

Outdoor Small Group Regathering

In keeping with both federal and state guidelines for public safety during the COVID-19 pandemic, Truro Anglican Church will be continuing to limit events on our campus. However, beginning June 22, ministry-related small groups may begin to gather outdoors on campus. All events must be run or coordinated by Truro staff members in order to ensure that these gatherings, as well as our campus, meet the federal, state, and Truro-specific safety recommendations. These events are subject to existing reservation policies. Effective June 22, 2020, the following policies are in place:

Campus Policies:

1. No one with a fever in the last 48 hours, other symptoms of COVID-19, or known exposure to a COVID-19 case in the last 14 days, is permitted on campus at any time.
2. Gatherings will be outdoors and in groups of 25 individuals or less and must maintain a distance of 6 feet between each individual.
 - a. Chairs will be set out at the prescribed distance and may not be moved.
 - b. In case of inclement weather, all events will be cancelled.
 - c. If a meeting is already in progress in your group's assigned space upon your arrival, you must remain in your vehicle until that group concludes and chairs can be disinfected.
3. At this time, group singing is not permitted for health reasons.
4. Children below 6th grade are not allowed on campus for the time being due to extra challenges of maintaining distancing requirements.
5. Meeting duration will not exceed 1 hour to increase the time available for disinfecting efforts and to reduce the traffic of the restroom areas.
6. Individuals are highly encouraged to wear face coverings over their nose and mouth at all times. Face coverings are required indoors.
7. Restrooms will be available in the parish office and will be sanitized at least daily. However, we encourage you to practice healthy hand hygiene when using the restrooms.
8. Food and drinks are not permitted on campus other than a personal water bottle.
9. When multiple groups meet on campus, they must stay in the designated area for their group.
 - a. Signage will reflect each group's designated area.
 - b. Any space or items used will be disinfected afterwards by the sextons.

We will re-evaluate these policies as new guidelines are released in Fairfax County. These policies were last updated June 11, 2020.