

Procedures at Weekend Masses During the Coronavirus Pandemic

Check in with the Sacristan to get a cross (no one is scheduled, but all are asked to serve every time you attend a Mass). We will need up to 8 EMs at the Sunday Masses.

- 1 EM will cover sections 1 and 2.
- 1 EM will cover the old icon Chapel and crying room **(if there are 5 or more choir members, distribute to them first before moving to the icon Chapel)**.
- 1 EM will cover section 5.
- 2 EMs will cover section 6.
- 1 EM will cover section 7.
- 1 EM will cover the meeting rooms (if occupied) and then the parking lot.
- 1 EM will be needed up front if only 1 priest celebrates.

ALL EM's gather by the choir area at the beginning of the "Lamb of God." Hand sanitizer is located on the corner of the choir area. Sanitize your hands before you process down (there is no hand sanitizer on the credence table). EMs will process to the Sanctuary behind the Sacristan and the musicians.

THIS IS THE ORDER WE NEED TO FOLLOW:

- Sanitize your hands by the choir area.
- Process down to the Sanctuary and receive Communion.
- Line up in front of the Sanctuary where the priest will distribute the Ciboria.
- After receiving a Ciborium from the priest, proceed to your distribution station.

When finished with the parking lot, return your ciborium to the Altar unless the Sacred Vessels are being purified. In that case, give your ciborium to the sacristan. If the sacristan is not present, wait till they come back.

When giving a blessing, please do not touch the congregant. Doing so could contaminate the fingers you use to distribute the Body of Christ.

Please dress appropriately for the weekend Masses.

Please contact Liz Grefsheim with any questions at lgrefsheim@epiphanymn.org.