



The Willow Hill Regathering Team thanks the congregation for their patience and cooperation throughout the uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic. Willow Hill will continue to follow guidance from the state of Illinois and the Illinois Great Rivers Conference as the guidance evolves. Here is what that means for practices at Willow Hill as of August 30, 2021.

- Masks are required inside the building for all persons, regardless of COVID-19 vaccination status.
- Masks are recommended outside the building when distance of 6 feet cannot be maintained.
- Gathering capacity is no longer restricted as long as physical distancing can be maintained.
- Contact tracing is no longer required.
- Food and beverage may be provided on church property when they are individually served or when items are individually packaged.

WORSHIP SERVICES

Indoor worship services will be held in the Worship Center at 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. and at Snyder Village at 10:00 a.m. on Sundays. Worship services will also continue to be posted online. We encourage people to engage in our meaningful worship experiences in person or through our website, YouTube or Facebook.

SMALL GROUPS GATHERINGS

Small groups gatherings may happen in-person or online as desired. Groups may meet in areas that allow adequate physical distance between participants. Meeting spaces must be reserved through the church office in advance of the meeting time.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRIES

Children and youth ministries will meet in person following national, state, and local public health recommendations. Leaders will strive to maintain at least 3 feet of distance between participants at all times and at least 6 feet of distance when masks are removed for eating or drinking.

CHURCH OFFICE

The church office is open for business Monday through Thursday, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Staff will continue to work from home at other times with the option of working in the office as needed.

Willow Hill will continue to monitor and support recommendations from national, state, and local public health officials as we continue to move forward in our mission of *Gather~Grow~Go*. Modifications will be communicated in a timely manner. All persons are encouraged to follow recommendations of health care leaders and thoughtfully consider health risks when gathering with others.