

ON-THE-LAWN SERVICE

The Lord has shown Rabbi David to have an outdoor Erev Shabbat or Havdalah service once a week at 7:00pm and a 10:30 am Shabbat Service on Saturday.

Feel free to bring your lawn chair and dress leisurely for outside. We will have chairs for those who don't bring one as well cold drinks and water ice to refresh you! The main sanctuary will remain closed except for the restrooms.

There will be protocols in place to keep everyone safe, and we know that each person and family will be making decisions that are best for their health. If you are not able to join us in person, the livestream will continue to be available at 10:30 AM Saturday. Here is what you need to know about our Erev Shabbat Friday together:

PLEASE REMAIN HOME IF YOU ARE SICK OR EXPERIENCE SYMPTOMS:

SOCIAL DISTANCING

We are so blessed to have a large outdoor property that makes social distancing very possible. We encourage everyone to continue the 6 feet distance rule and wear a mask when near others out of a spirit of love, making sure you are aware of those around you and ensuring they feel comfortable.

PARKING

Please park on the lot in the back and look for instructions from an usher or security for additional spaces on the lawn. When you leave your car walk outside to the front lawn not through the building.

SEATING

Feel free to bring a lawn chair of your own, we will also have folding chairs available.

Individual Seating: The front section of seating nearest the stage will be 3 rows of 10 individual chairs that are spaced 6 feet apart. If you are attending alone or need to ensure you are 6 feet away from everyone, this section is for you. These chairs will be pre-set so you do not need to bring a chair to sit here.

Family & Group Seating: There are aisle markers (orange snow poles) set up to mark 6 feet apart as well as white painted lines on the grass. Please set up chairs you bring on the white line with the aisle markers. There is no need for individuals in the same household to sit 6 feet apart, just ensure you leave space between your group and other couples or groups near you so that everyone feels comfortable.

When to wear MASKS

- During the social time before and after service and whenever you are near 6 feet to others please wear a mask.
- If you are picking up refreshments, please wear a mask.
- When you use the restroom, please wear a mask.

- When at your seat you do not have to wear a mask. It is up to your discretion.

DANCE & OFFERING

There will not be circle dancing during the service as this would cause the dancers to be in contact with one another.

There will be offering baskets placed at the front of the stage during the offering but you may also use our website for online giving or text-to-give option by texting the words “Give (amount)” to (610) 981-2340

RESTROOMS

There will be access to the indoor restrooms through the double doors behind the stage. Please wear a mask when going indoors and make sure to wash your hands!

SANITIZATION STATIONS

Hand sanitizer stations are available outside & inside our campus.

CHILDCARE

Childcare is not available, but children are welcome. Often, families with young children will sit further back on the lawn so the kids can move around during the service.

RAIN PLAN

We will be watching the weather leading up to our Erev Shabbat services and will make the call as soon as we are able to. If the services are rained out, we will try again for the next week. Pray for sunshine!

No matter what, we will be sure to communicate cancellations on our website and our social media, so be sure to keep tabs on that. You may also call the office for any recorded updates @ 215-477-2706.

Sincerely,

Rabbi David Chernoff