



# The Parish of Saint Luke

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*Healing the world one welcome at a time.*

**Welcome home! We've missed you.**

St. Luke's returns to regular Sunday in-person worship  
starting on,  
**Independence Day, July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021.**

To facilitate a safe and comfortable worship experience for all to wish to return to in-person services, we ask for all who attend our services to keep the following points in mind.

- Wearing masks is always appropriate, and currently recommended, given the new more virulent variant, no matter what your vaccination status. If you are not vaccinated, we ask that you wear a mask and maintain healthy social distance, for your sake and for the sake of others who may be vulnerable.
- The pews are marked with papers that approximate appropriate social distancing throughout the sanctuary. Spacing may change depending on the size of your party. Please use your best judgement regarding the seating of yourselves, families or other small groups for everyone's comfort and safety.
- Singing in the congregation is welcomed by those who are vaccinated, but please be mindful of your proximity to others. There is plenty of space, so if you at any point feel crowded or uncomfortable, there should be other seating options around the sanctuary.
- The Passing of the Peace may proceed with handshakes and hugs between familiars. A polite bow is also appropriate. Please avoid crowding the aisles for the time being.
- Communion will be offered, but there will be no sharing of a common cup. The eucharistic ministers are all vaccinated, and with gloved hands will distribute the bread and dip it in the wine chalice and then hand it to you for your consumption. Communion will be served in stations, standing, so while in line please continue to leave appropriate space between yourself and the person in front of you.
- We ask that if you are feeling under the weather that you take advantage of our continued virtual options on Zoom and Facebook. For the time being, you can continue to use the standard Zoom link for Sunday services. It is our plan to stream services directly to our parish website in the near future.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89490974454?pwd=aUFycGxyandlYkxvVXVtemdFOVNndz09>

Coffee hour will be limited in scope for the first several weeks, as we work out our processes and protocols, and put together new hospitality teams. Our coffee hours are an integral part of our community life and our living into the welcoming spirit of Christ. If you feel drawn to this ministry, please reach out to our hospitality coordinator and manager, Sarah Thomas.

[Hospitality@SaintLukesMonrovia.org](mailto:Hospitality@SaintLukesMonrovia.org).

Thank you for joining us. God bless you all, Fr. Neil

*Our guidelines have been drafted in accordance with the latest CDC and Diocesan recommendations.*

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