

## White Bluff United Methodist Church

August 11, 2021

Subject: COVID Committee Update

Dear Church Family-

This letter is a follow up to last week's notification of a positive covid case involving a church member. This was an isolated case that did NOT involve any Sunday School activities or donut time interactions. Those with possible exposure have been notified, and at this time, there have been no other reported illnesses.

With the increase in covid cases nationwide and in Savannah, please adhere to the following guidelines.

1. If feeling ill please stay home and get tested for covid, regardless of vaccination status.

2. If exposed to a covid positive patient, please get tested and stay home until you receive a negative test result.

## 3. If you have tested positive:

a) Please follow doctors instructions and contact church office staff including Pastor Barry, Rodney, or Bobby. You may also contact any member of the "Back to Church Team".

b) Please inform anyone, who has had close contact with you, of possible exposure. They will also need to be tested and stay home until negative results are verified.

4. During worship we ask that you wear a mask correctly and practice social distancing. If you are not comfortable with those around you, please feel free to move to different area of the church. By now, we all know how to social distance and we ask everyone to respect others when choosing an appropriate seat. We want our church to be as safe as possible for worship.

5. Pray for our church and for God's discernment as we move forward, and for those whose lives have been forever changed by this virus. We have all practiced these measures in the past and unfortunately must continue until this virus is eradicated. Please remember on-line worship services are on YouTube and Pastor Barry is putting his sermon on the website if you choose not to worship in person.

Thank you in advance for your efforts, to do your part, to end this pandemic.

Blessings,

COVID Committee Response and Back to Church Team 08/11/2021