



Dear Members of Christ our Savior Parish,

I hope that this finds you well.

1. After prayerful consideration and extensive consultation with medical advisors, public health officials, and civil authorities, Bishop Kevin Vann announced that Public Masses can resume on the Vigil of Corpus Christi, the evening of Saturday, 13 June 2020, in a phased approach with measures to safeguard public health. Bishop Vann concurrently extended the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation until such time as it is deemed safe to have large gatherings at Mass.

a. The strict Diocesan guidelines for social distancing and sanitization include the following:

Those over age 65 and/or with a co-morbidity will be encouraged to consider not returning to Mass just yet, and anyone showing any symptoms of sickness, or anyone who has a household member who is sick or showing symptoms of sickness should not come to church.

All local safety orders specifically relating to proper face coverings will be followed.

People will be instructed to not engage in any physical touch, such as by greeting each other.

The sign of peace and distribution of the Precious Blood is suspended.

b. At the parish level, we are developing specific guidelines. It will note that, in keeping with social distancing guidelines, a reduced number of persons can be seated in the worship space. For those who are unable or otherwise choose not to attend in person, we plan on making a recording of the Mass available on Sundays.

c. Please visit the parish website for the Bishop's Press Release and for further updates.

2. SUNDAY MASSES. Masses will be uploaded at 8:30 in English and 10:30 in Spanish. Please find the links on our website, <https://www.coscp.org> or go directly to our YouTube channel https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCvAaWIMdtArr9mpx_8bXEbQ/

The Cathedral will live stream Sunday Mass in Vietnamese at 1:15 P.M.
<https://mass.christcathedralcalifornia.org/>

3. OFFERINGS. Thank you to those who have made their offerings to the parish. Our collection was \$7,655 last Sunday. Offerings can be made via our website <https://www.coscp.org/online-giving/> placed in our mailbox, brought to the parish office (Monday-Wednesday and Friday from 9 am to Noon and 12:30 to 2:30 pm), or mailed.

4. SACRAMENTS OF HEALING. Please know that a priest is available for the Sacraments of Penance and the Anointing of the Sick. This can be arranged through the office (714) 444-1500. For emergencies only, phone (714) 403-4134.

Yours in Christ Our Savior,
Fr. John