

**COVID-19 Protocols
As of September 22, 2021**

With the recent uptick in Covid cases locally, regionally and nationally, Trinity's Re-Entry Team recently met to discuss its current protocols and consider any changes. For now, Trinity will continue with its current protocols but be ever mindful of changing conditions and adjust accordingly. As a reminder, the current protocols as they relate to these various activities are as follows:

Worship Services - Masks are not required to be worn at our worship services. For those who are not fully vaccinated, wearing a mask is strongly recommended and we ask that you do not sing. For those who are not comfortable with this setting, we understand and remind that viewing the live stream service at 10:30 am remains an option. Furthermore, even if vaccinated, we completely understand and respect those who wish to continue to wear a mask, if that is their comfort level.

Children's Sunday School and Youth Group - When indoors, masks are required of all children, youth, teachers and leaders regardless of vaccination status. When outdoors, masks are not required. This policy is consistent with that of Calvert County Public Schools.

Adult Sunday School - Masks are not required to be worn in our Adult Sunday School classes. For those who are not fully vaccinated, wearing a mask is strongly recommended and we ask that you do not sing, if that is part of the program. Again, even if vaccinated, we completely understand and respect those who wish to continue to wear a mask, if that is their comfort level.

In addition to the above, we offer a few reminders:

- Trinity will remain diligent in offering supplies for good personal hygiene throughout the church. This will include masks and hand sanitizer at various locations throughout the church.
- Trinity will continue to remain vigilant in its regular cleaning and sanitizing of the building. Our Sexton, William Jenifer, has always done an excellent job of this, even pre-pandemic and will continue to do so.
- If you are sick, have a sick family member at home or are caring for someone sick, we ask that you please stay home. For the health and safety of you and others, the live stream service at 10:30 am remains an excellent option under these circumstances.
- Trinity continues to encourage vaccination of its members as an effective mitigant to this pandemic. For those who have been vaccinated, thank you. For those who have not, please consider.

**Yours in Christ,
Trinity UMC Re-Entry Team**