



# John Knox Presbyterian Church

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*"Followers of Jesus sharing God's love,  
one relationship at a time!"*

JKPC Family,

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It has been approximately six months that we have been apart. This has caused many of us to experience depression, loneliness, and a bit less hope. God's Word encourages us to not forsake the assembling of the brethren (Hebrews 10:23-25). God knows we need each other to walk out our faith on earth. No one knows how long Covid-19 will last, so we don't want to begin a new lifestyle/habit of staying isolated in our homes forever.

We are witnessing children back in public school, high school sports returning, and restaurants open for indoor dining. Our world is reopening with Covid-19 guidelines. Your Elders have met and desire to have our church open more with Covid-19 guidelines. Effective immediately, all church programming can begin organizing and meeting again at the church. This includes Jr. Church, Children's Sunday School, and Adult Sunday School.

Please continue to respect others and follow the Covid-19 guidelines:

- Wear a face covering inside the church building. Masks are to be left on during worship.
- Try and stay six feet apart while entering and exiting. Avoid congregating before and after services.
- Use hand sanitizer when entering and exiting the building.
- If you have any illness, please worship online.

**\*\*New - You will be asked to have your temperature taken upon entering the building.**

Note that the sanctuary is sanitized between services on Sunday and again before worship the following Sunday.

Obviously, you need to make the final decision when to return to church. We respect everyone's decision and pray for all of our church family to prosper and be in good health.

Prayer – God, please keep all of us in your family safe from the Covid-19 virus. Give each of us your discernment and wisdom. We love you Lord and desire to help others know of your Son, Jesus Christ. In Jesus name. Amen

JKPC Session