

General Guidelines For Worshipping Together (May 11, 2020)

- After reviewing the new guidelines from the State of Florida and Seminole County, the shepherds have made a change to our original plans and we have determined that we can safely worship together this if we observe the requirements they have announced. For members of the Palm Springs Drive Church of Christ, please read the entire plan.
- **Here are the tentative guidelines for those interested in being together at the PSD building:**
 - a. Only those 59 years and younger should come.
 - b. If you are sick-please do not come.
 - c. If you have underlying health conditions, please remain at home.
 - d. Face masks will not be provided, and you may wear one if you choose, but are not required.
 - e. Maintain a safe distance of 6 feet between families.
 - f. One family per row, occupying alternate ends of the pew. There will be signs on the pews showing you where not to sit.
 - g. **The Lord's Supper will be served in the regular trays, and we have made three changes:** 1. The trays will remain covered during the prayers and then uncovered and passed to the servers, after the prayers are said. 2. The bread will already be broken into single pieces and will be ready for you to pick up, and each person will therefore only need to handle one piece of bread. 3. Those serving the Lord's Supper will be able to serve the bread and the fruit of the vine without needing to hand any trays to any of those seated, because the way we are seated will allow those serving to step in front of each family and serve from the row in front of each family.
 - h. Seaters will be on hand to help with encouraging safe distancing.
 - i. Please do not congregate in the lobby or front or back of the auditorium before, during or after worship. Perhaps the porch will allow fellowship at a safe distance. Please be mindful of other's concerns. The seaters will gladly remind us of our need to worship safely.
 - j. Contribution: We will not be collecting the contribution. We will provide a box in the foyer for you to place your contribution into, if you wish, on Sunday.
 - k. Be assured the shepherds want all of us to be together as soon as possible. And realize some of us do not have the same level of comfort as you might. This is our current plan to slowly bring us back together, based on the current guidelines and based on how comfortable we are with close contact. We welcome your thoughts, suggestions, questions, and certainly your prayers. We will have more details as the State and County guidelines are changed.
 - l. The email address for the shepherds is elders@psd.church
 - m. This information will be posted on the web site.
 - n. As we progress through this there will more information to come.