

GUIDELINES FOR A SAFE RETURN TO SACRED HEART CHURCH

1. Prior to coming to Church: - Register for Mass by calling the office on Tuesday or Thursday between 9.00 am to 12.00 pm.
 - As seating will be done by family units, all members registered for Mass must arrive together in order to be seated.
 - Bring your own mask.
 - Plan to arrive early (doors open 30 minutes prior to Mass).
 - Please note, at 10 minutes before Mass time, your assigned seats may be given away to others.
2. When arriving:
 - Please ensure to socially distance.
 - Masks are recommended to be worn by all – over the age of 8.
 - You must enter the church by the Left main door.
 - You will be greeted by a volunteer who will indicate when you can enter.
 - Sanitize your hands and look at the signage that lists symptoms to enhance awareness.
 - When advised, enter the foyer.
3. In the foyer:
 - You will be greeted by another volunteer.
 - You will be asked your name and phone number.
4. Being seated:
 - You will be escorted to your seat by way of the main aisle.
5. After being seated:
 - Please remain in your assigned seat.
 - Only use washroom if absolutely necessary.
 - You will not be allowed to leave Mass early.
6. During Mass:
 - During this re-opening, please refrain from singing.
 - During Communion remain in your pew until directed by an usher.
 - Holy Communion is only to be received in the hand.
 - After receiving Holy Communion, you are to put your mask back on.
7. After the Closing hymn:
 - After the Closing Hymn you will be dismissed row by row, starting at the back.
 - While leaving you can drop your collection envelope in the basket at the back of the church.
 - You are to use the Right Main Door to exit.
 - No socializing inside the church.
 - You are asked to socially distance after leaving the church.
8. After Mass:
 - Church is empty.