

Camano Lutheran Church

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To the community of faith at Camano Lutheran Church,

The church council met on March 17 to review our current Covid policies regarding the update in State guidance regarding masking and the implications for our worship services and building use. Several factors went into determining the next steps for CLC. The council took into consideration state and CDC guidelines, synodical recommendations, results from the 75 surveys turned in, the recommendation of the worship and music ministry team and suggestions from various conversations with people from the CLC community. Also factored into the decision was the amount of people attending in person worship and online and the number of volunteers and resources available to help with all that goes into our worship services.

Starting March 23, the Following Changes Take Effect

+Masks are optional for worship and activities on the CLC campus. We ask all to be sensitive and recognize that there are those who will continue to wear masks for personal reasons.

+We will have one service at 10am and will alternate worship spaces every other week between the small and large sanctuary. A sandwich board in the courtyard will direct you to the correct worship space in case you forget when you arrive.

**+Holden Evening Prayer Midweek services will be in the small sanctuary
+Communion will continue to be received by individual communion kits or coming forward and Pastor will hand you the bread and a communion assistant will have the wine on trays.**

+Extra chairs will be set up in Pioneer Hall for those that desire more space around them.

This is a time of transition and flexibility, and we will try this schedule out through the summer. If numbers change around Covid we will adjust accordingly. Thank you for your continued support, feedback and gifts of ministry shared during these last two years. We continue forward in the hope of Christ and the celebration of his resurrection.

Your Camano Lutheran Church Council

As God's people we are committed to

Sharing Christ's Love, *Growing* in faith, *Serving* neighbor near and far