

## Proposal for In-person Worship Options

### SUNDAYS

Possibly begin in-person worship August 9 or August 16 (August 16 more likely date).

Precautions:

- Reduced capacity (require preregistration)
- Face coverings
- Physical distancing
- Hand sanitizer
- No fellowship time/food
- No congregational singing/sharing of the peace
- No bulletins – everything on screens
- Because of possible virus transmission due to HVAC system, we could keep AC on until the service starts, then turn on outside air for proper ventilation.
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**Live radio broadcast at 8:30.** Traditional service. Sandra will video record service on iPad. Kids' Time will be prerecorded—can play video during this service, or leave out at 8:30 and add to 10:45 video (see 10:45 online info below).

NEED: ushers (**with extra training**), Power Point operator (no bulletins, only PP), sound person, organ/piano, could have lectors. Art could do all sanitizing on Monday.

Could have Communion (every other week?). People could pick up prepackaged elements as they came into sanctuary. Could remain in pews for Communion or do it at very end of the service as family groups are ushered out of sanctuary. If some are not comfortable coming into the building, they could also listen over radio in cars in parking lot, and I could bring Communion to them outside after service ends.

**Online option ready by 10:45 on Sunday mornings.** 8:30 service will be recorded on iPad. For online option to go live at 10:45 (can still do Facebook Premier), we will use video recording of 8:30 service and have pre-recorded Praise Band songs and slides to replace all or some of 8:30 music (Sandra will get the video ready immediately after 8:30 service has ended). This would give us a blended or contemporary service.

Also record temple talks for Zion groups to be played during worship to highlight Zion ministries. These videos can be added to online worship.



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## **WEDNESDAY COMMUNION SERVICES**

Twice a month, Wednesday evenings from 5:00-7:00 (might need to adjust time if there's Confirmation on Wednesday evenings). NEED: altar guild person to set up Communion, greeter, and someone to wipe down front pew if anyone was sitting there.

- People could enter through one door and exit through another (e.g. enter through east door and exit through northeast door by kitchen). If there appears to be a line of people, wait a bit before going into the church, appropriately distanced from others.
- A greeter will welcome them in (individual or family group) and ask them to put a face mask on. (Bring your own or one will be provided at the door.) Mask stays except for taking Communion.
- We will allow a couple or few households at a time into the sanctuary. They can pick up prepackaged elements at the back of the sanctuary. They could sit in the front pews (we'll work on adequate spacing between groups). We'll share in a brief prayer of confession, share the Lord's Supper, and share in a blessing.
- Depart out of the sanctuary through the door on the north side of the sanctuary and depart the building out of the designated exit door to make way for the next group. It will take about 5 minutes per group.
- Anyone who has felt under the weather or not wanting to take the risk of coming into the building should not feel compelled to come. It's OK to continue to feast on the Word.
- The greeter could help with recording names for contact tracing record-keeping.