

April 11, 2020

Greetings Crenshaw Church of Christ family,

As we continue to deal with the effects of the COVID-19 virus in State of California, we want to give you an update of things we are doing to address the needs of our membership. **As you may be aware, the County and City of Los Angeles as well as several others, have extended the Stay at Home Order to May 15, 2020 as we all continue to deal with restrictions imposed due to COVID-19.** The reason for the restrictions is that the virus remains highly contagious and continues to be especially threatening to those who fall into high risk categories of having compromised immune systems, those over the age of 65, those with heart disease, lung disease, diabetes or cancer. The Stay-At-Home directive requires everyone to stay home except to get food, care for a relative or friend, get necessary health care, or go to an essential job. **Furthermore, we are to wear masks/face coverings and gloves if we have to leave home for essential reasons.**

In our continued effort to keep our members safe, we will be extending our purely virtual worship service. The 8am service will be live-streamed on-line at www.CrenshawChurchofChrist.com. The service will be recorded and available on our website for viewing after the conclusion of the 8am service. Additionally, our Bible Classes are being conducted through Facebook Live, WebEx and Zoom.

We continue to encourage you to remain at home and to participate in our communion service by using unleavened bread (crackers) and the fruit of the vine (grape juice). For those who need communion emblems, please contact us by phone or email so that arrangements can be made to have them provided to you. For those who need communion emblems we will make them available for your pick-up on Saturday, April 18th & Saturday, May 2nd between 10am-12pm noon. Simply drive through the parking lot to pick up the individualized communion wafer/cups.

We understand the inconvenience this may pose for some; however, it is imperative that we take the appropriate measures out of an abundance of caution to keep our congregation healthy and safe. Please reach out to one of our Deacons should you have any questions or concerns. They can be contacted by phone at (323) 292-2100 or by email at office@crenshawchurchofchrist.com.

In Christ,

Leadership, Crenshaw Church of Christ

