



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

September 1, 2020

In order to care for best for one another – Trinity’s Covid - Task Force includes these policies as we set to open the building. Remember, to meet on site is convenient, but not always necessary. We encourage you, if able, to please meet digitally or off site with a Trinity group. However, if church building use is required, we ask you to follow these mandatory practices.

Building Use

- 1 Room on Eastside (Rm 2) will be available for use by St. Paul’s and Mary of Magdala. The room will be limited to 2 meetings per day (morning/afternoon).
- 1 Room on Westside (Fireside or Sunroom) will be available for use by Trinity. The room will be limited to 2 meetings per day (morning/afternoon).
- There will be no outside elective groups including recitals and concerts through end of year.
- There will be no ministry support outside groups (AA, NA, etc.) until further notice.
- Exit in and out of building through exterior door if possible.
- Masks worn at all times, 6ft, hand sanitizer, etc
- No singing in groups (refer to following recording procedures below)
- No food
- 10 or less people – or 50% occupancy, whichever is less
- 3 people maximum in Trinity office spaces
- Limit traffic across the building, especially with St. Paul’s and Mary of Magdala with the Preschool
 - o During Preschool hours, the South Door is designated for Preschool

Bathrooms

- Bathroom and Drinking Fountains WILL BE accessible
- Gender Neutral bathroom on the Westside and Eastside for time being.
- Far east (children’s preschool bathroom), is available during non-preschool hours
- Family Bathroom (next to Bell Choir Room) is not accessible.
- One person in bathroom – at a time, unless it is a family group.
- One Step Spray Disinfectant will be in each bathroom, as it is cleaned after each use. (Signs Provided)

Cleaning

- Groups are required to clean space after use, including wiping down surfaces, door handles, chairs, etc.
- Regular cleaning crew will be in on M, W, F for deeper cleaning
- One Step Spray Disinfectant will be in each room

*Notification to Trinity Lutheran Church is required if there is a positive case for anyone who has met in your group.

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Music Protocol for Recording with Masks

Solo Speaker - no mask

Solo Piano/Organ - no mask

Piano with solo vocalist - Pianist masked, Vocalist no-mask and 20+ feet away from pianist

Piano with multiple vocalists – Separate mics, spread across sanctuary 15 ft apart, with masks.

Piano with non-wind instrument - both masked and at least 6 feet apart (preferably more)

Piano with wind instrument - Pianist masked, Instrumentalist not masked and 20+ feet away from pianist

Clean Mics and other shared Equipment with UV light (provided)

*Bells as Non-Wind instruments will be limited to 8 participants

*Recording Technician - Always masked and distanced when not actively recording

Outdoor Worship Guidelines

- No access to the building by attendees
- Fewer than 50 worship participants – including worship leaders
- Condensed worship time – 45 minutes or less
- Instrumental music only – no congregational singing
- No Holy Communion
- Physical distance of 6 feet between chairs
- Masks must be worn at all times
- No coffee/food
- Fellowship and Community are Encouraged!

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