

CCC Covid-19 Protocols Summary Updated: 5.5.2021

St. Cloud Campus

I. For Sunday Morning Worship and Other Activities

- Attendees should self-identify when they are possibly ill and not come on campus
- Beginning Sunday, May 30, 2021, masks will be optional while seated, for those who are teaching, and for those leading from the stage during worship. The St. Cloud Community Center auditorium is roughly 5,000 square feet, allowing attendees to distance themselves from others as much as they choose. Chairs in the auditorium will be spaced out to accommodate more than 4 feet of physical distancing between rows.
- Beginning Sunday, July 1, 2021, masks will be optional for all activities at the St. Cloud campus.
- Physical distancing is not required, but encouraged

II. For Ministry Gatherings, Events, and Meetings During Week

- Attendees should self-identify when they are possibly ill and not come on campus
- Masks are optional
- Social distancing encouraged whenever possible
- Food/drink are fine for ministry events. Leaders should communicate with the CCC office staff about various preparation and serving options.

III. Scenarios for Possible Cases, Exposure, and Quarantine

- (1) SCENARIO: [symptoms](#) and [positive](#) COVID test(s)
 - According to the CDC, please remain home until ALL of the following are true: 10 days since symptoms first appeared, 24 hours of no fever without use of fever-reducing medicine, **and** other symptoms are improving.¹
- (2) SCENARIO: [symptoms](#) and [negative](#) COVID test(s)
 - You could still have the flu, cold, etc. Please self-quarantine until after 24 hours of no fever without use of fever-reducing medicine **and** other symptoms are improving.
- (3) SCENARIO: [no symptoms](#) and [positive](#) COVID test(s)
 - According to the CDC, “If you continue to have no symptoms, you can be with others after 10 days have passed since you had a positive viral test for COVID-19.”²
- (4) SCENARIO: when an individual has had a “close contact” [direct exposure](#)³ to a positive COVID case in any setting, and/or has been asked to [quarantine](#) by a school or workplace (or other organization), [even if no immediate symptoms are present](#)
 - While the CDC continues to encourage 14-day quarantines (note: 14 days is the incubation period of the virus, meaning infection, symptoms, and a positive test

are all possible 14 days out from exposure to a positive case), they now offer some options to reduce quarantine time:

- “For people without symptoms, quarantine can end on **day 10 without testing**, or on **day 7 after receiving a negative test result** (test must occur on day 5 or later).”⁴ For CCC, the quarantine days will begin on the date/time of possible exposure. After ending quarantine, watch for symptoms up to day 14.
- As long as the individual in quarantine has no symptoms and has not tested positive, other household members do not need to quarantine.

IV. Communication of Covid-19 Cases within CCC

- Public announcement is made in a fitting way (email, phone, text, verbal, etc.) to the CCC group(s) with which the individual had “close contact” from two days (48 hours) before the individual developed symptoms or tested positive.⁵
- If this included a weekend service, the church should be notified via MailChimp or social media, only using the name of the individual if permission is granted. [*The CCC elders would decide whether or not to gather for weekend worship in such an instance.*]
- CCC groups with known exposure should not meet for 10-14 days and attenders that were present in “close contact” with the individual should self-quarantine in the manner listed above. [*This should be determined in conjunction with CCC elders if the situation arises.*]

¹ On returning to activities after a positive test with symptoms, see <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/end-home-isolation.html>

² On returning to activities after a positive test with no symptoms, see <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/end-home-isolation.html>

³ On “Close Contact” see, <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/contact-tracing/contact-tracing-plan/appendix.html#contact>

⁴ On quarantine guidance, see <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/quarantine.html>

⁵ On “Close Contact” see, <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/contact-tracing/contact-tracing-plan/appendix.html#contact>