

May 12, 2021

Dear Reformation Members and Friends,

I hope this letter finds you well, enjoying the warmer weather and anticipating a life of more normalcy.

As I think of writing to you, my thoughts go to a verse from the Bible, Genesis 31:3: “return to the land of your fathers and to your relatives, and I will be with you”. This verse gives me great hope and reminds me that we will soon return to our lives as we have known them, with our families, friends and with our Church family.

The Gathering Safely Task Force and Council have been carefully monitoring the current, updated Covid guidelines and after meeting have devised the following plans for worship and fellowship beginning on Sunday, June 6.

There will be **two worship opportunities each Sunday** – one outdoors at 8:30 am and one online at 10:00 am. Details about the worship opportunities are provided on the back of this letter.

There will be an **outdoor fellowship opportunity, *Fun in the Sun-Day***, nearly every Sunday afternoon or evening in the summer. Details about the fellowship opportunities will be published in the June newsletter.

As we implement these changes beginning in June, we are also looking ahead with hope to the possibility of resuming indoor worship in July! This, of course, will be subject to public health guidance. Council will review such plans at its June meeting.

With words of hope, Genesis 28:21 “and I return to my father’s house in safety then the Lord will be my God”, I want to sincerely thank you for your continued support and prayers as we move forward.

God Bless You!

Debbie Conley
Council President

Summer Outdoor Worship

Sundays at 8:30 am beginning June 6

PLEASE NOTE: This worship will be weather and volunteer dependent. In the case of inclement weather or insufficient number of volunteers, worship will be cancelled. Please check the Reformation website and look for email updates if the weather or forecast is questionable.

- Worship will be held at 8:30 am every Sunday, weather permitting, in the east parking lot. That lot will be closed to parking.
- Volunteers will be on site to help direct worshippers to park behind the building or in the west lot.
- Masks and social distancing are required while on Reformation property.
- All worshippers will provide their own chairs.
- Worship will include the celebration of Holy Communion
- Preregistration is requested of all worshippers each week. Make an online reservation at relcmedia.org/summer2021 or by calling the church office at 610-891-0600.
- Several volunteers are needed each week to help with worship. Sign up to volunteer at relcmedia.org/summer2021
- Please contact a pastor or the deacon if you have any questions.

We look forward to seeing you at Reformation for worship this summer!