



Places of Worship and Religious Services

As of August 26, 2020 the City of Framingham is categorized as **"higher risk"** community for COVID-19

In order to reduce COVID-19 outbreaks and bring the community out of the "higher risk" zone, we need the cooperation of everyone

Members and workers should not attend services in-person if:



They are experiencing COVID-19 Symptoms



They had "close contact" with an individual diagnosed with COVID-19



They have been asked to self-isolate or quarantine

According to the Governor's Order and the State's Safety Standards:



Everyone must wear face coverings



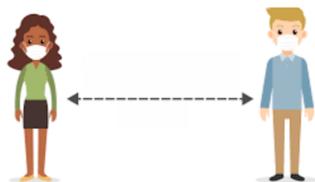
Place tape or other visual distancing markings on seating to delineate 6 ft separations



Notify the Framingham Department of Public Health if anyone has tested positive for COVID-19

For Outdoor Choir & Band*:

Maintain at least 10 feet between performers



Maintain at least 25 feet between performers and first row of the audience

**Please refer to the State's Sector Specific Safety Standards: Theater and Theaters and Performance Venues*

Indoor Choir & Band are NOT allowed, HOWEVER:

A place of worship can have a singer if he/she is the leader of the congregation and it is part of the typical service

For more information please visit: <https://www.mass.gov/doc/sector-specific-workplace-safety-standards-phase-iii-step-1-for-places-of-worship-to-address/download>

or

Contact the Framingham Department of Public Health (508) 532-5470