

# Maple Rapids Congregational Christian Church

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In our sincere effort to submit to our governing authorities (Romans 13), and in regard to Michigan's Executive order concerning the COVID 19 crisis, which reads, "*Consistent with prior guidance, neither a place of religious worship nor its owner is subject to penalty under section 20 of this order for allowing religious worship at such place... and further "No individual is subject to penalty under section 20 of this order for engaging in or traveling to engage in religious worship at a place of religious worship, or for violating section 15(a) of this order."* The Deacons and Pastors at MRCCC have humbly decided God's people are free to gather again for worship and teaching of the Word as of May 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:45 am. We would encourage God's people to submit to the following guidelines.

- If you are sick in any way, please stay home.
- Services will continue to be broadcast on fb live and later on the church's YouTube channel. A live audio will continue to be provided by calling 989 682-2140. The audio messages are also available on CD upon request, at our website, or directly at [soulcoffee.podbean.com](http://soulcoffee.podbean.com) (also accessible through MRCCC Facebook wall).
- Attendees must consider the well-being of others.
- Families/households, please sit together during the service.
- Format of the service will continue to be worship in song, prayer, message, song, benediction.
- Please comply with social distancing guidelines (6 ft apart, hand washing and/or sanitizing).
- The wearing of masks will be at the discretion of each individual.
- No formal nursery or wee-worship provided for the children at this time. Children will be under the care and oversight of their parents at all times.
- Offering plates will not be passed but an offering drop box will be available.