



## C3Kids Reopening Strategy

### Toddlers & Pre-K Classes Only

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#### The why is the most important:

- We want to continue to walk alongside you in equipping your children in the faith.
- We want to provide a safe environment for your kids to come and learn with their peers.
- We want to assist your gathering with the saints in worship by helping to shepherd your kids on Sunday morning.

The why supports our vision for C3Kids (to show the Beauty of Jesus to children and families) and it helps us frame our how. I'd like to take a little time to explain more of how we're reopening for you.

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## C3Kids Updated Wellness Policy

We want C3Kids to be a safe place for our children and for our ministry volunteers! Part of creating a safe space includes watching out for the health of our people, especially in the midst of a pandemic.

**We have a 24 hour well policy**, which means that children and volunteers must be free of fever, vomiting, rash, pink eye, head lice, or illness for at least 24 hours before entering the C3Kids area.

**We have expanded this policy to ask that parents continue to screen their children/household for new or worsening signs or symptoms of COVID-19**, such as:

- cough
- shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- chills
- repeated shaking with chills
- muscle pain
- headache
- sore throat
- loss of taste or smell
- diarrhea

- feeling feverish or a measured temperature greater than or equal to 100.0 degrees Fahrenheit
- known close contact with a person who is lab confirmed to have COVID-19

If any of these symptoms are present in your child or a family member within your household, we ask that you stay home and participate online. If any of these symptoms present themselves after having attended service, please contact me, Jessica Terrill, via phone (817-896-1245) as soon as possible so I can notify other parents about any possible exposure. Confidentiality will be maintained.

When in doubt, it's best to stay home and come back when you and your household are fully well.

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## What to expect at check-in & drop off

As a friendly reminder, **we are only opening our Pre-K and Toddler classes at this time.** We will open the remaining C3Kids classes over time.

A volunteer will be at the check in counter to check your child in and print your tags. There will be hand sanitizer available and we will sanitize the printer and counter as necessary. We ask that all parents and kids either use hand sanitizer or wash hands in the restrooms before stepping into the classroom.

To limit the number of people coming into the C3Kids hallway, we are asking parents to designate one person for drop off and pick up of their child(ren).

We've set up a specific path for traffic flow. Parents and kids will enter the C3Kids hallway by the check-in area double doors. Once you have dropped off your kids, exit via the one-way sanctuary door in the C3Kids hallway. The C3Kids Manager will help direct and show you where to go.

We ask that all parents keep in mind that our check-in area is not for congregating to have conversations. Please move through the check-in area, drop off your child in their classroom, and then move into the sanctuary before stopping to converse with friends.

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## While in the classroom

We will limit classroom size to 10 students at this time. Please know we will strictly enforce this limit in order to provide the safest environment possible.

To avoid bringing contaminants into our classrooms, we ask that you take diaper bags with you into service. We will have baskets available for a few essentials you feel your child might need during service (diapers,

changes of clothes, water/cups, epi pens, etc.). Place their items into a basket, we will label it with your child's name, and we will grab what we need from your child's basket as it may be needed throughout the service.

**Family rooms are still available should you need a space for you and your baby to go during service.**

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## Checking out & pick up

Once again, we are asking that one designated person drop off and pick up your child(ren) for the service.

When coming to pick up your child(ren), have your security tag ready. The C3Kids Manager or the Chexpert will be asking to see your tag before allowing you into the C3Kids hallway. Turn in your security tag to the teachers in your child's classroom. They will check your tag's alphanumeric code against their name tag before releasing your child to you.

Follow the same path for pick up as you did for drop off. Enter through the C3Kids check in entrance and exit out the one-way sanctuary door.

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## FAQs

### What if my child needs me?

We will use our alert system to notify you if our classroom volunteers or your child needs you. The alphanumeric code on your child's name tag will be placed on the screen in service. If your code appears on screen, grab your pick up tag and report to the C3Kids area as quickly as possible.

### What if a child gets sick during service?

We will follow the CDC guidelines if a volunteer or child gets sick while in our care:

- Two volunteers will escort the child to one of our unused Family Rooms to separate and quarantine the child temporarily.
- We will contact the parents of the sick child through our alert system.
- Once the child has been safely removed from our care by their parents, we will sanitize our Family Room and alert the parents of the remaining children at pick up. Confidentiality of the sick child will be maintained.

**I don't feel comfortable coming back to church, yet. What do I do for my kids?**

We will still be providing our online content during this time! If you are unable to attend in person, you can still access our C3Kids videos through our [YouTube Channel](#) or through our [Facebook Page](#).

**What do I do if my child gets disruptive in service and I can't place them in a classroom?**

Our Family Rooms are still going to be available! Find a C3Kids Manager if you need assistance finding an available Family Room.

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We are excited to have you and your child back with us on Sunday morning! As always, please feel free to respond to this email with comments or questions.

**Jessica Terrill**

*C3Kids Director*