

First Baptist Church-Church of the Brethren COVID- 19 Mitigation Plan

We are committed to the health and safety of all who enter this building. As we begin in-person worship services, we will take the following precautions to protect people.

- For right now, Sunday mornings will be reserved for worship only, and the hallway and sanctuary will be the only areas of the church used on that day.
- Temperatures will be taken for all who enter, and anyone with a temperature over 100 will be directed back home to participate in worship remotely.
- Hand sanitizer will be available to all who enter the building and also in the sanctuary.
- For the health and safety of those around you, please wear a mask. A mask will be provided for those who do not have one. Please wear a mask if you choose to sing.
- Families will sit together, but will sit 6 feet apart from other families. Over fill will be encouraged to sit in the Fellowship Hall.
- Worship may look a little different too. Information will be on the screens and music may be different for a while.
- One person will be allowed in the restroom at a time. Please use the provided disinfectant wipes to wipe down the toilet and handles. Please discard used wipes in the trash can. Please try to use the restroom at home beforehand.
- Pews will be taped off to ensure adequate distancing. Please **do not sit** on pews marked with a **Blue X**.
- Offering plates will not be passed, but will remain stationary in the back, so that people can drop off their offering.
- Ushers will release rows following worship to ensure proper distancing.
- Regular cleaning and disinfecting will continue to occur.

Please, follow CDC guidelines and stay home if you don't feel well, wash your hands, and limit close contact with others.

The way things are in week one back together will probably be different than week two. We will adapt as we go, so bringing a compassionate and understanding spirit will help us all come into the presence of God joyfully.