

FAQs for VCNP Reopening

When will VC reopen for in person services?

- We are planning and preparing to reopen our campus for in person services on the weekend of August 22-23.
- Services will happen during our regular service times
 - Saturday at 5:00 PM
 - Sunday at 9:15 AM
 - Sunday at 11:00 AM

Will online services still be available?

- We will continue to livestream services for anyone and everyone who does not want to join us on campus yet, at all of our usual service times: Saturday at 5 PM and Sunday at 9:15 & 11 AM.
- We strongly encourage anyone who has higher risk factors as it relates to COVID-19, including older members of our church family and people with underlying health conditions, to continue to join us online.

What kind of changes can I expect from what we usually do on weekend services?

- We will have social distancing measures in place in order to keep people 6 feet apart by asking each family group to keep 2 empty seats between them and the next family group.
- Every other row will be taped off in the auditorium.
- We will no longer pass offering bags, nor will we receive communion together, at least initially. We will also not be serving any food or beverages on campus.
- We will not be handing out a bulletin or sermon notes. You can find those items on our website.

How long will these changes be in effect?

- Expect these changes to continue until there is an appropriately reduced health hazard.
- Please check our website for continued updates regarding any changes to our in person services.

Do I need a face mask?

- When we start meeting again on our campus, all of our Staff and Volunteers will be required to wear a face mask.
- We will also be requiring all attendees to wear a face mask for the entire service, including worship.
- There will be some face masks available for those who need one.
- Children who are 5 years old or younger will not be required to wear a face mask.

What precautions is VCNP taking?

- Frequently touched surfaces (door handles, countertops, faucet/toilet handles) will be sanitized prior, during, and after services.
- Hand sanitizer, masks, and facial tissues will be placed throughout high traffic areas.
- Offering bags will no longer be used. Tithes and offerings can be given online, via text, mailed in, or dropped in our new offering boxes.
- Communion will not be offered initially when we reopen.
- Food or beverages on campus will not be served initially when we reopen.

How will we be seated in the Main Auditorium?

- Social distancing guidelines must be met when sitting.
 - Please keep at least 2 empty seats between family groups.
- Ushers will be available to help you find a seat, if needed.

Can I receive prayer at the end of the service?

- Yes! We would be happy to pray for you.
- In person Ministry Time will be unavailable in our first phase of reopening.
- You will be able to request prayer from a member of our Ministry Team by texting "prayer" to (623) 888-8180.

How will we exit the Main Auditorium?

- Please maintain social distancing guidelines when exiting.
- In addition to the three exits at the rear of the auditorium, the side exits will remain open after service for exiting.

When will the Children's and Youth Ministries start meeting in person?

- Our Children's Ministry and Youth Ministry will not be resuming on August 22-23 as we want to give people 1 week to readjust to coming back to church.
 - However, the next weekend - - August 29-30 - - we will begin having both Children's Ministry and Youth Ministry!
- In addition, we'll be continuing our weekly online children's resources that you can find on our website. However, our Youth Services will not continue to be livestreamed on Wednesdays at 7:00 PM. The last youth livestream will be August 26th.