

## Guide to BRBC church services

[Able to come? We need you to RSVP weekly at \[brbible.org\]\(http://brbible.org\).](#) (We continue to need an RSVP for planning purposes. Thank you!) Or join the livestream during the indoor service at [brbible.org](http://brbible.org).

### **What to know about the outdoor service (in October - 11:00am):**

- Bring a chair or blanket, as well as anything else you may need for the hour
- Bottled water will be available
- Distancing will be observed. Please allow a minimum of 6ft as you set up your chairs by your fellow BRBCers! Look for yellow tape markers on the asphalt to indicate approximate distanced seating. Please continue being overly kind and considerate toward others in this!
- Masks may be worn per individual comfort but are not required.
- We have identified a seating area in the parking lot that is generally shaded at this time.
- If it rains or there is other inclement weather, this service will be moved indoors. We will post by 8am at [brbible.org](http://brbible.org) if this is the case.
- Bring your children! We mean it when we say we would rather have you here than have a completely quiet and kid-free service. For those with children, we are hoping an outdoor service allows you in an incremental way to feel greater comfort in returning. (Stay tuned for additional ways we are planning to engage 5- to 10-year olds in the service soon.)
- We're approaching this outdoor service as one of multiple solutions to help our church re-gather. Help us out! For those who are uncomfortable, please attend indoors.
- Remember this is not your only option. We have an indoor service as well. Masks are worn for the duration of this service. Help us out! For those who are uncomfortable, please attend outdoors.

### **What we are continuing to do for the indoor service (in October - 9:00am):**

- The sanctuary and all frequently touched places are sanitized prior to the service.
- Arrival time - Please remain in your car until the building opens (15 min prior to the 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.
- Children are welcome! Families, feel free to bring what you need to make the time manageable for your kids.
- At the end of the service, we'll dismiss by row for you to fellowship outside; please be sure to move past the doors and exit area so that others who exit can continue to social distance.

### Things to know for either service:

- 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! They are available to use; we are simply trying to limit movement. Please try not to get up during the service.
- Please keep your children with you. There is no childcare at this time.
- For those whose age or health prevents you from gathering at this time, or if you are sick, please attend the livestream. At this time, livestream will be temporarily available at 11:00am only at [brbible.org](http://brbible.org).

**Able to come? We need you to RSVP weekly at brbible.org.** (We must have an RSVP due to reduced seating. Thank you for bearing with us in this! We will adjust weekly as we learn.)

### Note from your staff:

*We are very excited that our church building has reopened. As we continue to 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! Thank you!*