



A Guide to Returning to Parish Operations and Ministry

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EVENT OR INITIATIVE	CURRENT GUIDELINES
<p>PARISH & SCHOOL OPERATIONS These guidelines are subject to orders in place by local ordinances or health departments.</p>	
PRAYER & SACRAMENTS	
Sunday and Daily Mass	No restrictions.
Wearing of Face Coverings	No face coverings required, with charity toward parishioners who prefer to wear a face covering.
Reception of Communion	After consultation with the District Deans, maintain reception of Communion under one species.
Anointing of Covid patients	Contact Vicar for Clergy for instructions.
Visiting/Taking Communion to Parishioners who are Homebound	Yes.
Visiting Parishioners/Taking Communion into Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Assisted Living or Rehab Facilities and Senior Living Complexes	Yes, following facility guidelines.
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Yes.
Distribution of Holy Water	Yes.

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Use of Holy Water in Fonts	Yes.
Funeral luncheons/receptions or wedding rehearsal receptions, etc.	Yes. Individually-wrapped / served food. No self-service buffet.
Use of parish and school buildings for parish/school activities	Yes.
Use of parish and school buildings for outside groups	Yes. See facility usage agreement .
PARISH AND SCHOOL EVENTS	
Youth Ministry: Overnight Youth Retreats, Conferences, Mission Trips	Yes. See guidelines here .
ACTIVITIES	
Parish Festivals, Social Gatherings, Auctions, Picnics, Rummage Sales, Fundraisers, etc.	Yes. See guidelines here .
Parish/School Events with Food, such as bake sales, donut Sundays, parish picnics, etc.	Yes. Distribute by volunteers wearing gloves. Avoid self-service buffets.