

To our Peace Family,

In this rapidly changing climate surrounding the community impact of the Coronavirus, our plans as a church have changed. After careful consideration, prayer and with a heavy heart, ***beginning immediately our building will be closed through March 29.*** It is imperative that we do what we can to help stop the spread of the virus. *This means all groups, Sunday school classes, and all events in our church are cancelled through March 29. We will reevaluate the situation at the end of this time before making any other long-term announcements and provide an update.*

During this time, we encourage you to stay involved with worship and prayer. This is a great opportunity to gather in your home with your family and worship together, building and strengthening relationships, and experience God's peace in the midst of these difficult circumstances.

In the meantime, you can participate in worship with us from the comfort of your own home. You can view worship services on our website, YouTube Channel, and Facebook. We will also send an email containing the sermon and additional worship materials. We encourage you to participate in these services as if you were present in our sanctuary. *Join us Wednesday, March 18 at 7pm for our next Midweek worship service.*

We ask that you continue to pray for all affected by this virus and we are confident that God will see us through this difficult time. We know things look bleak, but remember we are Easter people and God is bigger than anything this world can throw at us. Let's make the most of this opportunity to strengthen and encourage one another.

All Pastoral Care, including our Shut-In Ministry and Hospital visits will be done by phone calls. Please continue to notify us of pastoral concerns and prayer requests. These may be done online at <http://www.peacechurch.org/ministries/prayer/>

During this season, refer to these guidelines for slowing the spread of COVID-19 provided by the President:

1. If you feel sick, stay home. Do not go to work. Contact your medical provider.
2. If your children are sick, keep them at home. Do not send them to school/daycare. Contact your medical provider.
3. If someone in your household has tested positive for the Coronavirus, keep the entire household at home. Do not go to work. Do not go to school. Contact your medical provider.
4. If you are an older person (over the age of 60), stay home and away from other people.
5. Even if you are young, or otherwise healthy, you are at risk and your activities can increase the risk for others. It is critical that you do your part to stop the spread of the Coronavirus:

- a. Avoid social gatherings in groups of more than 10 people.
  - b. Avoid eating and drinking in bars and restaurants – use the drive-thru, pick-up, or delivery options.
6. Practice good hygiene:
- a. Wash your hands, especially after touching any frequently used surfaces of items.
  - b. Avoid touching your face.
  - c. Sneeze or cough into a tissue, or the inside of your elbow.
  - d. Disinfect frequently used items and surfaces as much as possible.

We are praying for you and your family. We will keep you updated with new information as it becomes available. We will update our website regularly to provide the latest updates and news. For more information on the COVID-19 illness and the latest guidelines from federal officials, visit the CDC website.

Through this time, we want to connect with you!

- Questions? Contact [info@peacechurch.org](mailto:info@peacechurch.org)
- Visit Our Website for updates: [www.peacechurch.org](http://www.peacechurch.org)
- Give Online (you can set up recurring giving too): <http://www.peacechurch.org/give/>
- Join our Facebook Group: Peace Peeps
- Follow us on Facebook & Instagram : @PeaceChurchDFW
- Subscribe to our YouTube channel: PeaceChurchDFW
- If you need prayer, submit your request online:  
<http://www.peacechurch.org/ministries/prayer/>