

REGATHERING GUIDE



COMING TOGETHER RESPONSIBLY

While trying to stay connected in other ways, our church family has experienced physical separation acutely, and shares a deep longing to return to meeting in-person. As we do so however, we want to continue to exercise care and concern for the health of others, and to be mindful of our witness as we seek to honor Jesus and point those around us to Him.

COVID-19 is a contagious disease so it is imperative that we work together to minimize the risk of infection. To reduce the risk of COVID-19 outbreak at Eleven Sixteen Church, and to avoid any further interruptions to in-person gatherings, we are asking anyone attending in-person gatherings to follow the guidelines listed below. Even if that may mean sacrificing personal preferences for the sake of others.



While we begin to offer in-person gatherings for our church family, we encourage everyone to be a steward of their own health and safety. If your health would be best served by worshipping from home full-time, we fully encourage and support your choice to do so. We will continue to offer live streamed services as well as various other ways to engage in smaller gatherings.

IN-PERSON GUIDELINES

IF YOU ARE SICK...

Please do NOT come to any in-person ministry gatherings. Please stay home, isolate, seek medical advice/treatment if necessary, and reach out to let us know how we may best serve you.

SOCIAL DISTANCING...

When possible, maintain at least 6 feet of social distancing from others. We know this is difficult, but please do not greet each other with handshakes, fist-bumps, or hugs as some family members may not be comfortable.

FACE COVERINGS...

Wearing a face covering is strongly encouraged at all times when 6 feet of social distancing cannot be maintained. Face coverings are worn to protect other people in case the wearer is asymptomatic. According to the CDC they should not however be placed on children younger than 2 years old, anyone who has trouble breathing or is unconscious, and anyone who is incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.

HEALTH + SAFETY

Keep Your Hands Clean. Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Where soap and water are not readily available please use hand sanitizer gel. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands. Where food or drink is served, do not share with friends.



OUR COMMITMENT TO YOU

- 1** Any ministry leader experiencing a fever, cough, or sickness will not attend in-person ministry events and take appropriate measures before returning.
- 2** Ministry Leaders will wear a face covering when 6 feet of social distancing from others cannot be maintained.
- 3** Ministry Leaders will routinely disinfect surfaces commonly touched by those leading and/or attending.
- 4** Hand sanitizer gel, tissues, and no touch trash cans will be provided.
- 5** Facemasks will be available for those who request them.
- 6** Where possible, one-way routes to enter and exit gathering space, and physical guides to ensure 6 feet safe-distancing (markings) will be provided.
- 7** When offered, communion wafers and juice will be individually wrapped and served by those wearing masks and gloves.
- 8** All candy, snacks, chips, popcorn etc. will be individually wrapped. Any plates, cups, silverware, etc. used will be disposable and for single use only.



DISCERNING RISK

While we are asking you to follow these health and safety measures in an effort to minimize the risk of potential spread, COVID-19 is a contagious disease, and an inherent risk of exposure exists in any public place where people are present. Anyone attending in-person ministry gatherings voluntarily assumes all risks related to such exposure. Thank you for helping us and the Eleven Sixteen Church family by playing your part. We can't wait to be with you again soon.



GOT QUESTIONS?

Please reach out via email at: Info@1116.Church

