

Reopen plan for EBMC:

- *Services will resume May 17.*
 - Cleaning staff will do a deep clean of high traffic areas prior to reopening.
 - All doors will be opened by the ushers and greeters, and left open until 5 minutes after church begins.
 - Only the glass entry doors will be closed, all other doors will remain open.
 - An usher will be assigned to remain in the foyer through the duration of the service to open any doors needed.
 - Spacing will be given between rows.
 - Ushers will seat people as they come in, giving space in rows between families.
 - Families will be asked to sit together.
 - Please do not come if you have had a fever, cough or chills within the past 2 weeks
 - Offering plates will be placed by the doors so people can drop their offering in while entering or exiting the church.
 - Dismissal will be done by rows and by the ushers.
 - We recommend that people not hug, shake hands, or have close social interaction.
 - We recommend that socializing be done outside where spacing may be achieved.
 - Guidelines will be posted about greetings and interaction between people on Facebook, around the church facility, on our website and on the screen in the sanctuary.
 - The elderly and most vulnerable will be encouraged to worship via online.
 - All doors and surfaces will be wiped done after each service.
- *Prayer meetings will resume May 20.*
 - All doors will be opened and left open for the duration of service.
 - Spacing will be given between rows.
 - Families will be asked to sit together.
 - Dismissal will be done by rows
 - All doors and surfaces will be wiped done after each service.
- *Youth ministry will resume meeting on Sunday nights May 17*
 - Social distancing and spacing between students will be encouraged.
 - Families with multiple youth will be asked to sit together.
- *Sunday school will reopen July 5*
 - Children will be spaced apart from each other, as best as possible.
 - Surfaces will be cleaned between classes each week.
- *Kingdom Kids and outreach ministry*
 - Kingdom Kids will plan to resume classes July 26
 - Children's ministry outreach will resume on July 26
 - We will plan to have VBS July 28-August 2 in an attempt to reconnect and build new connections to families in the community.
- ***Planned date for complete restoration to church will be August 2.***

* All plans will be reviewed regularly by the board and leadership of the church. If we see improvement nationally ahead of our planned timetable, we will consider opening ministries and discontinue distancing earlier.