

Guidelines for Attending Weekend Mass at St. Joseph's Church

The obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still dispensed by Bishop Folda

- If you are sick, not feeling well, coughing or sneezing; or around someone who is sick; please stay home
- If you are elderly, or are vulnerable to illness; consider staying home
- If you do not feel safe at a public Mass at this time in the pandemic you may remain at home

Facebook livestreamed Mass will still be offered at 9 A.M. on Sundays.

Personal hygiene and sanitization

- We cannot kill every germ in our Church or Parish Center
- There is no substitute for your own personal hygiene and sanitization practices
- Please wash/sanitize your hands upon arriving and leaving
- Avoid touching your face
- If you have a mask, please bring it and wear it correctly (covering nose to chin)

Bathrooms

- Sanitize toilet handle, toilet seat, sink handles, and door handle
- PLEASE WASH YOUR HANDS!!!
- After washing your hands use paper towel to shut off water and open door
- Do not discard anything in the toilet other than toilet paper

Due to restrictions we are not able to use our full capacity; overflow Masses will be held in the Parish Center

- Sat 5:00 P.M. Church and Parish Center
- 7:30 A.M. Church only
- 9:00 A.M. Church and Parish Center
- 10:30 A.M. Church and Parish Center
- 12:00 P.M. Church only

Mass at the Parish Center

- Offered at the same time as 5:00 P.M. Sat and 9:00 A.M. and 10:30 A.M. Sunday
- Ushers will seat you according to household size
- Please us front door only

Seating is limited to every other pew and 6 feet social distancing

Ushers will be seating everyone

- You might not get the spot you want

Households will sit together

If Mass at one location is filled, you can try the second location, or wait for the next Mass

Ushers will dismiss you after Mass

The Church sanitized before the next Mass attendees are allowed in, please be patient

Please do not linger or socialize in Church, Parish Center, or Mother Theresa Hall

- Maintain 6 feet social distancing
- Allow our cleaning crew time to sanitize between Masses

Holy Communion

- Processing up for Communion up the side aisles instead of the main aisle for distancing proposes
- Please allow person/household in front of you 6 feet space
- Please remove or lower your mask in line
- Hand sanitizer will be provided
- Please receive Holy Communion in the hand
- Be conscious of 6 feet rule as you return to your pew

Those who are gluten intolerant may receive Communion in the Precious Blood; please notify the priest if you are attending Mass