the State of Rhode guidelines; 25% of our congregation will be in attendance for each service due to COVID-19. We will therefore have our 8am and 11am worship services and at the same time ensuring safety measures to prevent the spreading of the COVID-19 virus: We will observe the following and ask for your kind cooperation:

- ♦ **Social Distancing - maintaining 6 ft. distancing during worship service**
- ♦ **Disinfecting - between services**
- ♦ **Wearing a Mask during Worship service**

(Note: there may be Exceptions for persons not wearing mask i.e. persons with breathing problems, Developmental Disabilities or other Health concerns)

Safety Precautions:

***We ask that you stay home if you are feeling sick.**

***We encourage our senior members and those who have underlying health challenges to continue worshipping with us via Facebook Live**

Streaming and Recorded Worship service which will continue.

While worshipping with us, please adhere to the following guidelines:

***Church capacity of 25 % which equals 150 people (first come basis)**

***Mask must be on**

***Prior to entering the sanctuary -Wellness check / screening by Nurse**

***Seating by the Ushers (there will be no choice seating, all family members from the same household are required to sit together)**

***Same direction of movement marked on the floor, primarily follow the direction of the Usher**

***There will no physical contact when greeting each other**

***The church will be disinfected between 8 and 11 am Worship Service**

*** There will be no Church School or Devotion**

***There will be one entrance into the church, and one exit after service concludes (those persons needing to use the handicap entrance may do so.)**

***There will be no access to Isom Hall/ No Fellowship following worship service.**

(Exception: Pastor, Ministerial staff, Deacons, members assisting in the order of service performing duties to support the Worship Service)

***After Benediction- Will be dismissed from the sanctuary from back to front**

***Please adhere to postings (safety reminders). Hand sanitizers are available and we encourage frequent hand sanitizing.**

We look forward to welcoming you back and keeping everyone safe!

Yours in Christ,

Bonita Hogan, Chairperson, Trustee Ministry