

July 11th Re-Opening Protocols for All Saints Anglican Church

Provincial and Diocesan guidelines allow for organizations and churches to set the protocols that best reflect the needs of the people we serve. In this time of transition, All Saints invites everyone back to in person worship. Our desire is to offer a safe and welcome environment to our most vulnerable. This includes our seniors, caregivers, those not yet fully vaccinated or have family members not vaccinated, those with health issues, or are immunocompromised. **We will maintain current COVID-19 restrictions of distancing, no contact, and mandatory use of a face mask while inside the church.** Thank-you in advance for your patience and the compassion you extend to our fellow saints.

Other protocols:

- The usher will seat you socially distanced.
- Prayer books & hymnals can be used.
- Congregation singing is allowed but with a mask on. Hymnal page numbers or lyrics will be printed in the bulletin.
- Sign of Peace – please wave & nod or exchange the universal peace sign. You may exchange the usual sign of peace with people in your cohort only.
- Communion will include the consecrated bread only. Ushers will guide you forward to sanitize, remove your mask, receive & consume the blessed sacrament, sanitize again. The celebrant will sanitize and drop the wafer into your hands.
- An offering plate will be located on the side altar as you exit the church if you wish to leave a donation.
- Ushers will guide you out through the back north exit door after the service where you may socialize in the parking lot.

Please note that the service will be live-streamed and broadcast on social media. Due to this, you may appear in the video.