

RETURNING TO IN-PERSON WORSHIP



What to Know for Returning to Worship

- 1) Abide by the Covenant - We ask that all attending comply by Ascension's in-person ministry participation covenant. (See below)
- 2) We have two services, 8:00 & 10:30 am, with a limit of 50 worshippers per service for now.
- 3) You will need to sign up to attend worship each week. Sign-ups begin on Tuesdays for the coming Sunday and close when our limit is reached. For help call the church office.
- 4) Enter at door #1, the eastside door with the canopy, the only door being used. Please arrive no earlier than 20 minutes before the service.
- 5) Parts of the building will be closed off. Keep all personal items with you, including coats. No nursery or coffee will be provided at this time.
- 6) Please keep a minimum of a 6ft distance between household groups. Limit ongoing conversations with others to outside the building.
- 7) Seating in the pews will be ushered. After the service, we will be dismissed by rows.
- 8) The 10:30 worship service will be live streamed each Sunday.

In-Person Ministry Participation Covenant Key Practices

I agree not to come to the church property and attend Ascension in-person ministry event:

- *If I am sick and/or have symptoms of Covid-19*
- *If I am awaiting results of a Covid-19 test*
- *If I believe I have been exposed to someone with Covid-19 (or its symptoms)*

While participating in Ascension in-person ministry events, I agree that I will:

- *Follow all directions and guidelines set forth by Ascension Lutheran Church and the leader(s) of the event(s) which I am attending.*
- *Wear a mask or face covering properly over both mouth and nose when with others outside on church grounds and at all times inside the Church. (As per our Health Advisory group, the masking requirement includes children over the age of 2.)*
- *Maintain social distancing guidelines of at least six feet with others who are not in my household and avoid physical contact (hugs, handshakes, etc.)*
- *Sanitize my hands at the sanitizing station upon entry to the Church*
- *Allow the record of my attendance to be kept for the purposes of communication should there be a need for contact tracing.*

I understand that the information in this document is subject to change and does not include all details related to the event I am attending.

If you have questions or need assistance, contact the church office Monday through Friday from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. We will not be available to return your call or e-mail after 2:00 p.m. on Friday until Monday morning.