

Re-Opening RCAC Parents' Letter

Dear Parents,

We are thankful to come to this stage of re-opening the church for "In Person" Worship Services. We are mindful that children 11 & under are not yet vaccinated and will use the following protocol in order to keep them safe. Children 5 years old and up must be masked & younger children are recommended to be masked.

Please note these changes in preparation for the safety of your child.

- 1) What to bring in your child's church bag?
 - Bible & Personal Stationary (scissors, markers, pencils, glue stick etc...)
- 2) What to expect during the Service?
 - Kids will stay with their families for the beginning of each worship service (approx. 15 mins)
 - Pre-K 4-Gr. 6 will then be dismissed to Room 103 for an age appropriate Bible Time as an entire group. We will be physically distant and older siblings are expected to help younger family members.
 - Volunteers will be required from within each Worship Service & will follow a monthly rotation schedule. All volunteers must be fully vaccinated.
 - Younger children will stay with their family for the entire service. There will be no Supervised Nursery at this time.
 - The Observation Nurseries (3rd Floor) will be available by weekly invitation with ONLY 1 family/room. There will be a limitation of toys for each service.
- 3) What to expect after the Service?
 - Parents are to exit the Sanctuary & use the immediate Staircase on their left to pick up their children in Room 103
 - Children in Room 103 will sanitize their tables & chairs
 - Families in the Observation Nurseries will sanitize the larger toys & bring the box of exposed toys to the Kitchen. These will be sanitized through the dishwasher during the week.

Continue to pray with us in the process of coming together "In Person".

Blessings,

Pastor Karen & the Children's Ministry Team