

## Outdoor Worship at All Saints', Millington

*(weather permitting)*

### Sunday at 5 pm: Evening Prayer

We will begin our **COVID-time in-person service** of worship on Aug. 23. Even while we will be so glad to gather in person, to worship God, and to see fellow parishioners, **our first priority is the safety of those who attend.** This is an expression of loving our neighbor as we love God. We know from epidemiologists and public health doctors that being outdoors with a group of people is always safer than being indoors.

**In order to keep everyone safe,** we have some guidelines that you will be required to agree to in order to participate. Please read the following list carefully.

**If you read the church's requirements and feel that you are able to comply with them,** then please go ahead and register for this Sunday's service using the link at the bottom of the page.

- **Wear a mask** that covers both mouth and nose and wear it for the entire time. If you don't wear a mask you will not be able to join us.
- **Keep a physical distance** of at least 6 feet from anyone with whom you don't live.
- **Bring a folding chair** or lawn chair and put it in one of the marked spots. Family groups, of course, may sit together, leaving distance between you and the next group.
- **A worship bulletin** will be e-mailed to you if you have registered. Please print it out at home and bring it with you or bring your own Book of Common Prayer.
- **Contact tracing** – we will keep a record of who attends. If someone at the service is later diagnosed with COVID-19 or discovers they have been exposed, everyone who was at the service will be notified. If YOU are diagnosed or are found to have been exposed to COVID please call the parish office immediately.
- **Please make a reservation.** This first service will have a congregational **limit of 25** people. If you don't have a reservation, we can't save a place for you. We are starting small. If it goes well, we can increase the size of the congregation next time.
- **Enter the worship area by the usher's station near the choir room door on Church Road.** The usher will check you in, point out a spot for your chair, and have hand sanitizer and Purell wipes available. The service will be held on the lawn between the Church and Church Road/parking lot. Entering at the usher station will also help you to have a smooth walking path and avoid rough ground.
- **If you feel sick, please stay home.** If you become ill during the service, please tell the usher and that person will make sure you get help in going home.
- **There will be no coffee hour at the end of the service.**

If you are able to comply with the requirements above, **please make a reservation by clicking the link below** and giving us your information. If you are not able to attend this week or the reservations are full, we hope you will be able to join us next week. We also know that there are some people who will not be comfortable with in-person worship until there is a vaccine. That is perfectly understandable; we will miss you, but we won't feel disappointed if you can't come.

**We are starting small and simple**, and we will adapt as we go along. The 10 am Sunday service will continue on Zoom for now. Our service of Compline at 9:30 pm each day continues on Facebook Live.

**Here is the link to register:** 1) click on the **link** 2) click on the **blue bar** that says Evening Prayer 3) In the new screen, enter **your name** in the top box 4) Enter **the number of people** attending with you in the second box 4) enter **your e-mail** so we can contact you for a response and send a bulletin 5) Hit the “**submit**” button. <https://reopen.church/r/bloP83YN>

Let us continue to hold one another in prayer and Christ’s love, as we continue learning how to be the Church, the Body of Christ, in this pandemic time.

Blessings, Vicki+