

CANVAS CHURCH

Welcome Home

COVID-19 Re-Entry Safety Plan

Canvas Church is excited to welcome back our staff and attendees for in person service. The Canvas Team has created these plans for phase 1 for re-opening to make sure we provide a safe and welcoming environment.

Summary of Reopening:

- In person services start July 12th
- Services will be limited to 50% Capacity
- 6ft Social Distancing (sticker system in place to show your social distancing preference in the lobby)
- Pre Registration is NOT required
- Canvas Kids will be open with policies below
- If you are vulnerable or immune compromised- please remain at home and utilize online streaming

COVID-19 Safety Plan

Each phase will be examined based on local and state health regulations, to provide the safest experience possible.

Canvas Church is a safe place, but there is a risk of contracting COVID-19 while attending. Below you can find our full plan on what staff/volunteers will do, what you need do, and what we as a community need to do to keep everyone safe. '

MASKS:

Per July 2020 order by Governor Walz, Mask wearing is required at Canvas services as of Sunday July 26th. If you are not wearing a mask we will assume it is because you are either medically or mentally exempt as allowed in Minnesota department of health guidelines. Also Children under age 5 are exempt as well as all performers, musicians, and pastors who are on stage. (all per MN health guidelines)

What We Can All Do:

- Limit the size of services in accordance with the guidance and directives of local and state authorities.
- Promote social distancing at services and other gatherings.
- Limitation of personal contact
 - No hand shaking at the doors or during a time of greeting.
 - Refrain from hugging or touching unless green sticker is worn
- Soap and water washing of hands for 20 seconds after contact with others or surfaces is encouraged.
- Regularly use the hand sanitizer stations placed around the building

What Staff/Volunteers Will Do:

- Limit access to all high touch items
 - Closure of play place
 - Ipad stations (limited to use only by staff)
 - Sanitize drinking fountain
 - No food, coffee, or communion will be provided or available at this time
- Sanitizing all touch points regularly
- Sanitizing of all surfaces after all services and during the week when staff are present
- Adding touch free faucets, soaps, and foot door handles bathrooms
- Post proper safety measures throughout the building
- Ventilation of all rooms has been reviewed to optimize proper air flow
- Cleaning and safety training for all team members

What YOU Can Do:

- We require you to wear a mask, unless exempt or under age 5.
- Traffic patterns will be reduced by having one lobby door for entry and one for exit.
 - Directional signs will be posted for separate entrance and exit doors.
- Auditorium seating will be spaced six feet away from other household groups.
 - Those attendees that reside in the same household may sit together.
- Restrooms will be limited to 3 people at a time with social distancing being practiced.
 - No lines for restrooms will be allowed (if you have any line everyone should be 6 feet apart)
- Please conduct a self-check before arrival and do not enter Canvas if:
 - You have a fever, cough, or shortness of breath, chills, sore throat, extreme fatigue, or vomiting.
 - Anyone in your home or workplace has these symptoms.
- Stay safe and stay healthy.

What We Are Doing For Kids:

Nursery

1 Family at a time in the room because of the size
No bottles unless necessary. Must be labeled with the child's name
Nookies must be attached to child if they need it
Room will be wiped down and cleaned regularly
Toys that went in mouths will be put up for the morning.
Masks not required for children in this age category.

Preschool and K-5

Upstairs only 6 families allowed at a time to minimize contact

1 parent dropping off eliminates too many bodies
Check-out will be the same as well. Please be patient with us as this will be slower than usual. We will move people as quickly as possible but still connect with parents during that time.

There will be no snacks or drinks across all rooms.

If your child wants to bring a water bottle they can but needs to be labeled.

Room and toys will be sanitized before and after each service.

Masks not required for children 5 and under. We will do our best to keep children in our care masked. As per the minnesota department of health guidelines, we will ask children to replace masks when removed. It is however not our intent to fight with any guest to keep masks on, so we ask each parent to educate your child age 6+ on the requirement of mask wearing in k-5 classroom. WE are introducing fun new games to incentivize keeping masks on and are offering each child a lanyard to keep their mask connected around their neck so they always stay sterile and with your child if they fall off.

Check-in

Staff run check-in. They will check your family in so you don't have to have contact with the tablets. You can grab your check-in label as it prints out. This will help to minimize contact for all of our guests. Please be patient with us as this will be a slower process than you are used to. ALL volunteers and kids will be temp checked on their forehead before going to classrooms to help ensure no sickness is spreading in our kids spaces..

Sanitation Stations will be available in all rooms and at the bottom of the kids stairs.