## St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church

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## PROTOCOL FOR RETURNING TO WORSHIP

Due to the continuing threat presented by Covid-19, in consultation with the diocese and local government bodies, we have put together the following steps to permit us to return to worship in our church building. You may recall that Fr. Williams has presented these instructions at our Sunday devotionals. Please download these instructions and use them to prepare to return to in person worship.

- Service on September 13, 2020 @10:30 a.m. St Cyprian's Day will be our first back in our church building.
- We are limited to 53 persons for this service because of the protocols
- Every person MUST wear a mask.
- Persons from same house may sit together in same pew.
- Persons must call and indicate that they are coming.
- Call church office (617)-427-6175 and leave a message.
- We need your name and telephone number which will be noted so that we have a list at church of who is coming.
- Persons attending must follow the instructions of the ushers in relation to seating.
- Entrance to the church will be up the ramp following the signs placed there and on entry your temperature will be taken and if normal you will be seated by the ushers.
- The service will be a Eucharist and the sacrament will be in one kind (bread).
- You will be ushered to receive communion: you will receive the host (bread) in your hands at the chancel steps and as you leave you take masks off consume sacrament and replace masks.
- There will be no singing: all music will be pre-recorded and played during the service.
- Stewardship offering must be placed in the plates placed at appropriate places. It can be done either on entry or during the offertory hymn or while leaving.
- At the end of the service exit will be through the door near the stairs going to the balcony.
- THERE WILL BE NO COFFEE HOUR.