

Covenant for Regathering

Addendum 1

In response to the current COVID-19 pandemic, I promise, with God's help and to the best of my ability, to abide by the guidelines of First Christian Church for participation in the life of my congregation. I'm part of the Plan.

I will strive to:

Love my neighbor as myself; I will...

- **Wear a mask or scarf over my nose and mouth at all times in church buildings, except momentarily to receive communion or lead worship through an assigned speaking part, and follow public health guidelines for hand sanitizing and disinfecting.**
- **Only attend worship and receive communion if I am non-symptomatic for the COVID19 virus or any other transmittable disease that could compromise the health of another congregant.**
- **Will abstain from attending if doing so would put me at greater risk due to my own health status.**
- **Follow and abide with all guidelines of the COVID19 Plan prepared by FCC Hagerstown.**

Respect the dignity of every human being, I will...

- **Make no physical contact with people beyond the members of my own household.**
- **Maintain a six foot or more distance from other members of the congregation.**
- **Respect any requests for distance, masking, and cleaning to ensure the safety and comfort level of others.**
- **Avoid close congregating in Tower Room, Narthex, Parlor, Sanctuary aisles, and hallways.**

Seek and serve Christ in all people...

- **Trust and support the decisions of both my congregational leaders and staff.**
- **Stay connected with others in my community by telephone, video chat, or mail.**

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