



WACOC FACILITY / WORSHIP SERVICE COVID PROTOCOLS

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The Eldership would like to express our appreciation for everyone's patience and their prayers during this difficult virus pandemic. If the virus resurges in our community, please understand that further guidelines and possibly public gathering restrictions may go back into place. We ask that you take personal responsibility in following these guidelines.

FACILITY PROTOCOLS FOR NON-WORSHIP AND WORSHIP ACTIVITIES:

- **If you have any Covid symptoms or other illnesses, we encourage you not to come to the building.**
- Individuals or groups can use the building during non-service times. We ask that you inform the office that you are in the building. For group events, please fill out and submit the *Use of Church's Facilities Request Form* (available at wacoc.org / members area / forms) to the office.
- Members and visitors have the option to choose to mask and social distance or not while at the church's facility.
- **Auditorium Seating:** Sections of the Auditorium where there are no blue tape seat markers are designated as non-social distancing areas. Sections (indicated by the blue tape seat markers on the backs & ends of the pew) are available for anyone who wishes to continue practicing social distancing.
- Those with facility reservations are asked to limit their use of the building to the areas requested in their specific reservation.
- We ask that you not drink from the water fountains.

WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE (Worship Services Livestreamed at wacoc.org):

Sunday -- *Bible Class 9:30 a.m. (For Adults & Children - Resumes June 6, 2021)

**Notice: If you desire for your child to practice social distancing and wear a mask, let your child's teacher know.*

Nursery – Toddlers – 2 Year Olds – Rooms 102, 103, 104, 106

Grades 1-2 – Multipurpose Room (South side)

Grades 3-5 – Multipurpose Room (North side)

Teens – Activity Center

Adults – Auditorium

Morning Worship 10:25 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday – *Bible Class 6:00 p.m. (Auditorium Class Livestreamed through 6/23/21)

SHOULD I ATTEND SERVICES AT THE BUILDING?

- If you have any current Covid symptoms or other illnesses, we encourage you to remain home and to worship on livestream.
- If you are over 65 years old, we recommend you continue to assess your own health risk as you make the decision to come or not to come.
- If you have an underlying health issue, or if you have someone in your home that has an underlying health issue; we encourage you to be wise in your personal decision of returning to worship or continuing with livestream.



ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR WORSHIP ATTENDERS:

- We will use only the glass doors to the main lobby to enter and exit the church building.
- As you enter the Auditorium, ushers will point out which areas of the auditorium are designated for continued social distancing (designated by blue seat markers on the backs & ends of the pews).
- We will not pass the communion or contribution trays. Pre-packaged communion kits will be available when you enter the foyer or you can bring your own communion if you prefer.
- A contribution box will be at the entrance of the auditorium in which you can place your contribution. Online contribution is available.
- We will use only the projection screens for singing and no attendance cards will be used.
- The Nursery will be available to parents; however, we ask parents to take care of the needs of their children and return to services. There will not be attendants in the nursery. The Nursing Mother's Room will not be available.
- At dismissal, the sections of the Auditorium designated for social distancing will be dismissed first. The remainder of the sections will be released after people in social distancing sections have exited the Auditorium.

-The Elders