

Pilot Security Project Survey

Navigating a balance between a safe and secure worship while sustaining an open and welcoming environment is challenging, but not unique to faith-based organizations. The Safety Work Group takes this balance very seriously. The opportunity to worship safely is no longer a given in today's world, but we believe we can work towards providing both a safe and welcoming environment for all who choose to come through our doors. As reported earlier this year, Safety hired a private security guard/company for 3 months as a pilot project, funded from our own budget. This vetted person has been in our building on Sundays from 8 a.m. to noon. We wanted to survey the Staff and the congregation (both those in attendance and those who worship from home) to help assess the experience and general attitudes regarding a security guard. Please complete this very short survey and either place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher upon leaving today.

1. Were you aware we have had a security guard on Sunday mornings since February?
Yes
No
2. Have you attended in-person worship at any time from Feb. 6 to the present date?
Yes
No
3. If yes, did you have any contact or conversation with our security guard?
Yes
No
4. If you answered yes to #3, how was your interaction?
Very nice
Pleasant
OK
Unpleasant
5. Whether you attended in person or not, would you feel safer on Sunday mornings knowing there was a security guard on site?
Yes
No
6. Are there any further comments you would like to share?