

The logo features a stylized cross made of green and grey bars. The word "LAWNDALE" is written in a bold, dark green, sans-serif font, and "Presbyterian Church" is written in a dark green, italicized serif font below it.

LAWNDALE

Presbyterian Church

April 21, 2021

Dear Lawndale Family:

Greetings in the Name of our Lord! May God's grace, mercy and peace be with each of you.

The Session, with advice from the COVID Team, has been deliberating for some time over the mandatory masking policy. Our desire since the beginning of the pandemic was to offer the opportunity for the greatest numbers of us to worship together with the least risk of infection. We are very thankful to have achieved that goal so far! Now, happily, due to decreased incidence of the virus in our area, the persistent sufficiency of hospital capacity, and the high level of vaccination among our congregation, as well as other factors, we are pleased to make the following revision to our policy:

1. The 8:30 a.m. worship service will be the only gathering in which masking is required. If you attend this service, please abide by this policy.
2. In all other gatherings of the church, the 10:30 a.m. worship service, youth group meetings, all Sunday School classes, and the nursery, masking will be recommended, not required.

We will continue to monitor the COVID situation in our area and consider potential impact on our flock. Further adjustments in policies will be carefully considered accordingly as the health situation changes. Please continue to monitor yourself and family for any respiratory symptoms prior to services and activities and be considerate of the risks to others you may encounter, if you participate.

Thank you all so much for your perseverance during this time!

In Christian Love,

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