

Next Generation Ministry



Nursery Pandemic Protocol and Sick Policy

The guidelines below are in place to try to prevent the spreading of sickness among our precious little ones and adult helpers.

The following must apply to all children and adults who enter the nursery area:

- Fever free (a temperature of **99.5** or above)
- No cough
- No shortness of breath
- No unusual fatigue or lethargy
- No muscle or body aches
- No sore throat
- No loss of smell or taste
- No difficulty breathing

Temperatures (for children and adults) will be taken at the door with an infrared thermometer.

If your child has been symptomatic and *not Covid-19 positive*, he or she must be symptom free for 72 hours before staying in the nursery.

If a child or adult has a Covid-19 positive test, we are asking that 10-14 days pass before returning to church.

For the time being, we will **not** be serving snacks or sippy cups during the nursery hour. If you want your child to have a snack and water, you will need to come and take him or her out to serve the snack & drink. Nursery workers will be able to give infants a bottle.

Only assigned nursery workers will be allowed in the nursery area.

Please, no parents in the nursery for drop off and pick up!
We want to limit the exposure to additional germs.

If you are assigned to work in the nursery and have had direct exposure to a Covid-19 patient, please don't serve unless 14 days have passed and you are symptom free.