



Thank you for your continued patience as we continually make our way through the challenges of this pandemic. We received the following update regarding masks from the Archdiocese today.

Masks will be provided in the Gathering Space if you do not have one. As a reminder, each Saturday we have been recording 4:30 p.m. Mass and posting it to the Worship from Home tab of our website by 6:30 p.m., if you feel more comfortable viewing from home.

We continue to pray for all of our parishioners, their family and friends, those struggling with the virus and their caregivers. Blessings and peace to all.



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Office for Divine Worship and Sacraments WEARING OF MASKS

In the May Guidelines for the Resumption of Public Worship, the following was one of the fundamental tenets: "In all circumstances, appropriate social distancing and the regulations put forth by public health authorities must be observed."

Governor DeWine issued an order effective July 8 at 6:00 p.m. mandating face coverings while in public in high risk, "Red Alert Level 3" counties. In our archdiocese, these now include Butler, Hamilton, Clermont and Montgomery counties. As described in the Ohio Department of Health press release, people in these counties are required to wear a face covering:

- In any indoor location that is not a residence;
- When outdoors and unable to consistently maintain a distance of six feet or more from individuals who are not members of their household; or
- While waiting for, riding, driving, or operating public transportation, a

taxi, a private car service, or a ride-sharing vehicle.

The order does not apply to children under the age of 10 or any other minor who cannot safely wear a face covering.

Until such notice, or until the order expires, Mass attendees in Butler, Hamilton, Clermont and Montgomery counties must wear a mask while in church which is consistent with our emphasis on public safety and the common good.
