

## **A Letter From Pastor David for Phase II**

Good morning Carlson family!

I wanted to give you an update as we move into the next phase of reopening the campus!

We have had some great small group meetings so far, and I am grateful to Dianne for making sure our facilities have been kept sanitized, and to so many others who have labored to make sure we can provide healthy spaces for people to meet and worship in!

On Sunday, June 21st, we will have our first Sunday back on campus!

We will be offering two worship services. We will have a Traditional Service at 10am, and a Contemporary Service at 7pm. Both of these services will also be streamed live to Facebook and either YouTube or the Carlson website, so that you have options, and will also be available to watch afterwards on those channels if you aren't able join us at those times.

For those attending in-person on the 21st, we will have masks and hand sanitizer available for those who desire them, and of course you are welcome to bring your own as well. Masks are optional, but we do encourage you to wear them for the safety and comfort of those around you.

We will also have seating spaced out so that we can practice safe physical distancing as well.

These next few weeks are about experimenting. None of us have ever walked through this kind of reopening before. We expect hiccups and bumps may come. It will be far from perfect. So expect to laugh along with us. Please pray for us. Give us your constructive feedback on how things are going, how we can adapt and make changes. Nothing yet is set in stone, and we hope to be able to evolve week to week, and make everything a little better each time.

There's an old joke: How do you eat an elephant? One bite at a time. This is a big challenge, and to tackle it, we are going a single bite at a time. So if something is missing, or different, or not working quite right, then laugh with us, let us know, and we'll take that bite next time.

Thank you again for your prayers and your faithfulness through this challenging season! I look forward to seeing you soon, in one form or another!

Pastor David