

“Fully vaccinated people no longer need to wear a mask or physically distance in any setting, except where required by federal, state, local, tribal, or territorial laws, rules, and regulations, including local business and workplace guidance.” CDC [Interim Public Health Recommendations for Fully Vaccinated People](#), May 13, 2021

TO REQUIRE MASKS OR NOT TO REQUIRE MASKS

1. Has our Re-Entering Well Task Force created a plan for safely conducting in-person gatherings that includes our unique values and context (e.g., the cultural, social and emotional aspects of the congregation)?*



If no, continue gathering as you are until you have a plan.

2. Are most participants vaccinated? Is it easy for us to know whether people are vaccinated?



If no, require masks and physical distancing.

3. Looking at the data, location (indoors/outdoors, crowded/physically distanced) your re-entry plan and its intent, does your Re-Entry Task Force believe it wise to not require masks?



Don't Require Masks



Require Masks

Visit bwcumc.org/re-entry for guidelines, FAQs, tip sheets and resources.

*Congregational values, such as hospitality and concern for vulnerable church members, may lead the congregation to continue maintaining guidelines as if everyone were not vaccinated, even if it is technically safe to do otherwise.