

# UMC of Red Bank

## COVID-19 High Level Reopening Plan

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### 1 Introduction

As the COVID-19 pandemic is brought under control through introduction of safety protocols and population immunity, the United Methodist Church of Red Bank (UMCRB) is developing a Post-COVID-19 Property Reopening Plan. As part of this plan every effort is being made to be compatible with the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention requirements, the State of New Jersey requirements, and to keep as a goal the Greater New Jersey Annual Conference goal to, “Spread the Good News of Jesus Christ as together we flatten COVID-19 and ensure zero infections are spread by United Methodist Activity.”

### 2 Phase-In Overview

The Building Use Safety Committee recommends the church open in multiple phases. The re-opening phases are currently expected to be:

Phase 1 (Complete June 2020)

- Outdoor Small Groups
- Critical Staff and Volunteers

Phase 2 (Complete September 2020)

- Readiness for Learning Tree and Red Bank Pre-K to resume classes

Phase 3 – Target Date For Readiness - Late October 2020

- Indoor Small Groups including Youth Group

Phase 4 – Dates in Planning

- Small Group Worship Experience
- Large Group Worship Experience

Phase 5 – Dates in Planning

- Church Administrative Meetings (such as Church Council, Trustees, etc.)
- Small Group Community Partner Meetings
- Large Group Community Partner Meetings

### 3 Phase-In Management

The Building Use Safety Committee shall develop safety policies to support each phase. The Building Use Safety Committee will also develop a framework that will help determine how or if any given phase should be rolled back. All policies will be approved by Church Council. Once approved these policies will be stored on a google share drive.

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