

Hi Friends!

As we are moving forward towards re-opening our facilities for use, there are a couple of ways that you can help us continue on the right path. A) We would like to have a group of people willing to serve as “Hosts” for Limited Occupancy Worship Service. We need several people willing to greet people as they come in the building, hand out masks to anyone who needs one, point people in the right direction and just help people navigate the worship service and protocols we have in place easily. If you would like to be a worship service “Host”, please give us a call at the Church (509 582-2163) and let us know.

B) Do you see yourself as computer savvy? Have you ever hosted a Zoom meeting? or posted a video to Facebook, TikTok or Instagram? Moving forward our live virtual worship services are going to continue to be an important part of our worship life together. Would you like to operate a camera, help us maintain our live stream or help with projecting the service in various locations? Even if you have never done this kind of activity, we can show you how (it is not nearly as difficult as it seems) Whether you are young or old this may be the perfect place for you to help our church move into the future. If you would like to help with the Audio/Visual Team at church, give us a call and let us know!

Sunday Worship

Just a reminder that we will be having limited attendance for in-person worship at the church this Sunday. Because we are having to limit our capacity, we will need to reserve our spots in one of the three areas by going to <https://rsvp.church/r/yYVuCLI4> and signing up on the list of events posted there.

Things to Know for Sunday Worship

Here are some things you will need to be aware of to get ready for Church on Sunday: First, if you are running a fever or are showing symptoms of illness, please refrain from putting others at risk and join us on our live stream broadcast at <https://www.youtube.com/PiratesoftheColumbia> and participate from home. We will also be following strict protocols around Time, Distance, and Shielding during our gatherings... That means that we will be wearing masks while inside the building, keeping a 6’ distance between households seated together (roughly 2 arm lengths), encouraging you not to sing along with our worship team but worship in

our hearing and reading these wonderful songs, and not linger in the building after the service concludes.

Here are some logistical things to be aware of for Sunday: If you have reserved your spot in the Sanctuary, we ask that you enter and exit through the main entrance under the car port at the South side of the building and not wander through the building. There is a hand sanitizing kiosk as you enter the Sanctuary that we ask you use as you enter.

If you have reserved a spot in Ida Payne, we ask that you enter the building in the “old main entrance” off of Dayton Street, and again, we ask that you not wander through the building, but please use the sanitizer at that entrance as you enter the building.

If you have reserved a spot in the Youth Chapel, we ask that you enter the building on the Kennewick Avenue entrance (Be aware that there are stairs you will need to navigate to get to the Chapel downstairs, so if accessibility and mobility are issues for you, keep that in mind) and as with the other locations we ask that you refrain from wandering through the building and please use the sanitizer station as you enter the chapel.

Reserve your spots for limited in-person worship for the month of April

Sign-ups are posted for the entire months worship services at <https://rsvp.church/r/yYVuCLI4> so feel free to reserve spots for the month ahead, or plan on joining us virtually through the live stream on YouTube.

See you Sunday,

Pastor Mark