

## **Guidelines for the Worship**

1. Our Church will open only during the defined prayer time (Evening Prayer 7.30 pm-9.00pm, Morning Prayer 5.30 am -7.00 am).
2. The entrance to the Church will be permitted to only those who have registered their names through the website ([www.gulfparumala.com](http://www.gulfparumala.com)).
3. The entry will be through the front side and the exit will be from the back side of the Church. The members should practice physical distancing during the entry and exit.
4. Members have to wear mask all the time.
5. Members have to bring their own Bible, prayer books and other prayer related materials.
6. Members have to observe social distancing, are not allowed to shake hands and touch each other, always maintain 1.5 meter distance between one another.
7. It is not allowed to gather before or after prayers.
8. Members have to leave the church immediately after prayer.
9. Members who have been in contact with any positive covid 19 cases should not be entering the Church.
10. Those who have chronic diseases and prone to infections should not enter the Church.
11. Children under 12, pregnant women and elderly over 60 are not allowed to enter the Church service.
12. All the washrooms and ablution areas to be closed.
13. The gate will be open sharply before 15minutes (7.15 pm/5.15 am) of the Holy Qurbana and will be closed soon after that (7.30pm/5.30am).The gate will not be opened in between, once closed.
14. The Holy Qurbana will start sharply at 7.30pm in the evening and 5.30 am in the morning. The morning and evening prayers (namaskarangal) will not be conducted in the Church so the laity should observe the requirements and prayers before attending the Holy Qurbana.
15. The time and date for celebrating Holy Qurbana as follows:  
Saturday Morning (5.30 am – 7 am) , Evening (7.30 pm -9 pm) and  
Sunday Evening (7.30 pm -9 pm)

**Fr Joji Kurien Thomas**

**Vicar**