

Returning to public Masses

As we return to Holy Mass being offered in public, there are a few guidelines to remember:

*Your obligation is still dispensed from. If you are at risk, sick, or uncomfortable: stay home.

1. Mass times:
 - a. Rockford – 5:30pm Sat. Roseville – 8:30am Sun. Greene – 10:30am Sun.
 - b. Weekday – Greene at 7:30am Tues. thru Fri.
2. All Masses are in church! (No chapel use)
3. Attendance for weekend Mass is based on 2 weekend rotation of **last** names: **THIS IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE!!!!**
 - a. 1st weekend: A-M
 - b. 2nd weekend: N-Z
 - c. Weekday attendance: unrestricted
4. Maintain social distancing:
 - a. Use only pews that are not blocked off.
 - b. Sit with your family, distance from other families.
 - c. Do not gather to talk in church, if you want to talk to others, do it outside!
 - d. There will no “Sign of Peace” during Mass.
 - e. Do not hold hands during the Our Father
 - f. Wear a mask during Mass (Fr. will wear his during Communion time)
5. Other things:
 - a. Ministers: only a lector and one usher at each Mass, no servers or communion ministers.
 - b. Communion done by sides (right side, then left); Fr. is the only one who will distribute. No chalice offered. If receiving on the tongue, go last.
 - c. Hand sanitizer is offered at the entrances to church. Please use coming in and going out.
 - d. Masks: Please wear one at Mass. If you don’t have one of your own, please grab on that is proved at the entrance(s) and take it with you.
 - e. Collections: a basket will be at each entrance. Put your collection in the basket at you come in or are leaving. There will be no offertory collection until further notice.
 - f. Fr. will take care of music himself for the time being. Feel free to join him, but don’t feel obligated at this time.
6. One last note:
 - a. **PRAY!!!!!!!!!!**
 - i. For an end to the pandemic and that we may gather together with no restrictions.
 - ii. For your priests who have struggled enough during this pandemic as is.