

# **COVID-19 Guidelines To Observe For Our Limited In-Person Gatherings**

1. Temperatures will be taken using no-touch thermometers upon entry. Normal temperature should not exceed 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit. Out of deep care and concern for the safety of all (especially our seniors), those with high temperatures and/or those who exhibit COVID-19 symptoms will be asked to return home. They should consider seeking medical care and/or COVID-19 testing, per CDC guidelines.
2. Wear face coverings while in the buildings and please refrain from touching hard surfaces in the buildings.
3. Face masks, gloves, and hand sanitizer will be provided upon entry.
4. Please practice social distancing (no handshakes or hugs). No separate activities will be available for children or youth. No nursery activities will be available.
5. Please observe the taped-off social distancing seating restrictions that are in place. Based upon the CDC's suggested social distancing separation of 6 feet between people, the church at 740 MLK Blvd now has a maximum seating capacity of 280 people (190 in sanctuary main floor seating). Our 751 MLK Blvd and Hwy 58 locations will also have less seating capacity.
6. Groups of 2 to 4 people from the same household may sit together in a designated 6-foot space on designated pews.
7. Persons attending without a household member are asked to sit in the designated 1-person spaces in the designated pews and designated chairs.
8. Offering buckets will not be passed in the pews. You may leave your tithes and offerings in the buckets at the table with the security guard in the narthex as you exit.
9. These guidelines will remain in effect until a safe and effective COVID-19 vaccine is widely available.