

## On-Campus ReEntry - Guiding Questions

### Community Considerations

1. What are the county/city size guidelines for gatherings of different sizes?
2. What are the state-level instructions for audiences of different sizes?
3. How and when are sporting events and theater performances coming online?
4. What retail and restaurant protocols influence how we manage gatherings?
5. What recommendations do community leaders (non-church related) have for us?
6. What at-risk populations exist in our congregation and community?
7. How can/will we ensure that our staff and volunteers are healthy?
8. What will our weekday office presence look like in terms of hours and personnel?
9. Do we have campuses in other municipalities with different requirements?
10. How can we avoid using the word "unprecedented" as we communicate?
11. What other external/community considerations will guide our decision?

### Facility Considerations

12. How many people can we safely seat in each service, given social distancing mandates?
13. How does our seating type (pews vs. chairs) direct our ability to meet social distancing requirements?
14. Do we need to change our seating configuration?
15. What other ways can we manage seating?
16. How can we provide a one-way movement (entry only/exit only) through doors and hallways?
17. How much time and what materials do we need to clean thoroughly before and after each service?
18. How will we avoid repetitive touching of high traffic items like door handles, water fountains and handrails?
19. How can we ensure that our restrooms are available and cleaned after each use?
20. How many additional antibacterial/sanitation stations are needed, and where will they go?
21. What parts of our building need to remain closed?
22. How will we limit exposure in preschool/children's areas? How will we keep them sanitized?
23. What new ways can we envision facility usage in the long term?
24. What materials in the backs of chairs/pews do we need to remove?
25. What other environmental/facility considerations will guide our decision?

### Programming Considerations

26. Given a reduction in seating capacity, how many services will we need?
27. What attendance markers will trigger the addition of another service?
28. As gatherings can grow in size, what alternate venues will we need to utilize?
29. How will we manage staff health and empower lay leaders in new ways?

30. How will we control the number of attendees in each service? What will be our overflow strategy?
31. Can we set up an RSVP or ticketing system to manage service size?
32. What role will our groups play if/when gatherings are limited to smaller numbers?
33. How will groups continue to thrive off-campus?
34. What will be the trigger to bring on-campus groups back?
35. How will we apply all of these considerations to bringing our preschool/children/youth programming onsite?
36. How or when should we continue weekday education or childcare programs?
37. What was already on our "stop doing" list before COVID-19 that will not come back?
38. What about coffee or snacks? When will it be appropriate to serve coffee/donuts again?
39. What other engagement / programming considerations will guide our decisions?

### **Worship Service Considerations**

40. Who and how many people do we have that are willing to volunteer?
41. What adjustments to our welcome/greeting teams are needed?
42. Will our teams/leaders wear masks in high traffic areas?
43. Will we take the temperature of staff and volunteers prior to service?
44. How will the length and timing of services need to change?
45. Will we use the same number of people in choir/instrumentalists?
46. How can we reduce numbers needed in leadership to stay under guidelines?
47. What adjustments need to take place in how we receive tithes and offerings?
48. How can we continue to strengthen digital means of giving even as we meet together?
49. Is it appropriate to meet as family groups for a season?
50. What venues can we use as an emergency or intentional overflow?
51. How will we distribute bulletins or worship guides? Do these stay digital?
52. What creative methods of greeting and welcoming each other are there?
53. What adjustments should take place in our communion/Lord's Supper moments?
54. How do special moments like baptism and dedication occur?
55. What new ways can we mark attendance without passing a book/list?
56. What further counseling and decision processes do we need?
57. How can we connect with guests after the service in a new way?
58. How does our membership process work in a digital format?
59. What other ecclesial/worship service considerations will guide our decisions?