

MBCC Regather Plan FAQs

For Worship Services Beginning July 12th

Welcome back to MBCC! We know some of you may not be ready to regather with us yet, and that's perfectly fine! We want all of you to feel completely comfortable to return when you are ready. If you are in the high-risk category or not feeling well, we encourage you to follow the CDC guidelines and worship with us from the safety of your home. We will continue to provide a high quality streaming experience each week in addition to the weekly Kids' Ministry worship material.

For those of you who are ready to come back to MBCC, we ask you to read the following information prior to attending. We also ask that you **plan to around 20-30 minutes early** to the service to allow time for parking, seating, and social distancing procedures that you will read more about below. Thank you!!

WHEN ARE THE WORSHIP SERVICES?

Beginning July 12th, we will offer two live Worship Services with 150 seats in each. The first service will be at 9:00 am in the Fellowship Hall and the second service will be at 10:30 am in the Chapel (sanctuary). Both services will be live. By utilizing two different locations, we can reduce sanitation needs and provide a safer environment.

WHAT ABOUT THE LIVE STREAM?

We are only able to live stream from the Chapel, so the live stream will **now be at 10:30 am** each Sunday. You will still be able to find the live stream in all of the same places: MBCC website, MBCC app, Facebook, and Boxcast.

HOW DO I REGISTER?

We will have 150 seats available for each service. We are limiting capacity with your safety in mind and working within the framework of the CDC guidelines to safely social distance. Once the seats fill up through the online registration, we encourage you to join the service through our live stream. You do not have to be a MBCC member to register to attend, guests are welcome to make a reservation.

To register to join us in person, look for an email or visit the website on Monday mornings for the registration link. Please be sure to select the service you want to attend and include the number of people in your party.

Registration will close at 10:00 am on Thursday before each Sunday's service. Please make sure that only one person per family makes your reservation each week. You will need to make a new reservation each week. If you need to cancel after you have made a reservation, please email stephaniej@mbcc.us.

WHEN SHOULD I ARRIVE?

We ask that you plan to arrive about 30 minutes before the service to allow enough time for parking, seating, and social distancing procedures. This means, please arrive around 8:30 am if you are attending the Fellowship Hall service at 9:00 am, and arrive around 10:00 am if you are attending the Chapel service at 10:30 am.

DO I NEED A FACE MASK?

Yes, according to the CDC guidelines and for your protection and the protection of others, we will be requiring everyone 2 years old and above to wear a mask while you are in the building.

WHAT AGE CAN ATTEND?

Beginning July 12th, we invite all ages to attend the services. However, we will not have Nursery or Kids' Ministry programming, so all children will be attending the service with parents. All children 2 and older will need to wear a face mask.

WHERE DO I PARK?

When you come to the church, there will be people in the parking lots to help guide you to a parking space. We ask that if you are attending the service in the Chapel, please park in the main parking lot. If you are attending the service in the Fellowship Hall, please park in the lot between the UCF House and the Gym.

Handicapped Parking: For handicapped parking for the Chapel service, please drive around the church to the back parking lot to park. There will be someone stationed by the back door to let you enter there. For the Fellowship Hall service, please park in the handicapped spaces in front of Kids' Ministry and take the elevator up to the Fellowship Hall.

WHERE DO I ENTER THE BUILDING?

If you are attending in the Chapel, please enter through the main church doors under the cover. If you are attending in the Fellowship Hall, please enter through the doors by Kids' Ministry and go up the stairs or take the elevator (handicap only). ALL other exterior doors will be locked for entry. Outside each entrance, we will have a hand sanitizer station set up for you to sanitize your hands before entering.

WILL THERE BE SOCIAL DISTANCING?

Yes, each Sunday we will have ushers to guide you from the parking lot to your designated seat. Proper distance will be maintained in the foyer and entering the Fellowship Hall with visible boundaries established on the floor. Once you get into the Chapel or Fellowship hall you will notice that we have blocked off pews or staggered seating to keep you at a comfortable distance from other worshippers.

WHAT OTHER CHANGES ARE BEING MADE?

- All of our entry, exit, and restroom doors will be propped open to help provide a touch free environment.
- We will not be handing out any printed materials.
- We will not pass the offering plate. Offering can be placed in one of the boxes that you will find in the foyer of either of our worship venues. We also continue to offer online giving through our website or MBCC app.
- We will not have Bibles or pens available for use during the service, so please bring your own Bible, notebook, and pen if you wish to take notes.
- We will not be able to provide coffee or water and the water fountains will be turned off at this time.

WILL THE RESTROOMS BE OPEN?

Yes, but we will be limiting the number of people who can enter the restroom at one time to ensure social distancing can be maintained.

HOW IS THE CHURCH BEING CLEANED?

Both the Chapel and the Fellowship Hall as well as the foyers and bathrooms will be thoroughly cleaned and sanitized prior to your arrival on Sunday morning.

HOW WILL BE DISMISSED?

Dismissal will be led by our ushers, and we will dismiss row by row. We will begin at the back of the Chapel or Fellowship Hall and move to the front, allowing enough time in between for adequate social distancing. After you exit the worship room we ask that you not linger in the building but quickly exit to the parking area.

