

On Sunday, May 2nd, we will begin to offer in-person worship simultaneously with Zoom and Facebook Live at 10:30 am every Sunday. Our in-person worship is open to all those who feel comfortable attending worship inside the building. We realize that both in-person and online options are necessary going forward so that people can worship together as they are able.

The majority of services will include Holy Communion. Communion will happen with prefilled communion sets in your pews. Those worshiping online may also partake in communion using bread and grape juice or wine from your homes.

Doors will open at 10:15 am. We will employ a wide variety of protocols and restrictions in order to reduce risk and abide by the limitations of the state. These safety precautions include but may not be limited to:

- Sign guestbook upon arrival so we have an accurate accounting of those present in the building each week
- Masks covering the mouth and nose must be worn by all people at all times - no exceptions. (If you are not able to wear one, we ask that you stay home.)
- Entrance and exit will be limited to a single door. (Entrance - normal entrance; Exit - door at front of the sanctuary. Luzerne Street entrance will not be used.)
- Social distancing will be required; people will be directed to appropriate seating and will remain in that pew for the entire service.
- All hymnals and other pew items have been removed from the sanctuary. No bulletins will be used. You may sing softly or hum.
- Children's church will occur on some Sundays. Children's bulletins and individual boxes of crayons will be available on the Sundays that a teacher is not present to lead. Children may not come up to the altar for the children's sermon.
- Nursery will remain closed for now. We are looking into how to open up safely and will post updates on our website and Facebook page.

We also ask that you do not come to worship if you have recently tested positive for COVID-19 or have been around someone who has recently tested positive, as well if you are not feeling well or have been around someone who is not feeling well.

* Please note that on Sunday, May 16th, there will be no worship in-person or online. Instead, we ask you to join:

Immanuel UCC at 9:00 am via Facebook Live

<https://www.facebook.com/immanueluccpa>

or Calvary Lutheran at 10:00 am via Zoom

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85015821685?pwd=OEt5WWEzZVU1bHRKZ2dwWEZiUzltUT09>

Meeting ID: 850 1582 1685 Passcode: 831969

Together we remain disciples of Christ within our community and beyond. May the risen Lord bless and keep you always.

Peace to you,

Pastor Katie