

Skyline Family,

We wanted to give you an update on our ongoing plan moving forward during the pandemic, specifically regarding Sunday morning worship. We have formed a committee of shepherds and staff to monitor trends, guidelines, and recommendations concerning corporate worship and church activities. This committee meets every two weeks to discuss options as they exist and how they may exist in the near future. Our shepherds are meeting regularly to finalize plans, pray and discuss options presented by the committee. As of May 22, 2020, our decision for the foreseeable future is as follows:

- We feel that meeting in a room wearing masks and social distancing is not as enhancing to our family as what we're currently doing and recommending. We encourage everyone at this time to become involved in a small group and begin the journey of corporate worship on this level. A huge part of our worship time, and what makes Skyline so special, is the community aspect. We feel that no matter what option we choose, we will be splitting and dividing our family. We feel small group interaction is the best and most fulfilling way to do this.
- If you are not in a small group, there is no better time to get involved than now. Please call the church office at 731-668-5185 and speak to Josh about getting involved. You may also email Josh at joshwalden@skylinechurch.com for more information.
- We will tailor our online services to better suit small group worship/study. This will have no effect on those not participating in a small group.
- Our goal remains to be back together on Sunday mornings worshipping together in 100% capacity as a family with no masks and no social distancing. That goal is attainable and we feel in the best interest of our worship. We will reunite as family. We will hug, cry, laugh, sing, and praise our God together in that room, where we all desire to return and experience that joy once again. Until that time, our team will continue to meet on a regular basis and update you on where we are and why we're there.

We love our Skyline Family. Each of you are being prayed over and you should know that everyone of us miss desperately being together each Sunday. When the day comes that we are back together with no social limits, it will indeed be a day to celebrate. We hope that you will keep that in the forefront of your mind and your daily prayers. Much love you to all. Thank you for your encouragement and support.

Eric Petty