## UPDATED COVID-19 GUIDELINES for Holy Trinity Parish & St. Gregory Parish

## Effective Saturday, May 22, 2021

- 1) Masks are recommended
- 2) Open seating in all pews on the *right side* of the church (facing the altar)
  - Practice three (3) feet distance between one person/family and other person/family
- 3) Seating in every other pew continues on the left side
  - Practice three (3) feet distance between one person/family and other person/family within the same pew
- 4) Holy Trinity—collection boxes will remain at exits until able to return to passing baskets.
  St. Gregory—Ushers will once again take up the collection
  - Ushers should wear a mask while doing this
  - Long handled baskets will be used
- 5) Re-institute the practice of bringing up the gifts to the altar
  - Hosts should be in a covered ciborium
  - People who bring up the gifts should wear masks
  - Donations from the collection may also be brought forward
  - Priest/deacon should wear a mask when receiving the gifts
- 6) At communion time...
  - All people are encouraged to wear a mask while processing to and from communion
  - A second distributor (deacon or lay minister) will be assigned to give communion at the front of the church, allowing for two communion lines
  - Communion distributors will wear a mask
  - Continue to keep three (3) feet distance between people in procession
- 7) Scrip sales will resume at the back of church following Mass (beginning May 29 & 30)
  - Scrip sellers should wear a mask
- 8) Lectors and Altar Servers should wear a mask in the procession, during Mass is optional.
- 9) Holy Trinity—Greeters should wear a mask while greeting; Ushers should wear a mask while continuing to take attendance counts.
  - St. Gregory—Greeters should wear a mask while greeting and taking attendance counts.

## All families and individuals are encouraged to return to weekly attendance at Mass.