**Our Redeemer’s Youth Ministry Programs (PK-12th Grade)**

**Covid-19 Program Attendance Acknowledgement and Disclosure**

*To help minimize the risk of transmission of Covid-19, we ask you to read, initial and follow each statement below. We are implementing these measures out of an abundance of caution to keep your child, your family, and our staff safe. Please initial and sign below.*

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that ORLC Youth Ministry Programs will be following rules, regulations, and requirements as well as recommendations of the CDC, State of Montana and Lewis and Clark Health Department. ORLC will cooperate with the Lewis and Clark Health Department in any necessary contact-tracing.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand, that in order to enter ORLC for youth ministry classes or activities my child must be free from any possible Covid-19 symptoms. If, during class, any symptoms appear, I will be contacted and will pick my child up as soon as possible.

Symptoms include (but are not limited to):

 - Fever above 100.4 degrees - Headaches, body, or muscle ache

 - Cough or shortness of breath - Skin rash or pink eyes

 - Loss of taste or smell - Gastrointestinal issues (vomiting/diarrhea)

 - Chills or fatigues - Sore throat or runny nose

*While we understand that many of these symptoms can be related to non-Covid issues, we must proceed with an abundance of caution at this time and we ask that you take symptoms seriously. If your child is at all unwell, or if another family member is exhibiting any symptoms, please keep your child home.*

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand in order to return to ORLC for youth ministry classes or activities after symptoms/illness, my child will need to be symptom-free (without any medication) for 48 hours.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that staff will assist children in proper handwashing or hand-sanitizing before and after class activities.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that my child will always be required to wear a mask while participating in ORLC Youth Ministry activities that take place indoors.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that if my child has a medical condition causing symptoms similar to Covid-19 (for example runny nose due to allergies or wheezing due to asthmas), I may be asked to provide a doctor’s note to that effect.

\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that it is my responsibility to communicate these policies and procedures to anyone who will be dropping off/picking up my child. It is also important that all parent and emergency contact information be kept up to date.

\_\_\_\_\_\_I will immediately notify ORLC if my child tests positive for Covid-19, or if I become aware of any person with whom my child or I have had contact who is advised to quarantine, self-isolate, or has tested positive or presumed positive for Covid-19.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that due to changing recommendations/regulations these policies may be updated or revised. If changes occur, parents will be notified in writing.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that no list of restrictions, guidelines or practices will remove 100% of the risk of exposure to Covid-19 as the virus can be transmitted by persons who are asymptomatic and before some people show signs of infection. I understand that I play a crucial role in keeping everyone in the facility safe and reducing the risk of exposure by following the practices outlined herein.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I understand that Our Redeemer’s Lutheran Church cannot be held liable if my child contracts Covid-19 while attending a youth ministry class/activity.

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ certify that I have read, understand, and agree to comply with the provisions listed herein. I will be provided a copy of this signed document.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_