

COVID-19 MASTER REGATHERING PROTOCOL



FAIRMONT UMC
Welcome, Reach, Serve



**Red
Phase**

**PEOPLE ARE ADVISED
NOT TO GATHER WITH
ANYONE OUTSIDE OF
THEIR HOUSEHOLD,
AND THERE ARE
RESTRICTIONS ON
MANY BUSINESSES.
THE NUMBER OF
CASES IS HIGH AND
RISING, AND
HOSPITAL CAPACITY
IS A SIGNIFICANT
CONCERN.**

FUMC ACTION

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- Online only (Facebook Live, Church Website, 2 pm on Fridays on local TV)
 - o Only Pianist/Organist and Senior Pastor Present

CHURCH BUILDING

- **Fully closed**
- No office hours
- No group meeting of any kind
- No food service

SMALL GROUPS

- Virtual meeting only

ACTIVITIES, EVENTS, PROGRAMMING

- Virtual meeting only
 - All volunteer activity postponed
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Orange Phase

BUSINESSES CAN OPEN WITH SOME RESTRICTIONS. PEOPLE ARE STILL ENCOURAGED TO LIMIT MOVEMENT TO ESSENTIAL NEEDS, AND REMOTE WORK IS STILL URGED. INFECTION RATES ARE INCREASING.

FUMC ACTION

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- Online (Facebook Live, Church Website, 2 pm on Fridays on local TV)
 - o Up to **5** people are permitted to sign up week-week to be in-person for the live service in the sanctuary
 - o Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
 - o No collective singing
 - o No physical contact (hugs, handshakes, etc.)
- Musicians, liturgists, media, & children's sermon volunteers return to worship
- All surfaces must be sanitized after use

CHURCH BUILDING

- Open **MWF 8:00-1:00 pm**
- Group meetings are limited to **10** people
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
- No food service permitted inside building
 - o Grab & go only
- All surfaces must be sanitized after use

SMALL GROUPS

- Virtual meeting when possible/practical
- Limited to **10** people if in-person
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
- No food service permitted inside building
 - o Grab & go only
- All surfaces must be sanitized after use

ACTIVITIES, EVENTS, PROGRAMMING

- Virtual meeting when possible/practical
- Limited to **10** people if in-person
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
- No food service permitted inside building
 - o Grab & go only
- All surfaces must be sanitized after use

**Yellow
Phase**

**SOMEWHAT LESS
STRINGENT
RESTRICTIONS FOR
BUSINESSES AND
GATHERINGS ARE STILL
IN PLACE, BUT REMOTE
WORK IS STILL
RECOMMENDED. THE
INFECTION RATE IS
STILL A CONCERN.**

FUMC ACTION

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- Online (Facebook Live, Church Website, 2 pm on Fridays on local TV)
 - o Up to **35** people are permitted to sign up week-week to be in-person for the live service in the sanctuary
 - o Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
 - o No collective singing
 - o No physical contact (hugs, handshakes, etc.)

CHURCH BUILDING

- Open **M-F 8:00-1:00 pm**
- Group meetings are limited to **25** people
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
- No food service permitted inside building
 - o Grab & go only

SMALL GROUPS

- Virtual meeting when possible/practical
- Limited to **25** people if in-person
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
- No food service permitted inside building
 - o Grab & go only

ACTIVITIES, EVENTS, PROGRAMMING

- Virtual Meeting when possible/practical
- Limited to **25** people if in-person
- Masks and Social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
- No Food service permitted inside building
 - o Grab & Go only

Blue Phase

COVID-19 IS STILL
CIRCULATING BUT THE
INFECTION RATE IS
DECREASING OR LOW,
AND SOMEWHAT
LARGER GATHERINGS
CAN TAKE PLACE WITH
CAPACITY
RESTRICTIONS AND
PHYSICAL
DISTANCING
REQUIREMENTS.

FUMC ACTION

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- In Person Worship returns, limited to **150** people
 - o Masks and Social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building
 - o No physical contact (hugs, handshakes, etc.)
 - o Service is still online (Facebook Live, Church Website, 2 pm on local TV)

CHURCH BUILDING

- Back to **regular hours**
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building

SMALL GROUPS

- Virtual meeting when possible/practical
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building

ACTIVITIES, EVENTS, PROGRAMMING

- Virtual meeting when possible/practical
- Masks and social distancing must be worn/observed **at all times** inside the building

**Green
Phase**

**COVID-19 IS NO
LONGER CONSIDERED
A RISK, AND THERE
ARE NO LIMITATIONS
ON GROUP SIZE.**

FUMC ACTION

SUNDAY WORSHIP

- In-Person worship returns to full capacity
 - o Service is still online (Facebook Live, Church Website, 2 pm on local TV)

CHURCH BUILDING

- Regular hours

SMALL GROUPS

- Back to full functions

ACTIVITIES, EVENTS, PROGRAMMING

- Back to full functions