

Florida Pastors Call #5 - Notes
April 23, 2020

Reentering Community Worship

- **Limiting the number of people in each service**
 - Sanitize after each service – if multiple services in one day that can be difficult.
 - If possible, best to wait 2-3 days before sanitizing.
 - Adding more chairs if possible so that everyone can be in one service?
- **How do we “social distance” children?**
- **How do we show the public / those not “in the know” that shows people the church is safe to enter?**
 - It will take a while for people mentally and emotionally to “get over” and feel comfortable.
 - Put information on your web/Facebook
 - Be sure leadership and elders understand the precautions the church is taking.

**How do you do ministry that takes the kingdom of God to people beyond “doing” ministries?
What’s the strategy of development for people?**

Economics:

- Encourage those that are able to tithe their stimulus check (either in part or in whole).
- Set up care funds with that tithe (or special giving) for those that may need it in the church or for community social services. There is something coming that we need to prepare for. That is the amount of people that are going to be needing help in the amount of food and resources... poverty, loss of jobs, social services. We need to be providing more than just soul care but also social needs.

Discussion: What God may be doing during this time:

The church has always become more effective when it is pushed –we have to ask “What is God really doing here”. There are some movements and trends that are developing to see where we need to go.

Breakdown barriers of spiritual leadership in the home. What does worship in the home look like? How do we elevate it to a value that matters?

Getting through this time:

See Him in his Majesty

Worship our way through this

Stand in the gap through prayer – interceding