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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Some of you are wondering if we are making any changes in light of the Premier's loosening of constraints for Feb. 9th. The short answer is no. As long as we continue to be in the Red Zone throughout our diocese, I am asking you to continue to hold services online. If there is a compelling reason why you need to open for 10 people, please be in touch with our Safe Church office, Archdeacon Robert Camara, to discuss the matter.

Also, please make a note that the **Annual Clergy Lenten Retreat dates are Sunday March 14th from 7pm to Tuesday March 16th at 12 noon**. Our Primate will be the speaker and she will be with us for the entire time. More information will follow but please save the entire time and attempt to make it possible for you to enjoy a retreat - even if it is at home.

Grace and peace to you all,

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