Fairview United Methodist Church Covid-19 Worship Policy Updated March 2022

The CDC currently rates counties in the United States with a Covid-19 Community Level—green for low, yellow for medium, and red for high. The ratings come with recommended prevention steps as follows:

Low (Green)	Medium (Yellow)	Red (High)
Stay up to date with	If you are at high risk for	Wear a mask indoors in
COVID-19 vaccines	severe illness, talk to your	public
Get tested if you have	healthcare provider about	Stay up to date with
symptoms	whether you need to wear a	COVID-19 vaccines
	mask and take other	Get tested if you have
	precautions	symptoms
	Stay up to date with	Additional precautions may
	COVID-19 vaccines	be needed for people at
	Get tested if you have	high risk for severe illness
	symptoms	

When Boone County is rated at a level Green (Low) or Yellow (Medium), mask wearing at Fairview will be left to the discretion of individuals. When Boone County is rated at level Red (High), we ask that during worship services and church sponsored indoor large group gatherings masks be worn by all, regardless of vaccination status.

The Boone County level will be included in Friday emails to the Fairview Community so folks can plan accordingly. We will continue to have masks and hand sanitizer available at the door.

Because of the ever-changing situation with the Covid-19 pandemic, including the spread of variants, this policy will be reassessed as needed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Information from .cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/covid-by-county.html