

WORSHIP REGATHERING PHASES

Based on the Diocesan document, “Phased Return to Increasing In-Person Parish Life”

	PHASE 1 Suspension of in-person worship		PHASE 2 Regathering in person	PHASE 3 Increasing participation
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Location	All recordings done by individuals	Sanctuary	Sanctuary	Sanctuary
Sunday A/V	Pre - Recorded	Streamed Live	Streamed Live/Hybrid	Streamed Live/Hybrid
Gathering Size	N/A	≤ 10	50 % of Fire Code while allowing 6 feet distancing, whichever is smaller	Limited, crowding is to be avoided
Those Gathered	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Worship Participants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Worship Participants Congregation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Worship Participants Congregation
# of Sunday Services	1 (online, video)	1 (online, video)	1 (online, video) TBD (in-person)	1 (online, video) TBD (in-person)
# Weekday Services	3 (online, audio)	3 (online, audio)	3 (online, audio)	3 (online, audio)
Risk influencing Lay Minister Involvement	None	Low	Moderate – High* <i>*relative to individual risk</i>	Low
Sunday Order of Service	Liturgy of the Word	Liturgy of the Word	Liturgy of the Word	Liturgy of the Word
DSO Requirements	Suspend services of public worship	Suspend services of public worship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Eucharist Peace must be without touch Passing of Plate must be without touch Refrain from Singing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Eucharist <p>Until further notice, the celebration of the Eucharist in public gatherings will not be permitted.</p>
DSO Recommendations	Find means of gathering using online tools	Find means of gathering using online tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remove Prayer Books, Hymnals, & Bibles Plan for entry and dismissal Encourage people to leave rather than mingle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Peace may be without touch Passing of Plate may be without touch Singing based on public health recommendations
Public Health Indicators	Rates of cases, hospitalizations and deaths are rising.	Rates of cases, hospitalizations and deaths are rising.	Rates of cases, hospitalizations and deaths are declining. Testing and tracing are available. Answers to Diocesan “Questions for Consideration”	Development and distribution of vaccine to the public. Widespread immunity would be present in the community.