

OALC Marengo

COVID 19 church guidelines:

These guidelines are based on current conditions and are subject to change.

- In accordance with EMERGENCY ORDER #1 issued by the governor, everyone attending in-person church services is required to wear a mask while inside the church building. This goes into effect starting at 12:01 am on Saturday August 1, 2020.
- Anyone who is not feeling well should stay home.
- Anyone who is elderly, has a compromised immune system, or is not comfortable with attending the church service can be free to stay home.
- The church building will be opened 15 minutes prior to the church service and closed 15 minutes after the church service.
- No food or coffee will be served.
- Refrain from handshaking and embracing.
- Maintain 6' between family groups before, during, and after the service.
- Sunday school rooms, the kitchen, and other rooms not needed, will be temporarily closed.
- Signs will be posted promoting good hygiene, social distancing, etc.
- Try to park in the south parking lot and enter through the south entrance.
- Ushers will be present each Sunday to provide guidance.
- Parents and others are asked to attend to small children that can't understand social distancing.
- Sunday school will not be held at the church but should be continued at the homes.
- We will not be able to hold communion at this time.
- The church will be cleaned and disinfected each week.
- Approximately ¼ of the congregation will be invited for in-person attendance per Sunday.
- Updates will be given, including who is eligible to attend the church service via the texting app.