

MCC San Diego COVID19 Frequently Asked Questions

1) How do I watch the Livestream at 9 AM on Sundays?

- Visit www.themetchurch.org and scroll down on the Home page until you see “Worship Via Livestream” and click on “livestream.” That will take you to our Facebook page where you can watch the worship service live at 9AM on Sundays or anytime that works for you by accessing it in our archives.
- **If you are on Facebook**, visit our page and “like” it. Then visit the videos section to access livestream or archives.
- Please greet your friends and fellow worshippers in the comments, sing along, and pass the peace of Christ to each other.
- Get some bread/crackers and juice to participate in Communion.

2) How do I participate in the virtual bible study?

- We are using a platform called Zoom. You can participate on a desktop computer, laptop, smart device and via phone on a landline. For the Lenten Wednesday Night Bible Study, follow these instructions:
- Download the Zoom app on your smartphone or tablet. Zoom sets it all up for you with only one click. On iPhones, you can find it in the App Store. On Android phones, you can find it in the Google Play store. On your computer, if you click on the meeting link, it will take you to your web browser and then ask if you want to install Zoom. Select "Yes" and let it install.
- Contact Rev Allie redbean4287@gmail.com with questions and interest.

3) How do I provide my tithe, offering, and donation?

- **Donations in the form of checks can be mailed to:**
The Met Church
PO Box 33291, San Diego, CA 92163
- **You may setup a text-to-give account:** The Met’s number is 619.383.0380
Instructions:
 1. Text the amount you would like to give to 619.383.0380
 2. If you are a first-time, text-giving donor, you will be prompted to visit a secure URL.
 3. Once you click the registration link, enter your credit or debit card information.
 4. At this point, your donation will process.
 5. You will see a confirmation text showing your registration and donation were successful.
- **You may setup bill pay with your bank:** contact your bank or add the church as a payee in the bill pay section of your bank or credit union account online.
- **You may use our website:**
 1. Visit www.themetchurch.org and click on the tab that says “donate.” It will take you to a new page where you can click the button that says “donate now”. This will take you to a PayPal page where you can use your PayPal account (if you have one) or make a donation by using a credit and/or debit card.

- **You may continue to purchase Scrip Gift Cards from the Bookstore:**
 1. Scrip may be ordered by emailing Fred Ihler (mrfred12@cox.net) or texting (619-889-3791) with your Scrip Gift Card order.
 2. Please note Scrip Order in the subject line of emails. Payment is expected by Check mailed to the Church or at the time Scrip Gift Cards are picked up. Credit card payment is not accepted for Scrip and no cash will be accepted as payment during this period.
 3. Scrip orders will be processed on Sundays and can be mailed to you or picked up from church staff during regular office hours. Please indicate if you want to your order mailed to you and provide your mailing address with your order. If your wish to pick up your order from church staff indicate this is your preference. Staff will hand you your order at the main entrance door, collect your check payment, sign and note on your order form the date of delivery.
 4. Scrip gift cards are also available for purchase on your smartphone. Download the app and attach your banking info. You can purchase cards on your smartphone and pay at your favorite retails with a barcode on your phone.

4) How can I reach the church?

1. By Phone: Main Church Office Line 619.521.2222
Pastoral Care Emergency Line 818.925.6236
2. By Email:
 - a. Lee Bowman, Minister of Administration, lee@themetchurch.org
 - b. Dan Koeshall, Senior Pastor, pastordan@themetchurch.org
 - c. Caedmon Grace, Minister of Congregational Life, caedmon@themetchurch.org
 - d. Alisan Rowland, volunteer clergy, redbean4287@gmail.com

5) What is happening at The Met during COVID 19?

- One online only Worship Service Sundays at 9 AM. It will be archived to view later anytime.
- Wednesday Night Lenten Study (online only see Rev. Allie for details)
- Centering Prayer (online only, see Tom Rummel for details)
- Enhanced Congregational Care
- All other ministries and activities are temporarily suspended.

**We love you. We care for you. We are here for you. Please stay in touch.
You are being prayed for daily. This too shall pass.**