

Worshipping Through COVID-19

To Our North Park Worship Centre (COGOP) Family & Friends



North Park Worship Centre will re-open with one service on Sunday September 6th 2020 at 10:00 a.m. for a Maximum capacity of 70 attendees. Please see below:

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A) Steps we have taken to protect our teammates and our quest for re-opening

Safety continues to be North Park Worship Centre's number one priority. We've implemented measures to ensure we are doing everything we can to keep our teammates and attendees safe. We will continue to assess and implement new measures as needed.

To date, we have:

- Installed Plexiglas at our reception desk, bathrooms and main office.
- Provide personal protective equipment (face shields, masks and gloves), temperature and wellness checks, for all our workers.
- Set up a special sanitizing team to wipe down common areas even more often.
- Purchase professional grade sanitizing equipment for chairs.
- Hand Sanitizers are available in all areas throughout the building.
- Installed signage and markings to help facilitate a two-metre distancing.
- Closed off areas that are not staffed throughout service. (All areas beyond the bathrooms are closed and off limits)

B) Warnings, Disclaimer & Restrictions

Warning: If you have underlying health issues, and if you are an elderly person, we **DO NOT RECOMMEND** you attend in person service at this time.

Disclaimer: Although we take every precaution to ensure the safety of our staff and attendees, NPWC, do not take any responsibility for any illness that you may contract. You must practise all the protocols and take the necessary precautions that have been advised by the government of Ontario/Ministry of Health, and your personal health care provider to protect yourself and your family.

Restrictions:

If you have travelled outside of Canada, or to other Provinces within 14 days of attendance, have been in contact with persons with or exhibiting COVID symptoms, or have a fever, and temperature over 37.5°, **please DO NOT attend in-person services.**

No social gatherings/congregating before or after services

The lower level, (except bathrooms) is closed and off limits.

The Kitchen is closed until further notice

Sunday services will continue online.

Wednesday Evening Prayer & Bible Study will continue online until further notice.

Children's, Youth, Women's, Men's Ministries and Sunday School will continue online until further notice.

There will be No VBS this year.

C) **Guideline for Members/Guest**: The following are guidelines to our re-opening. They are in place to guide us throughout the COVID-19 Pandemic and are recommended by the Ministry of Health. They are not permanent or exhaustive, and ongoing changes will be made for improvement, and as new regulations are announced by our Government. **All attendees** must abide by these outlines and respectfully follow the directives of our Ushers/Host, Parking Attendant and other staff while in attendance.

1) **North Park Worship Centre will adapt a weekly Reservation Style Process**. You may reserve your attendance for the immediate Sunday on [eventbrite.ca](https://www.eventbrite.ca), or by phone Monday to Wednesday at, [905-450-7554](tel:905-450-7554). (Please leave a voice message if no one answers immediately) or email: smoodie@northparkwc.org. (***Registrations begins 9 am Monday August 31st, 2020***)

- ***Note: Persons will not be able to attend without reservations at this time.***
- ***We will not accept more than one reservation at a time or advance Sunday reservations.***
- ***In order to try and accommodate everyone, we ask that if you have attended two (2) Sundays for the month, to permit others the opportunity to attend. We can put your name on a wait list, in-case there is space or cancellation.***

2) One direction in and one direction out. 6Ft distancing will be enforced. Signage's are throughout the building.

3) Individual assessment to those who reserved begins at 9:30 a.m. (This includes a touchless forehead temperature scan and to complete a personal assessment form for each service. ***These forms are for the protection of all attendees, NPWC and our community. I.E. Contact Tracing***). ***No social gatherings/congregating before or after services.***

4) Seating will be assigned. (Please co-operate)

5) Debit Machine, Holy Sacraments, Tithe envelopes, will be available on entry (***Giving online is still available and strongly encouraged***).

6) Attendees are required to:

- Wear a mask at all times
- Sanitize on entry and exit (There will be sanitizing stations available)
- Families must arrive, sit together and remain in the Sanctuary throughout the service) (We are encouraging household/family bubble car-pooling.
- Children MUST remain with their parents at all times.
- Walking around is limited to bathroom use only.

7) Only two (2) persons in the bathrooms at a time.