

**FAQ: Government regulators have released new guidelines for churches to meet sooner than the August 30th date. Why aren't we meeting on campus sooner? While we have permission from state and county officials, we don't want to open too soon for a few reasons:**

1. We want to be a good neighbor: We're here for our community, as our mission states, and opening too soon could endanger people who have other underlying illnesses.
2. Positive experience: We want the experience to be positive so that kids and adults can worship in a God honoring way. We want it to be an inviting environment for our friends and neighbors to be able to come. If we were to re-enter too soon, the social distance requirements would limit the way we can do meaningful ministry.

**FAQ: Why August 30th for a tentative re-engagement date?**

This coincides with the start of the school year for Fremont Unified School District on August 26th. This is a tentative date and if we're not ready, we will set another tentative date.

**FAQ: Can my Life Group continue to meet?**

Yes. Your Life Group can and should continue to meet virtually. When your group is ready, within the guidelines for the county and state, your group can resume meeting in homes as you feel comfortable.

**FAQ: I am a ministry leader and want to restart my group on campus, how do I do that?**

Contact Sue Edstrom [suee@bridgescc.org](mailto:suee@bridgescc.org) for consideration.

**FAQ: What can I do to be more connected during this time?**

1. Join us for our virtual Sunday worship gathering.
2. Connect with our weekly prayer meetings.
3. Let us know how we can be praying and assisting you.
4. Join a life group. Information can be found on our website.
5. Sign up to be a part of "Love Simplified". Contact Mayna Bressler at [maynab@bridgescc.org](mailto:maynab@bridgescc.org) for details.

**FAQ: Will we continue to do online when we resume ministries on campus?**

We're definitely looking at different ways we can continue to minister to people who cannot come back to campus. We plan to continue to offer resources for an online church.

**FAQ: How can I stay up to date with all the changes and news for Bridges?**

Visit the Bridges [virtual page](#) or sign up to receive email updates.

