

Guide for returning to church – June 7

We are very excited to reopen our church building again soon. As we make plans, we are mindful of the joy that comes as we are able to gather together in-person. (And with newfound gratefulness for what we may have taken for granted in the past!) Yet we are also aware of the greater joy produced by God's Spirit in us, as He binds us together and creates unity. He does this regardless of our physical location. Let's be encouraged to lean into the Holy Spirit in these coming days and weeks, as changes and circumstances continue to unfold.

Practically speaking, this is a "new normal" for all of us. We ask you to please bear with us as we work to provide a safe environment for all, as we monitor and comply with guidelines from our governing officials, as well as pray and seek God each step of the way. Let's each continue to be very considerate of those around us!

- The sanctuary and all frequently touched places will be sanitized between services.
- Arrival time - Please remain in your car until the building opens (9:15 for the 9:30am service and 10:45 for the 11:00am service). At those times, greeters will prop open the doors and smile and wave so you know you can enter!
- Entrance and exit - Please enter via the lower entrance only and please exit via the upstairs entrance only. (Drop-offs as needed are still fine at the upstairs level.)
- You will need to bring a mask to enter, and we'll have a limited stock at church for those who forget. Due to the governor's order, we are choosing to comply (ages 10+). Staff and those serving will be wearing masks.
- To practice social distancing, we need to keep 3 seats between each family unit and skip every other row. The balcony is for overflow and will follow these same arrangements. Please help us and be considerate and flexible.
- We encourage you to maintain good social distance, practice good hygiene by using your elbow to cover your cough, do not touch your face, and wash your hands frequently.
- Use the restroom before you get here! Please try not to get up during the service. Help us limit movement and having to scoot out of your row past other people.
- Please keep your children with you, again to minimize movement.
- At the end of the service, we'll dismiss by row for you to fellowship outside so we can disinfect the sanctuary and all frequently touched places.
- At this time, we are able to resume in-person 9:30 and 11:00am services only. There will be no childcare provided or other small groups at the church at this time.
- If you are 65 or above, have an underlying health condition, are sick, or do not feel comfortable attending in person, please do not feel pressure to come. We encourage you to join us online—the services will be livestreamed at 9:30 or 11:00am at brbible.org!

Planning to come? [We need you to RSVP, click here.](#) By midnight Wed/Jun 3 will help the staff! (We must have an RSVP due to reduced seating. Thank you for bearing with us in this! We will adjust weekly as we learn.)

And if you are able to volunteer to help on our "wipe-down" team, please email us at office@brbible.org.