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## **Covid 19 and church services**

The Swiss government have given permission for churches to re-open and has relaxed some of the rules. The following is a summary of the new regulations that were issued on 5 June 2020 by the Office fédéral de la santé publique.

- Outside the church there will be hand sanitisers. Please use them before you enter and when you leave. Masks will be available if required.
- At the entrance you will be guided directly to your allocated seats.
- On your chair you will find your own personal hymnbook and Bible. Please leave them there after the service.
- We must maintain 2 metres distance between us both inside and outside the church.
- We can now sing together as long as the front door is open.
- We cannot celebrate communion, nor offer food and drink.
- At the end of the service please leave without shaking hands.
- The premises will be cleaned twice a week, before and after the meetings.
- The authorities suggest that people in the vulnerable category (65 and over or those with certain underlying health conditions) should consider carefully before attending.
- Anyone who has any symptoms of Covid-19 or anyone who has had contact with such a person must stay at home in accordance with the quarantine rules.
- If after being at a meeting you develop Covid-19 symptoms you must immediately inform our deacon Mr Sorin Ilie so that all those who were present can be informed.
- We are no longer required to keep a register as long as the rules are kept. However, in case we don't keep the rules or in case anyone develops Covid-19 after attending a meeting, we have decided to keep a record of those who attend.

Lausanne Free Church is an association formally constituted in Lausanne, Switzerland on 24<sup>th</sup> January 1994.