

## PREVENTIVE MEASURES AGAINST THE RISK OF COVID-19

Guidelines and procedures

**Updated August 25, 2021<sup>1</sup>**

### **Vaccination Passport** and other measures

Government authorities have clarified that **vaccination passports will not be required** in places of worship. The maximum capacity is still 250 people indoors and registration remains mandatory for religious celebrations of a family nature (weddings, baptisms and funerals).

#### **CONCERTS IN CHURCHES**

- However, for concerts presented in a place of worship, beginning September 1<sup>st</sup> **the vaccination passport is required.**

#### **NEW: CHOIR**

- Choirs are permitted in places of worship. Members must maintain a distance of TWO meters between them and if they are singing in front of an audience, the distance must be greater than TWO meters.

#### **NEW: CONGREGATIONAL SINGING**

- The congregation may sing according to the following guidelines:
  - o Wearing a mask
  - o A distance of ONE meter between people of different addresses when they remain in their seats.
  - o TWO meters distance when people of different addresses are singing or speaking.

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<sup>1</sup> These measures either are in addition to, or clarify those already in force in the diocese.