



Emmanuel Presbyterian Church

Empowering People in Christ

Dear Members and Friends of Emmanuel Presbyterian Church,

In response to COVID-19 and at the recommendation of the CDC, ***Emmanuel's Session has voted to cancel all Sunday activities from March 15th through March 29th, including Church School and Worship.*** We will have sermons, music and prayers available on the church website at www.emmanuelpc.org.

In-person weekday church meetings and events are also cancelled during this time period unless you are contacted and told otherwise by the Director of Music or your committee chair. See the FAQ section below for details.

A member of Session will call you today to relay this information as well as to check-in with you. Please keep in contact with that elder if you need anything during this time. The Emmanuel office will be closed to the public, but will be staffed for phone calls and essential business. As a courtesy, please call the office before you come to the building.

In Christ's love and grace,
The Session of Emmanuel Presbyterian Church

FAQ:

Q: Will choirs and committees be meeting?

A: Director of Music Susan LaPointe will contact Chancel Choir and Handbell Choir members regarding rehearsals. Committee chairs have been encouraged to conduct business electronically. If in-person meetings are necessary, Session strongly encourages the use of social distancing practices (6 feet apart, no close contact).

Q: Can I ask someone to stay home if they present symptoms or step away if they get closer than I am comfortable?

A: Yes, if someone is not adhering to the safe practices recommended to stay healthy, you may ask them politely to step away.

Q: Will community members be able to come to the church for local benevolence?

A: During March, local benevolence will be suspended and the funds directed to NEED.

Q: Will the Garage Sale continue for April 25th ?

A: Yes, we will plan to hold the Garage Sale at the end of April, but we are not taking contributions until further notice.

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