

COVID-19 APRIL 2021 UPDATE:

We are thankful to continue our In-Person Church Services each Sunday and, based upon a recent Executive Order, allowable attendance has been increased to 50% capacity.

Utilizing the Sanctuary and Education Wing, seating is available for everyone who would like to attend. Please feel free to join us! Physical distancing between families continues and we look forward to seeing everyone who feels comfortable attending.

Also, Sunday School classes will resume for all school aged children. The Elders and Deacons will continue to monitor the overall pandemic situation closely and, barring any significant changes, we anticipate holding In-Person Church Services through March and April.

Following carefully developed health / safety protocols, CBC is proud to continue our In-Person Church every Sunday at 10:30 AM. Seating is available within the Sanctuary as well as the Education (Ed) Wing. Tables will be set up throughout the Ed Wing in a socially distanced manner and are ideal for families with young children. Children are encouraged to bring their own drawing / coloring materials to use during the service. School aged children are welcome to join our Sunday School classes. A television will be placed in the front of the Ed Wing for viewing the service together. In compliance with established executive orders, we will continue limiting attendance to 50% capacity. Based upon the expanded seating area, we are confident that seating will be available for everyone. We have certainly missed each other during this pandemic, but it is important to continue being safe as we continue in-person church activities.

Please adhere to the following:

- Anyone who is not feeling well must stay home.
- Anyone who has a compromised immune system is strongly encouraged to stay home.
- Touchless temperature checks will be performed at the door before entry (anyone 100.4 degrees F or higher will not be permitted to enter).
- Face masks / coverings of both the mouth and nose must be worn at all times.
- Bathrooms will be available for emergencies only.

Please note that the church will be taking the following precautions:

There will be one directional flow of people through the building. Please enter through the Main Church Doors Only. Pews have been designated / tables have been located to maintain social distancing requirements of at least 6 feet between families. Due to increased risk of transmission, quiet singing will be performed with masks on at the very end of the service. No infant care services will be held.

We realize that people may not have seen each other in a while. After the Church Service, people in the Sanctuary will exit via the hallway door. People in the Ed Wing will exit via the double doors at the west end of the building. All will then be able to socialize outside the building, which is considered much safer than indoors. The wearing of masks and social distancing is requested even outdoors.

Live Streaming Church Services will continue to be available as usual, so everyone can be part of the service remotely. It is our hope that these In-Person Church Services are a safe means for growing in our faith with God as well as fellowship with each other.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Prayer Meetings:

Our weekly Wednesday night prayer meetings continue to be available via Zoom video conference as well, no in-person gathering. A weekly email is being sent out to CBC with the weblink for anyone interested in attending. If you are not receiving this email please contact Pastor or Paige Miller, and they will share the meeting weblink with you.

Food Resources:

We have recently acquired a list of Monmouth County food pantries and soup kitchens. These agencies are excellent sources for acquiring needed food or, if you wish, donating food and/or funds.

Giving:

If you care to support the ministry during this time, you can mail a check to CBC or setup a bill pay through your checking account where a check is generated by your bank and sent to CBC.

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For further questions, please call any of the elders or deacons. Thank you.
God Bless and stay well,
The Elders and Deacons of CBC