

TnT Bible Church

Worship Service Guidelines

(50 people or less)

Effective Sunday, May 31, 2020 at 10:30 am, we will begin in person Services with the following guidelines as recommended by the CDC. Until further notice, services will be limited to 50 people or less and we will make accommodations for multiple services as necessary.

Prior to attending, we encourage everyone to read the CDC guidelines for Religious Gatherings at <https://www.maine.gov/decd/covid-19-prevention-checklists> pertaining to the opening of Churches.

As we open the Church doors to welcome our Church family back for corporate worship, we will also continue to stream all services live over our Facebook page for all those who are high risk, are not quite ready to gather in a group and feel more comfortable worshipping from home, or just can't make it to Church on Sunday or Tuesday evening. We have ordered an FM transmitter and once it has arrived, we will hook it up to our sound system which will allow us to be able to offer drive-in Church as well. ***Please know that we don't want anyone to feel guilt or pressure during these times; we respect your decision to return when it is right for you to gather with your Church family.*** We ask that everyone do their part to help ensure a safe place for all of us to worship in. **If you are feeling sick, please stay home. CDC Posters have been posted within the Church and outside at the entrance of the Church; know the signs and symptoms of COVID-19!**

General Guidance:

Church will begin at the designated time; there will be NO coffee fellowship at this time.

Once you arrive at Church, please maintain proper physical distancing of 6 feet. Once inside, certain rows have been blocked off for use; all other rows are 6 feet apart. Families/Individuals need to have a minimum of 4 chairs between them to maintain proper physical distancing.

Face Masks should be worn if physical distancing of 6 feet cannot be maintained. For example: walking into the building, finding a seat, and exiting the Church building. You are encouraged to bring your own face mask; however, if you do not already have a cloth mask of your own, disposable masks will be available as you enter the Church.

During services, windows will be open with the ventilation system on. Please plan accordingly; if it's a chilly morning bring a sweater as windows will remain open to allow for fresh air to circulate throughout the sanctuary.

Please avoid any physical contact such as hand shaking or hugs. For this reason, the ushers will not be taking up an offering; there will be a box at the back table for tithes and offerings.

Bring your own water; the water cooler will not be available for use.

There will be NO Children's Ministry or Nursery at this time. We will make an effort to have age appropriate activity and coloring pages available; however, you will need to bring your own crayons or water soluble markers.

In accordance with CDC recommendations, the playground will be closed at this time.

Once service has ended, please exit allowing for proper physical distancing. Any and all fellowship is encouraged to take place outside the Church building while maintaining appropriate physical distancing.

We want our Church family to know that TnT Bible Church is doing everything we can to protect you, our volunteers, and staff. To this extent we will be following the CDC guidelines as referenced in this letter. Please know that although we are doing our best to make the Church building a safe environment to worship in, it may still be possible that you may, as with the common cold, flu, and other air borne illnesses, become exposed to the Corona virus. Therefore, we want you to be comfortable with whatever decision you make as to whether to attend in person or via Facebook Live.

Everything we do, we want to honor and glorify God!

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Pastor Greg