

General Information

- **Facemasks are required** in the building and for the duration of Mass. Anyone not wearing a facemask that covers their mouth and nose will not be allowed to enter.
- **All restrooms at the Church will be closed.**
- **After you have been counted please do not visit or congregate in the Gather Space. Go immediately to your pew.**
- The sacristy is not open to visitors at any time.
- **Bring your own hand sanitizer.**
- Do not bring items that contain bleach into the church as this will damage the pews.
- **Masks** must be worn upon entering the church/administration building.
- There will be no admittance into the building once Mass begins.
- Everyone coming to Mass must enter through the front doors.
- You may share a pew with your household, but social distance (6ft) is required between households.
- The holy water fonts will remain empty.
- Devotional candles will not be available at this time.

Mass Procedures

- There will be no altar servers or choir.
- Please keep your face mask on for the duration of Mass.
- There is to be no physical contact at the sign of peace of hand holding during the Lord's Prayer.
- Missals and hymnals will not be available for Mass.

Communion Procedures

- **Everyone is asked to receive Holy Communion in their hands for the safety of others.**
- The Precious Blood will not be offered to the congregation.
- Eucharistic Ministers will wash their hands and use sanitizer before distributing Holy Communion.
- There will be a single Communion line in the center of each main aisle.
- The procedure for the procession to receive Communion will abide by the 6ft distancing between each person in line.
- Facial masks must be worn in the Communion line. It is very important that the Eucharist Minister not touch the hands of the person receiving Communion.
- After you receive Communion please step to the side, remove your mask, consume the Eucharist 6ft. away from the minister, and then re-mask as you return to your pew.

Departure Procedures

- Please leave the church as soon as Mass is over to allow the church to be sanitized for the next Mass.
- All doors may be used for exiting after Mass.
- You can drop your weekly offertory as you enter or depart.
- Clergy will not greet or shake hands after Mass.

- Please do not congregate outside but head directly to your vehicle to allow the next Mass to start on time. Please dispose of your mask at home.

Church Cleaning Procedures

- We will continue to implement cleanliness and sanitization practices, including disinfecting pews between every Mass.
- Disinfecting door handles, and other frequently touched surfaces occur throughout the day and after each Mass.

The parish office will be open Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM. All meetings, as well as organizational and ministerial activities remain suspended until further notice.

Additional information will be forthcoming on a weekly basis as well as plans for the celebration of all sacraments: Weddings, Baptisms, First Communions and Confirmations. Please note that as we go forward, we will be announcing any changes that occur through our Live Stream, website and Facebook.

We are deeply grateful for your patience and cooperation as we begin these first steps of gathering for prayer and worship as a family. May God grant us his loving protection during this time of healing and transition.