

1. **We invite everyone back to worship at 9:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.,** but we are hopeful that you will use good judgment and NOT attend in person if you are one of the persons who is “high risk”. If for any reason you are not comfortable at this time, please continue to watch on-line.
  - a. Everyone is welcome at the 9:30 service.
  - b. If needed, additional chairs will be set up in the social hall to allow us to maintain social distancing with a bit less than half our regular attendance.
  - c. Live streaming of services will continue at 9:30 a.m. on [immanuelchurch.churchonline.com](http://immanuelchurch.churchonline.com).
2. People are asked to enter no more than 15 minutes before the service and proceed directly to their seats. ~~We will fill the sanctuary from the front to the back.~~ Please make use of each of the designated spaces. Bulletins will be placed in the seats. Please do not handle or move the hymnbooks and bibles as they are marking space that is to be left vacant. **Please do not linger in the social hall or anywhere outside the sanctuary and extended seating area before the service.**
3. ~~We will exit the sanctuary from the back to the front.~~ People are asked to exit the sanctuary and parking lot immediately at the end of the service. All who are not participating in leading the next service will be expected to be off the premises within ten minutes of the conclusion of the service. **Please maintain social distancing while exiting the sanctuary. Please do not congregate in traffic areas so that all who would like to depart immediately may do so without crowding. Fellowship will be allowed after worship outdoors and in large spaces. Please maintain appropriate distancing. No refreshments will be served.**
4. Those attending are asked to maintain a distance of at least six feet from other families. Every other pew will be empty. If necessary, we will set up more chairs in the social hall to accommodate **all in attendance.**
5. Please refrain from any shaking of hands or other physical contact with anyone who does not live in your home while on church property. Mutual greeting will be carried out by waves and smiles.
6. We will NOT be passing the offering plates but will receive offerings at the door. ACH and online giving are still welcome.
7. There will be no children and worship, or Sunday School. **Nursery will be open and staffed by volunteers from the families that use it.**
8. Children are asked to remain in their seats during the children’s message.
9. We will not be having communion in June.
10. Facemasks are welcome but not required.
11. Seating spaces will be sanitized between services. Restrooms, door handles, and mailboxes will not. Where and when feasible, doors will be propped open **or opened by volunteers.**
12. We will have plenty of hand sanitizer available. All are asked to make use of it as you enter the sanctuary.
13. If someone is sick, or even slightly feverish we ask them NOT TO ATTEND.
14. As difficult and distressing as these restrictions may be, please adhere to them strictly or we will have to revert to our previous guidelines.
15. These guidelines will remain in place until revised by council or until the governor of Iowa removes restrictions on mass gatherings.