

## Church Reopening Plan



### WORSHIP SERVICES

**Foster Chapel will reopen Sunday, June 21, 2020.**

- We will resume both the 8:00 am and 10:45 am worship services.
- We will continue offering an online worship option via YouTube and Facebook. *(10:45 am service only)*

### ENSURING A CLEAN AND SAFE ENVIRONMENT

To ensure a clean and safe church environment, we will follow our normal order of service with the following recommendations outlined by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC):

- All areas of the church will be cleaned with a sanitizing fog before and after each worship service or gathering.
- Sanitizing stations will be setup at all main entrances and will be located in all areas throughout the church.
- Per CDC recommendations, all members and guests will be asked to use the church's main entrance to enter the building and use alternate doors to exit. All doors will be clearly marked. *(All members with key access will be asked to follow the same entry and exit guidelines.)*
- All members and guests will be asked to wear a face mask and to get their temperature checked before entering the building.
- A limited supply of face masks will be available to those individuals who don't have access.
- Certified health professionals will be located at the main entrance to take temperatures with a touchless thermometer.



### CHOIRS AND PRAISE TEAMS

To limit excessive inhaling and exhaling through singing, we will limit the number of members participating in choirs and on praise teams.

- A limited number of choir members will be asked to participate in rotations, until full choirs are reintroduced to worship services.
- Choirs members will also be asked to space themselves accordingly for social distancing.

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH AND NURSERY

We realize the social distancing and cleaning concerns related to interacting with children and babies. We are reviewing safe solutions to resume these services.

- No Children's Church or Nursery services will be offered until further notice.



### MEETING AND STUDY GROUPS

All meeting and study groups *(e.g., Prayer, Sunday School, Bible Study)* will continue meeting via Zoom to help maintain a clean and safe church environment. Group leaders are encouraged to facilitate creative opportunities to stay connected with their members with respect to social distancing.

- No classroom access will be allowed until further notice.

### ANEMITIES: FELLOWSHIP HALL AND PLAYGROUND

We are withholding access to the Fellowship Hall and Playground areas to help maintain a clean and safe church environment. We will continue to review the safest options for resuming access to the Fellowship Hall and Playground areas.

- No meals will be served at the church until further notice.
- No children will be allowed to utilize the playground area until further notice.



### HOW YOU CAN HELP?

- Exercise patience and understanding. This is a new process for everyone.
- Stay at home if you feel sick. *(We are encouraging those who are considerate most vulnerable to continue worshipping online.)*
- Take advantage of all virtual options to worship, meet, and give if you are uncomfortable with attending church during this time.
- Make the best-informed decision for which worship service *(8:00 am or 10:45 am)* that you will attend.
- Sit with members of your family, when possible.
- Ushers and volunteers will guide, direct, and assist members and visitors with social distancing practices.
- Please immediately dismiss yourself from the building after your worship service so that all areas of the church can be sanitized. *(Congregating will be discouraged.)*