

## **COVID POLICY CHANGE @ SALEM CHURCH**

Services of worship at Salem Evangelical UCC Church continue to be held on-site and online. To this point, congregants have been strongly encouraged to wear a mask or some sort of face covering. As the various indicators continue to show a decline in our community and around the country, the Salem Covid Task Force is making a slight change. **Effective immediately, people attending church services will make personal decisions about wearing a mask or face covering.** Some may choose to continue wearing a mask, and others may choose not to do so. Whatever your personal decision, please respect the choices made by others. Salem will continue to provide masks for those who want one.

## **COVID POLICIES OF SMALL GROUPS & CHURCH MINISTRIES**

While services will accommodate individual choices and personal responsibility, the small groups that oversee our various ministries are encouraged to make their own collective decisions. This means that the Re-Charge groups, the Choristers and Handbell Choir, the Caring, Resource, and Spiritual Transformation Ministries will decide as a group how they want to proceed. BJ's Café will continue to operate as takeout-only for the near future.

## **SALEM CHURCH COVID POLICIES GOING FORWARD**

The COVID Task Force will continue to meet as needed to monitor data, review information provided by the CDC and public health agencies, and to prayerfully discern our path forward.

## **ONLINE MINISTRIES AT SALEM CHURCH**

We will continue to offer a virtual worship option so that you may join us remotely. The video from each Sunday service will be accessible through our website ([saalemquincy.org](http://saalemquincy.org)), through our YouTube Channel, and from our Facebook page.