**REOPENING CENTRAL CHURCH** Presented to the church board for approval on June 9, 2020 (Revised June 9, 2020 9:54 PM)

Capacity approx. 74 people (including Platform people, 2 camera, 1 sound and 1 AV people)

## Rationale:

We are excited to be able to once again come together to worship our Creator and Savior. But we must be wise and use common sense to care for others and have a true Sabbath's rest. We have an obligation to protect others as we protect ourselves. The following requirements are necessary to ensure that these goals are met. Thank you for your cooperation.

We will use every other row of pews starting with the front pew of each sections (right, left and center). The front row of the center section is reserved for platform people. The front row of the left section (near the piano) is reserved for Praise singers.

2 people per pew in the right and left sections; 4 people per pew in the center section. Seating spots will be marked with tape.

Exception: A family may sit together in one pew on either the left or right section (not in the center).

## Requirements:

- 1. If you have a temperature or are feeling sick, stay at home to protect your church family. Or if you think you have been exposed to the coronavirus, stay at home to protect your church family. High-Risk/Vulnerable people should stay at home to protect themselves. If you are unable to attend in person, please worship with us via live streaming.
- 2. Everyone is to enter through the main entrance. All other doors are to remain locked. Doors to the backrooms are to remain open..
- 3. Everyone must wear a mask over nose and mouth. Please bring your own mask, if you have one. Only if necessary will the church provide a mask for you.
- 4. Everyone is expected to use the automatic sanitizer dispensers that are provided to clean their hands before they enter the sanctuary.
- 5. Offerings can be placed in the box in the foyer before or after church or online at adventistgiving.org. There will be no collection in the sanctuary.
- 6. Everyone will be directed to their seat by a deacon. Seating will be done from front to back. Please move to the inside marked spot, if it is not occupied. We will be maintaining 6 foot social distancing. The only exception to the 6 foot rule is to allow families to sit together in a single pew in a side section (not the center) but will still be escorted to their seats by a deacon.
- 7. If you need to use the restroom, please use one of the restrooms in the back rooms behind the piano or organ. Please use the provided spray and a paper towel to disinfect when you are finished.
- 8. Everyone will be dismissed by the deacons from back to front and will be expected to keep moving at proper social distance until they are outside the building. Everyone will exit through the main entrance. Please move far enough away so others may exit with proper social distancing.

## **Recommendations:**

- Platform people restricted to speaker, elder (Garden of Prayer, Prayer of Thanks for the offerings given and Benediction), children story teller and praise singers.
- No printed bulletin. Instead it is shown on a slide on the big screens.