

February 25, 2022

Friends in Christ,

On Tuesday, February 22, the Session approved a new face mask policy for the church property in light of the recent changes in Illinois' mandates.

Effective Sunday, February 27, 2022, masks are optional for those attending worship, meetings, and gatherings at the Village Church. Masks are required inside for children 2-4 years. Masks are preferred but optional for children 5 years and older.

Please reach out to Gay Boundy, our Office Manager, with questions at [gboundy@villagechurchnorthbrook.org](mailto:gboundy@villagechurchnorthbrook.org) or (847) 272-0900.

Joyfully,

Senior Pastor Spencer

## **Frequently Asked Questions about Worship**

### **1. What are the basics for Sunday morning worship?**

- 9:30 am Contemporary Worship is open for in-person participation and livestream will continue.
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship is open for in-person participation and livestream will continue.
- No offering plates will be passed. Deposit offering in plates in the Narthex.
- Children's Sunday School and Sunday Youth Church are available at 9:30 am. Children's Sunday School requires a completed health form and advance registration weekly on [Realm](#). Masks are required inside for children 2-4 years. Masks are preferred but optional for children 5 years and older.
- Adult Sunday School is offered at 9:30 am and 11:00 am.

### **2. What cleaning will take place in the Sanctuary and the campus?**

- Touchless hand sanitizer dispensers onsite and available at entrances including narthex.
- Sanctuary is sanitized with a fogging disinfectant (Vital Oxide) every Sunday morning prior to the first service.

### **3. Will the livestream still be operating?**

Yes, the livestream is a significant ministry for us as a church. We will continue to invest resources, time, and energy to create wonderful services online.

### **4. How do I sign up for access to Fellowship Hall and Westminster Hall and other rooms?**

Email reservation requests to Gay Boundy at [gboundy@villagechurchnorthbrook.org](mailto:gboundy@villagechurchnorthbrook.org). Greg Hartfield, Facilities Manager, will schedule the doors to be unlocked. Contact Greg at [ghartfield@villagechurchnorthbrook.org](mailto:ghartfield@villagechurchnorthbrook.org).

**5. What about Funerals, Memorial Services, and Weddings on the campus?**

We can host gatherings and conduct interments at the Memorial Garden and Wall with no size limitations other than normal capacity limits. Livestreaming is an available option for indoor services.

**6. How do I connect with the staff of the church?**

Please call the church with questions at 847-272-0900. Gay Boundy, our Office Manager, will be glad to help you. To contact the appropriate staff person, call the church and press their extension.

On behalf of the Session,

Rev. Dr. Spencer L. Lundgaard  
Senior Pastor