

## **MONTROSE CHURCH**

### **YOUTH GROUP PARENTAL/GUARDIAN COVID- 19 CONSENT FORM AND LIABILITY WAIVER**

Youth Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization (WHO). COVID-19 is extremely contagious and as a result, social distancing is recommended. Montrose Church will make best efforts to follow national, state, and local guidelines and recommendations for COVID-19 and implement any and all reasonable measures to prevent and reduce the spread of COVID-19 at Montrose Church during the youth group program year 2020-2021. However, even though such guidelines will be followed and reasonable measures put into place, Montrose Church cannot guarantee that you or your student will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending Montrose Church youth group and participating in youth group activities could increase your risk and your student's risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and that my student and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 as a result of participating in youth group activities at Montrose Church and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Montrose Church may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, Montrose Church employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

Considering the foregoing, however, I/we grant permission for the above-named student to participate in any and all youth group activities including any that may require transportation to a location away from the Montrose Church campus, notwithstanding the risks associated with the COVID-19 virus and group activities.

I/we agree to truthfully disclose to the youth group volunteers and/or an employee of Montrose Church any and all information necessary to aid in the prevention and reduction of the spread of COVID-19 which includes, but is not limited, to any exposure to an individual outside of your immediate family who has symptoms of or has tested positive for COVID-19, and the name of any member of your immediate family who displays known symptoms of or has tested positive for COVID-19 specifically the above-named student.

Further, I/we agree to comply with any and all daily protocols to screen for COVID-19 that are set forth by the administration of Montrose Church, including temperature checks upon arrival to the youth group on church campus. Any information disclosed will be kept confidential by Montrose Church staff or volunteers to the extent that can be done to still be able to lawfully report positive cases to authorities and families.

I further agree on behalf of myself, the student named above, and my spouse, our heirs, successors, and assigns, to release, indemnify, hold harmless, and defend Montrose Church its administrators, employees, agents and representatives ("indemnities ") associated with the event arising from or in connection with the all negligent acts or omissions of the indemnities' in relation to prevention of the spread of the COVID-19 virus. I SPECIFICALLY ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT I

AM OBLIGATED TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE INDEMNITIES' FROM THEIR OWN NEGLIGENCE IN REGARD TO THE INDEMNITIES' NEGLIGENT ACTION AND/OR INACTION IN REGARD TO PROTECTION AGAINST THE COVID- 19 VIRUS.

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

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