

Guidelines for 10:30am Holy Eucharist:

1. The number of people is limited to 70 people. Therefore, you will need to sign up ahead of time. You can do so online (please see the Chronicle or Sunday links email) or by calling Kelly at the church office (850-432-5115).
2. During the service, please maintain proper physical distancing. The seating arrangement provides sufficient space between people residing in different households. Please sit where there is a bulletin. Do not move the red markers or ropes that designate where not to sit.
3. **MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHILE IN THE CHURCH.** Note: masks must cover the mouth and nose. If you forget a mask, we have extra masks at the door. The wearing of masks is in the Diocesan mandates and the CDC recommendations. Remember that this is not about your preference, but about protecting others and making them feel at peace.
4. If you are at higher risk for illness, stay home. If you do not feel well or have been in contact with someone who has been sick, stay home. If you would like communion brought to you, email [Walt](#). And remember that you are not alone. Reach out to one of the priests or others in the church to stay connected.
5. Communion will be offered in one kind (just the bread). After the Eucharist Prayer, people will be invited to a time of quiet prayer. When ready, come up to the standing station, where the priest will administer communion. You will then go out the west transept door to the courtyard, where you may remove your mask and consume the bread.
6. Everyone will enter the church from the front doors (Wright St.) and exit through the west transept (courtyard), so park accordingly. The other buildings will not be open to foot traffic and office doors will remain locked. If you need handicap access, enter through the west transept doors. Sextons will be monitoring the doors to let people through, if needed.
7. Children are most welcome to attend Church. There will also be Children's Chapel in the Parish Hall during the service. All children ages **Pre-K4 through 5th grade** are welcome to attend. Parents, if your child would like to be part of children's chapel, please take them to the Parish Hall via the door from the courtyard before entering the sanctuary. Children will not be brought in during the service. After exiting from Communion, please pick up your child from the courtyard entrance to the Parish Hall. Please see the Chronicle or Saturday Links email for children's chapel sign up.
8. At this stage, there will not be congregational singing. However, during the service, there will be musical offerings by guest instrumentalists, choir members, and/or organist.
9. At this stage, there will be no nursery or coffee hour.
10. There will not be an offertory as part of the service, so if you are in a position to continue to give to Christ Church, please mail in your offering, give online ([here](#)), or text GIVE to 850-403-6673. There will also be an offering plate located in the church if you do decide to bring in your offering.
11. If you attend a service and are later diagnosed with COVID-19, notify the church (or a member of the clergy) immediately (850-432-5115) so that we can take the necessary steps to protect others from the spread of the virus.

We will continue to adapt as new information and guidance from the CDC becomes available. The hope is that we can slowly expand in-person opportunities, but we will only do so if we can protect the safety of our congregation, especially the most vulnerable.

The Church is the people. You are the Church. And we continue to praise and serve God regardless of whether we can gather together in the same building.