

GETTING READY!

Smithville United Church invites you back to Sunday Services

Beginning August 23, 2020

The SUC Re-opening Team has been hard at work preparing for your return.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: Will I have to line up like I do at the grocery store or pharmacy?

A: We will be following the guidelines for physical distancing so you may have to wait in line, but we will try to keep this as brief as possible.

Q: Will we be entering and exiting through different doors?

A: Yes. You will be entering via the vestibule and exiting via the West Street doors

Q: Will I be asked any health questions, and will my temperature be taken?

A: Yes, you will be asked Covid 19 screening questions based on the recommendations of Niagara Region. You will not be asked any personal health questions nor will your temperature be taken.

Q: Will I be asked to wear a face mask?

A: Yes, you will be asked to wear a face covering in accordance with the recently passed temporary bylaw in Niagara Region. Those who have a medical reason for not wearing a face covering and those under the age of 5 are exempt from the bylaw.

Q: Will there be hand sanitizer provided?

A: Yes

Q: I need to use the lift. Will I be able to?

A: Yes. The Enter/Exit team will be assigning specific persons to help you with using the lift.

Q: What are you doing to keep me safe?

A: Disinfection and cleaning of surfaces as directed by the Niagara Region, UCC, other government agencies and our insurance provider. Each Sunday, attendance and contact information for attendees will be noted.

Q: Can I sit where I normally do and with my friends?

A: Some seats and rows of pews are closed off to comply with the physical distancing and the maximum capacity we are allowed at this time. You may end up a row in front or behind where

you are used to sitting. You may be in close enough proximity to speak with a friend, but please observe physical distancing at all times.

Q: Can I sing during service?

A: No, but we encourage you to hum and /or clap along to the music. We will have soloists and other singers, who will be physically distanced from the congregation.

Q: Will I be able to use the washroom?

A: Yes. The Enter/Exit Team is developing a procedure so that you will be able to use the washroom if need. Hand soap will be supplied as always along with cleaning wipes to be used on doorknobs, faucet handles, toilet flush handles, light switches and such.

Q: If I do return to church, am I going to enjoy the service and have fun?

A: Absolutely! The Re-opening Team is doing everything it can to keep you safe and put you at ease so that you can focus on Worship and reconnecting with your church.

Blessings,

The Smithville United Church Reopening Team