

COVID-19 Response

Hope Lutheran Church will attempt to take proactive preventative measures to ensure safety and cleanliness. We acknowledge that risk of exposure is possible and may result in temporary dismissal or omission from ministry events. All public activities, including participation here at Hope Lutheran Church, remain at your own risk.

Health & Safety Protocols:

- We recognize that physical distancing between students is often difficult. Our primary goal is safety, but we also strive to provide a welcoming, caring, Christ-centered environment for our children/students. We assessed our new large group programming structure and opted for the classroom learning structure for the time being, as to minimize physical contact in large groups.
- In conjunction with the overall policy of Hope Lutheran Church, Hope Lutheran Kids requires the use of face coverings for children ages 5 and older. We will not question if you feel that you or your child has a health condition that makes it difficult for them to wear a mask.
- A healthy child/student does not display any of the following symptoms:
 - Fever
 - Cough
 - Shortness of breath
 - Sore throat
 - Runny nose
 - Nasal congestion
 - Headache
 - General feeling of unwell
 - Unexplained rashes
 - Vomiting or diarrhea currently or within the last 24 hours
 - Skin or eye infections
 - Chicken pox, mumps, measles, etc. (continued)

If a child/student currently has any of the above symptoms: Please do not bring your child/student to the ministry event.

For the protection of all children/students, staff, and leaders in our ministries, we would ask that you please adhere to these guidelines when considering if you should bring your child/student to events (children's ministry, student ministry, or otherwise).