Pine Valley Community Church Reopening Procedures May 2020

Based on recent guidance issued by The State of California and the approval of this guidance by The County of San Diego, Pine Valley Community Church will be resuming in person services on May 31, 2020. Much of the guidance issued by the state are recommended guidelines and we have prayerfully considered how these guidelines best fit our church and community. We are seeking to respect those God has placed in authority over us while still practicing our constitutional right to gather as a church body.

The pastors and elders of Pine Valley Community Church have come up with the following guidelines and procedures:

- Individuals shall stay home if they are sick or exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19, or if they have family members who are ill.
- Audio and/or video of the services will be available for those who wish to continue viewing services from home.
- We will be operating two one-hour services on Sunday morning. First service will be at 9:00 am, second service will be at 10:30 am. Individuals are only to attend one service unless they are serving in a volunteer or staff capacity at both services. There will be a break in between services (10:10-10:25 am) and the building will be closed and cleaned.
- Individuals over the age of 2 must wear face coverings as they enter the building and at any time while they are walking around in the building. Once they are seated for service, the face coverings can be removed.
- The building is limited to no more than 100 people during each service. Individuals may only enter the building from the main entrance along Old Highway 80. The back door that is attached to the Connecting Point will be locked from the outside and will be an exit only.
- There will be hand sanitizer stations throughout the building as well as signs provided by the CDC regarding COVID-19.
- Individuals shall physically distance themselves from others outside their household, avoid touching surfaces, and leave the facility immediately if they do not feel well.
- Members of the same household may be seated together but should maintain at least six feet of distance from other households. It is not possible to space the sanctuary chairs 6 feet apart, so people are encouraged to skip a chair when sitting near those who are not members of their household. Moving chairs closer to those in your household to allow more space from other households is recommended.
- Children shall remain in the care of those in their household unit and will socially distance with children of other households while in the building. There will be no nursery or Sunday School classes available. All classrooms will remain closed and no one is to enter them.

The State of California has given a period of 21 days for their guidance. After 21 days, some adjustments are expected. The above guidelines will be in effect at least until Sunday, June 14, 2020.