



New Day – Children’s and Nursery Areas / Workers

New Day Assembly will follow Assemblies of God, Center of Disease Prevention (CDC), local and state guidelines on keeping members and non-members safe during this pandemic. The importance to provide a safe atmosphere for our staff and our children of the church will be a top priority of the board and the pastoral staff of New Day Assembly. This achievement can only be achieved if the parents and the staff at New Day assembly work together to provide a safe environment for our children. New Day Nursery workers, and children staff shall perform self-checks prior to coming onto New Day property. Parents shall monitor their children for any signs or symptoms of any illness prior to coming to any church activity. This can include following CDC’s self-symptom check list which is listed on their website. Self-checks are defined as checking their temperature and asking themselves if they feel ill. If anyone who is feeling ill and/or running a fever, it is asked for those to stay home. They should notify the pastoral staff of their illness and a replacement shall be found.

Facial coverings have been proven to reduce the transmission of COVID19. However, facial coverings must be worn correctly. Young children struggle with wearing facial coverings correctly and attempting to wear facial coverings for extended times tends to cause anxiety which leads to interruption in the classroom. Children will be asked to wear a facial covering while entering the church for temperature checks and while entering/exiting in the children’s area. While participating in indoor activities with social distancing practicing observed, children do not have to wear a facial covering unless a parent request their child to be wear a facial covering. Children can partake in outdoor activities without facial coverings if children practice social distancing and proper hygiene. Parents will check in and check out children up at the fellowship hall entrance. Temperature checks for Nursery age children will be done at the fellowship hall entrance when necessary.

The nursery area will be expanded to the children’s church. The preexisting nurse rooms can be utilized, but only in limited capacity. The children’s church will be moved to the fellowship hall. Lessons shall be taught with social distancing in mind. If the designated teacher is six (6) feet away from the children to instruct a lesson, a facial covering can be removed. Children, except for those who are related, shall be seated using social distancing practices. The board has purchased true HEPA filtration air purification units which will be ran during all activities in the children’s and fellowship areas.

For all nursery and childcare workers, the board respectively asks for those to wear an appropriate face covering while working in the children’s or Nursery areas. All nurse and childcare workers shall use

proper hygiene practices while on New Day property. After arriving at the church and completing a temperature check, all workers must wash their hands with soap for the recommended time frame of approximately twenty (20) seconds prior entering the children's area. All workers must take great precaution when caring for the children attending New Day Assembly. Nursery workers must sanitize themselves with hand sanitizer or washing of hands prior to handling another child. All toys must be sanitized prior to children handling them. Unfortunately, toys cannot be shared until they are properly sanitized. Workers must pay attention to the children and their actions. After the children leave the area, workers will sanitize all toys prior to leaving. The ozone machine will be used to sanitize the area prior to any attendance to these areas.