

# Phases to Restart In-Person Services at Trinity

The following phases for restarting in-person services were developed in consultation with medical professionals, published guidance from [the Centers for Disease Control \(CDC\)](#) and [recommended guidelines from our governing authorities](#). The duration of each phase is contingent on continued improvement “on-the-ground.” **Please note: Governor Brian Kemp has ordered all those with underlying health conditions to shelter-in-place until August 11, 2020.** All those who cannot attend in-person services are encouraged to attend online.

## Phase 1

Sunday Service: Morning Prayer

- Pre-registration required with only 16 household slots total.
- Strict social distancing.
- Mask-wearing required.
- Handwash station outside on porch.
- Doors propped open before and after service.
- No children’s programming.
- No communion.
- No choir or acolytes.
- Small music team.
- No Welcome Team.
- Two Ushers to direct households to staggered pews.
- Project liturgy (no bulletins).
- No coffee hour.
- Offering in lock box in central hallway.
- Vulnerable persons seated in balcony or back of Nave.
- No indoor congregational singing.

Community Groups

- All strongly encouraged to continue meeting online.
- May meet in-person in groups no larger than 10.
- Larger groups may meet in separate smaller groups.

Funerals & Weddings

- Weddings limited to 16 households
- Funerals graveside only and limited to 16 households

Online Wednesday Night Suppers, Prayer Meetings, Vestry Meetings, & Committee Meetings

## Phase 2

Sunday Service: Eucharist

- Moderate social distancing
- Mask-wearing required (3 years and older)
- Handwash station outside on porch
- Doors propped open before and after service
- No children’s programming
- No choir or acolytes
- Small music team
- No welcome team
- Two ushers to direct households to staggered pews
- Project liturgy (no bulletins)
- No coffee hour
- Offering in locked box in central hallway

- Drive-up communion available

#### Community Groups

- May meet in person or continue online

#### Funerals & Weddings

- Weddings limited to 24 households
- Funerals graveside only and limited to 24 households

#### Vestry Meetings & Committee Meetings

- May resume in-person with social distancing or continue online

## Phase 3

#### Sunday Service: Eucharist

- Open service
- Minimal social distancing
- Mask-wearing strongly encouraged
- Handwash station outside on porch
- Doors propped open before and after service
- Welcome team with no contact
- Children's programming resumes with masked children's workers & volunteers
- Choir, music team, ushers, acolytes, & LEMs resume as normal
- Project liturgy (no bulletins)
- Coffee bar open with sanitizer
- Offering in locked box in central hallway

#### Community Groups

- May meet in person or continue online

#### Funerals & Weddings

- May resume with handwashing before and sanitizing building after

#### Prayer Meetings

- May resume without laying on of hands

#### Vestry Meetings & Committee Meetings

- May resume in person or continue online

## Phases At-A-Glance

Please note that there are no dates or durations attached to any phases.

	<b>Phase 1</b>	<b>Phase 2</b>	<b>Phase 3</b>
<b>SUNDAY WORSHIP</b>			
Type of service	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Eucharist</b>	<b>Eucharist</b>
	Pre-registration required with 16 household slots total.*	Open service*	Open service*
	*Those 65 and over and those with underlying health conditions <b>strongly</b> encouraged to attend online.		
Livestreamed	✓	✓	✓
Social distancing	Strict	Moderate	Minimal
Masks encouraged	✓	✓	✓
Handwashing station on porch	✓	✓	✓
Doors propped open before & after service	✓	✓	✓
Children's programming	✗	✗	✓ (with PPE)
Communion	✗	✗	✓
Choir and acolytes	✗	✗	✓
Music team	✗	✓	✓
Welcome team	✗	✗	✓ (no contact)
Ushers	✓	✓	✓
Projected liturgy	✓	✓	✓
Coffee hour	✗	✗	✓ Coffee bar only
Offering (locked box)	✓	✓	✓
Drive-up communion available	✗	✓	✓
<b>COMMUNITY GROUPS</b>			
Encouraged to meet online	✓	✓	✓
May meet in person in groups no larger than...	10	20	30
<b>FUNERALS &amp; WEDDINGS</b>			
Wedding size limited to...	16 households	24 households	No additional restrictions
Funerals limited to...	16 households; graveside only	24 households; graveside only	
<b>OTHER GATHERINGS/MEETINGS</b>			
Prayer Meetings	online	online	May resume in person without laying on of hands
Vestry & Committee Meetings	online	May resume in person with social distancing or continue online	May resume in person with social distancing or continue online