



## **We're Back Y'all!**

We are so excited to welcome you back into the Sanctuary! Many of you have reached out with questions about our return to in-person worship so we compiled a list of frequently asked questions and provided answers below. We can't wait to see you in a worship service soon!

### **What time are the worship services?**

In-person Worship is available every Sunday at 8:00 am.

Virtual Worship is available every Sunday at 8:00 am and 10:30 am.

*Note: the 10:30 am service is currently virtual only.*

### **Will the service still be streamed?**

Yes, the 8:00 and 10:30 am worship services will both continue to be streamed.

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Virtual worship is available through YouTube, Facebook, and the UBC App. Go to [myUBC.org](http://myUBC.org) and click Watch Live for direct links.

### **Do I have to register to attend the in-person worship service?**

We do not anticipate the need to continue to require registration. However, we do ask that you register for the initial service(s) so that we might adequately prepare for all who plan to attend.

### **What time should I arrive?**

We recommend arriving by 7:45 am to park and be seated in the Sanctuary before the service begins.

### **Where can I park?**

Utilize any of the following parking options:

- Lots surrounding the church on Dowd Street and Roxboro Street
- Lots on Corporation Street between Roxboro and Gurley (behind GSA)
- Gravel lot at Cleveland and Elliott Street (near First Baptist Church)
- Street parking

**Will the shuttle be available?**

The buses and vans are not currently available. We hope to resume this service in the coming months.

**Do I need to wear a mask?**

All attendees are asked to wear a mask for the duration of the worship service. Hand sanitizing stations are available as well.

**Is vaccination required to attend in-person worship?**

While proof of vaccination is not required to attend in-person worship, we strongly encourage everyone to get vaccination and booster shots to combat the spread of COVID-19. The current infection rate in Durham County is at the *Low* level. Therefore, we are only asking attendees to wear a mask and utilize hand sanitizer upon entry. If the infection rate increases, our protocols are subject to change.

**Will there be a printed bulletin?**

We will not distribute a printed bulletin. We encourage all disciples to sign-up to receive the weekly Friday newsletter and to download the UBC App. You can also use your smart phone to view announcements, order of service, and complete forms using the QR code displayed in the foyer.

**How will communion be served?**

On first Sundays, individually packaged communion elements will be distributed as you enter the Sanctuary. Waste receptacles will be available to discard the items immediately following communion. Please follow the directions of the ushers.

**Is wheelchair seating available?**

Wheelchair seating is available at the front left, front right, back left and back right of the Sanctuary.

**Are there special instructions I should know?**

Ushers will be serving throughout the Sanctuary to assist with seating. Please space yourselves according to your comfort level and honor the spacing needs of others.

After the Benediction, please follow the ushers' instructions for dismissal.

We ask that you refrain from gathering in the building following the service. However, weather permitting, you are welcome to fellowship outside after worship.

### **Will the nursery be available?**

Children are welcome to be present in the Sanctuary. Our nursery is not open at this time.

### **How do I give my tithes and offerings?**

- In-Person: Trustees will be available with offering baskets in the foyer before and after the 8:00 am service.
- Text to Give: Text MYUBC to 73256 to give online through text. You will receive a text back with further instructions.
- Online Giving: Use the GIVE link at [myUBC.org](http://myUBC.org) or use the UBC App.
- Mail to: Union Baptist Church Attn: Finance  
904 North Roxboro Street  
Durham, NC 27701
- Curbside: Saturdays from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

### **When should I stay home?**

If you are not feeling well, whether it's COVID-19 or the common cold, we ask that you please utilize one of our virtual worship options. Specifically, if you are experiencing: runny nose, fever, chills, headache, fatigue, muscle or body aches, sore throat, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, etc. we request that you do not attend service until you feel well.

### **Is the building fully open?**

Upgrades to the building are still in progress. We will continue to offer virtual Sunday School and Bible Study. All in-person meetings and gatherings outside of our Sunday worship services have been suspended until further notice.

### **Is the church available for funerals?**

For details regarding funerals, please contact church office via email at [admin@myubc.org](mailto:admin@myubc.org) or contact via telephone at 919.688.1304.

### **I have additional questions. Who can I contact?**

Please call the church office at 919-688-1304 or send an email to [admin@myubc.org](mailto:admin@myubc.org) with any additional questions you may have.