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| **COVID-19 Actions**  |

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| **King of Kings Lutheran Church and COVID-19 Update March 31:** |

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| March 31, 2020In keeping with federal recommendations to control the spread of the Covid-19 virus, the King of Kings board of elders announced cancellation of all public worship and other activities within the premises of King of Kings Lutheran Church until April 30, 2020. This includes adult Bible studies, youth and children’s ministry, African worship and Celebrate Recovery.King of Kings members are urged to follow recommended practices that limit the spread and contraction of the virus, including stringent personal hygiene and refraining from public gatherings that place individuals in close proximity, including worship. Regular worship services will be livestreamed each Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. and on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. A limited number of staff and volunteers will participate in the services. Schedules of special services and other online activities will be announced via email and social media.Private confession, absolution and communion are available by appointment by contacting one of the pastors directly.In case of emergency, Pastors Halvorson, (612) 205-4104, and Balvanz, (319) 350-3276, are available to deal with urgent needs. Non-urgent calls should be directed to the church office, (319) 393-2438. After office hours please leave a message for the appropriate staff person.Because operational expenses continue in troubled times, members are encouraged to use the various means available to maintain their support of our ministries, whether in person using the vestibule drop box, through the mail, or through electronic giving. Additional information is available on the King of Kings website, [www.kingofkingscr.org](http://r20.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001I0QEH16plQWVdSOljMciLHVlvr9sBJ7StgU8y4EYbnrEm8Ct1qMivYKUpDjweRs4r_qetqVX48DNg5hWsoWbqblfgXX-Mtek_BNL0SoKgsVHBG7qx0hWZoTj9lBEn4hpWlIa6cX8GNVtWmxF6imj8Q==&c=tXRZnDMWev_vdZlWB-6x54viajcjrIbYKloSL-S0yl13WL5Cv-NKJA==&ch=HP4ICskxnwRF4hR9O9crJUVID_k8Sq9JU45yUqjeFalcVPP8KCjiRg==).Congregational leaders are encouraged to communicate via non-face to face means when possible. To schedule a Zoom online meeting contact Tony Dixon (224-587-4813, tdixon@kingofkingscr.org) to schedule the meeting and provide log-in information.In keeping with CDC guidance, employees of King of Kings are encouraged to work remotely when possible.The board of elders will re-evaluate these measures on April 13, 2020.              |

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