

# OSL is reopened. Praise God.

On Wednesday, May 26 the OSL Church Council provided the following information as we immediately reopen in many areas:

## Worship

All **pews** are fair game in worship and other activities

The **hymnals** are back, but the bulletins and projection screens are not going away.

We will still gather the **offering** at the door to the sanctuary.

The intimate experience of “**Passing the Peace**” is still on hold.

We will “fleece your pocketbooks” with the **Noisy Offering** on the third week of each month. Be prepared to fill the cans with change, paper money, checks, etc.

**Coffee Fellowship** will still be a great part of the OSL experience before and after the Sunday morning worship service.

**Bulletins** can again be found on the tables as you enter the sanctuary.

They will no longer be waiting for you in the pew.

**Holy Communion celebrations** are again with bread wafers handed to you and wine offered to you.

## Other Activities

We can again gather in the **Fellowship Hall** without keeping 6 or 3 feet apart at the tables.

**Food** can again be a part of fellowship.

## Cautions

You are more than welcome to continue to wear a mask and social distance. We encourage those not vaccinated because of eligibility or medical reasons to adorn the cloth covering. We love to sing God’s praises early and often. If you prefer to keep your mask during songs due to germ spread, not because of sour notes, that’s encouraged also.

*Thank you to the good people of OSL for enduring this pandemic and for looking out for each other and for the vulnerable. The restrictions were wide and affected everyone.*

*But God is still in control and didn’t leave us alone in our fear. We pray that those who contacted COVID-19 and other diseases could feel the presence of God in their medical issues.*

*Pastor Celeste Waymire*

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