Worship Plan Update

Recommended by the Coronavirus Subcommittee:

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**Sunday May 23- this Sunday:**

* Worship registration and social distancing is still required
* Please sign up for worship so we can plan for communion:
* Masks are recommended but not required
  + They are recommended because there is a risk of indoor singing, we have high risk people in our congregation, and children are not able to be vaccinated yet.
  + Everyone can make their own choice to wear one or not wear one.
* We will use the individual communion cups for communion until we run out
* Standing for hymns and liturgy will begin again

**Starting on Sunday May 30- worship service will begin at 9am**

* Sign in books and worship registration no longer needed
* Social distancing no longer required
* Seating will remain in the fellowship hall as an option for those who still want to distance or who are not fully vaccinated yet

**Starting on Sunday June 6**

* Bibles and hymnals return to the pews
* Offering plates will be passed
* Worship service will be back to “normal”- about 1 hour in length
* Tables/ chairs will be brought back to the fellowship hall for coffee only after worship- no food at this time until new Minnesota Department of Health guidelines are released