

PLEASE TAKE THIS NOTICE HOME WITH YOU
DO NOT LEAVE IT IN CHURCH
(TO AVOID SPREADING POSSIBLE VIRAL CONTAMINATION)

Things to know when you come to a weekend Mass starting July 4/5th.

The maximum number of persons allowed is 100 per Mass.

- ❖ At Saint Christopher's, the church can hold 50 socially distanced person. The hall will be opened to hold 50 more.
- ❖ At Our Lady of Peace, the church can hold 50 socially distanced persons. Since there is no hall, two Sunday Masses will be scheduled at Our Lady of Peace.

The schedule will be as follows:

- Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 pm at Saint Christopher Church
- Sunday Masses: 7:30 am at Our Lady of Peace Church
9:00 am at Our Lady of Peace Church
10:30 am at Saint Christopher Church
- WEAR A MASK
- Use your own hand sanitizer or use the one at the entrance to the church.
- Please sit in the places designated on the pews to maintain social distancing. The places are marked by a paper attached to the back of the pew. Those who live in the same house can sit together (i.e. husbands and wives, parents and children)
- All missalettes have been removed to avoid spreading possible viral contamination. You may bring your own worship book but take it with you. Leave nothing behind!
- Communion will be distributed only in the center aisle. Communicants should stand single file only, six feet apart (marked on floor). After receiving, do not return to the center aisle but walk around to the side aisle and enter the pew from that aisle.
- *At Our Lady of Peace only:* At communion, if you are coming from a pew closest to the windows, after you leave the pew, turn to the back of the church and line up at the back to come down the center aisle, maintaining social distancing at all times.
- When the host is placed in your hand, step to the side, pull down the mask under your chin, receive the host and then pull up the mask.
- Communion should be received in the hand only. Those who insist on receiving on the tongue must be the last in line to avoid contaminating the ones who come after them.

- Collections will not be taken in the usual way. As you walk in, please drop your envelope in the basket placed at each aisle. Ushers will then take the baskets to a secure place.

IMPORTANT:

- If you are a part of the population that is especially vulnerable to contracting the corona virus such as the elderly, or those with underlying health conditions, you are strongly encouraged not to attend public Masses at this time but to follow carefully all precautions. This applies especially to those who go to the 4 o'clock Vigil Mass at Saint Christopher's.
- The archbishop has dispensed anyone from attending public Mass who is part of the high-risk population or those who are concerned in any way about contracting the corona virus.
- Those who care for anyone who is vulnerable are also strongly encouraged not to attend public Masses.