

Faith Bible Baptist Church

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Rev. Gary LaPietra, Pastor

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Dear Faithful Friends,

As Pennsylvania is beginning to reopen and Allegheny County has moved into the green phase of that process, Faith Bible Baptist Church will continue to honor the government's guidelines. These 'no-contact' services will be conducted with appropriate seating for social distancing. The state has not mandated a group size for churches so we are not limiting the number since we have a large enough auditorium to provide 6 feet distancing for attendees. You are asked to bring and wear your own mask. Regular sanitation will be conducted during and after the time we are in the building. Please do not come into the building when there are no services so we can keep the building sanitized.

Services will be Sunday at 11:00 AM and 6:30 PM; and Wednesday, at 7 PM. The same sermons will be televised on line at our web site www.fbbc.net Children's and teens' services will be provided on Wednesday at 7pm and will meet in the gym. Only children in K-12 grades may attend. Parents must be in the building and must meet their children IMMEDIATELY after service. Please do not engage in handshaking, hugging, or other physical contact before, during, or after church.

Unfortunately, we will not be able to offer any childcare or cry room for these services. It is suggested that one parent come to one service and the other come to another. If you wish to remain home with your family, we encourage you to continue to enjoy the online sermons. We would ask that if you or any member of your family are not feeling well that you refrain from attending in person at this time, and if you have been exposed to Covid-19, please observe the 14 day quarantine. The state suggests that the elderly and those with underlying health issues still stay home from group settings. Use your discretion in this area.

I realize that we all have varying opinions about this virus. I am asking for everyone's full cooperation as we navigate through this difficult time. You may think that these guidelines are unnecessary but keep in mind that I am ultimately responsible for the safety and well being of the congregation. I am also the one that has to face any infractions if we violate the guidelines set forth by the state. So simply follow these requirements and hopefully we will be returning to some more normal procedures in the near future. Just know that we love you and can't wait to meet again for our regular schedule of services and ministries.

For the Kingdom,

Pastor

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Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.

3 John 1:2