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Special Faith Formation Procedures Because of COVID-19

Classroom Precautions

- Before class begins, tables and door handles will all be wiped down with disinfectant cleaner as well as having a hand sanitizer bottle in each class that children and catechists can use.
- Catechists and students will be social distanced (6 ft) from each other during class. For students, this means two children per table.
- The expectation is that children and catechists will wear masks or shields throughout the class.
- The tables and door handles will be sanitized between class sessions.

Drop Off/Pick-Up

Drop Off

- Drop off will continue to be on the **side** of the Church with the following modifications.
- Drive up to the side door and you will be greeted by a volunteer who will help your child leave the car and make sure your child(ren) enter the door into the Church. You do not have to park your car or enter the Church as in previous years.
- At the other end of the hall another volunteer will watch as your child walks up the hall and will make sure the student(s) enter the door to the RE classrooms.
- Your child will then be inside the Pastoral Center and will walk to their classroom. There will be someone to help students, especially the little ones to their classrooms.

Pick Up

- This is a new procedure and new location to pick up your child(ren) after class.
- Please plan to pick-up your child(ren) from the **front** of the Church.
- Drive up the front of the Church and stay in your car. A volunteer will meet you. Give the name of your child and grade to the volunteer. The volunteer will use a walkie-talkie to call for your child. The children will be in Atonement Hall—social distanced—waiting to be released to their parents. The children will leave their classes 5 – 10 minutes before the session ends to be in Atonement Hall promptly by the end of the session.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at sue.reilly@ctrcc.org. I'd love to meet and talk with you!!

God bless,

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