

Phase One of Tikvat Yisrael's Reopening. Based on best-practices set forth by CDC.

This phase will continue until such a time the Board of Elders feels it will be safe to loosen some restrictions which will be eventually: Phase 2.

- Facility will have professional cleaning and sanitizing weekly.
- Only 2 people in each restroom at a time, please be respectful
- Social distance seating – limit of 70 people in sanctuary.
- Anyone 65+, pregnant and/or with medical condition is **advised**^{*1} to stay home and participate online.
- Due to the limited seating all seats are first come, first serve. No overflow available. Therefore, we recommend families with last name of A-L alternate weeks with families with names M-Z. We will create a schedule and post it on the website.
- **Masks ARE NOW MANDATORY**^{*2} and gloves **strongly advised**^{*3} and offered at the door. We recommend members bring their own face coverings and gloves to preserve what Tikvat has in stock for visitors.
- No children's ministry or nursery in Phase 1
- No food or hospitality offered – kitchen closed in Phase 1
- No hand shaking or hugs. Social distancing of 6 feet to be observed always in Phase 1.
- No dancing in Phase 1
- Worship team: Sonny & Rick, one drummer per service, one backup singer per service, in Phase 1.
- One Cantor and one aliyah allowed on the stage with the worship team – NO ONE ELSE IS PERMITTED ON THE STAGE during Phase 1.
- No pre-service prayer in the office. Pray on the stage -> 6 ft socially distant in Phase 1.
- Only one person in the sound booth at any given time during Phase 1.
- Only 2 people maximum in bathroom at a time during Phase 1.

¹ Advised or "Strongly Recommended"

² Gov. Dewine orders all Level 3 affected areas to have Mandatory Masks effective July 8, 2020 @6:00 PM – those who cannot wear a mask are encouraged to participate from home using the LIVESTREAM

³ Gloves recommended on all who are "able to wear them" without any physical limitations.

- Usher's ministry: wear gloves & masks at all times. No hand shaking.
- Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights will remain online
- Thursday night classes will remain online at this time.
- Worship team rehearsal will meet Saturday morning 9:00am (no Thursday night additional rehearsal meetings during Phase 1).
- Worship team: no sharing microphones – must be sanitized after each use + one dedicated microphone to be used ONLY FOR THE ALIYAH.
- IFI prayer meeting will remain online during Phase 1.
- Rabbi will meet with people only online or via phone calls during Phase 1.
- No Bibles or Siddurim – only PPT during Phase 1.
- No alter calls.
- No Torah processional, and no shammas or gabbai on the stage. Cantor may or may not handle the small Torah by him or herself for Hagbah only.
- Torah reader and cantor should maintain 6 feet distance at all times.
- Everyone observes 6 feet social distance including Rabbi at all times.