

Guidelines for In-Person Church Service

Love God, Love Others

“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’” (Luke 10:27)

With this scripture in mind, we want everyone to prayerfully abide by these guidelines when meeting together at a First Free worship service:

- Masks over both mouth and nose required at all times
- No food or drink
- Maintain physical distancing--at least 10 feet when singing and at least 6 feet at other times, even in the restroom.
- Sanitize your hands upon entering the church.
- Follow the ushers' directions.
- Ushers will escort you to your seat. You may not change seats during the service.
- People who live in the same household will sit together.
- Parents, please keep your children close to you at all times. Children K-5 must be accompanied by at least one parent at all times, even when going to the restroom.
- Ushers will dismiss you by family units after the service. Please proceed directly outside after the service. No congregating will be allowed in the church building. Weather permitting, you may be provided with an opportunity to socialize in the back parking lot while maintaining at least 6 feet of distance and wearing masks. There will be markings on the ground to help you maintain at least 6 feet of distance.
- Wash hands for 20 seconds with soap & warm water after using the restroom.
- Monitor yourself and any of your children for symptoms of coronavirus before church and during the service.
- If you do not feel well, please do not attend in-person services, please avail yourself of the online services.
- If you feel sick during the service, please notify an usher before exiting the building.
- If you develop symptoms of coronavirus or test positive for coronavirus after attending an in person service, please notify the church office at 773-561-4175 or info@firstfree.com

If you will be meeting together outside of a worship service for a First Free event, we ask that you abide by these abbreviated guidelines:

- Masks over both mouth and nose required at all times
- No food or drink
- Maintain social distancing--at least 10 feet apart when singing and at least 6 feet at other times.

- Regularly sanitize your hands or wash your hands with soap & warm water for 20 seconds.
- Do not attend if you are feeling ill or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19.