



# WOODLAND HEIGHTS

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

## **Procedures for Cancellations of Service Times Due to Inclement Weather**

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Woodland Heights Christian Church prioritizes the safety and well-being of our members, guests, and all who join us for worship, programs, or fellowship—whether during the week or on Sunday mornings. We are dedicated to providing a welcoming and secure environment for everyone who visits our campus.

We always recommend that each individual use personal discernment in making the decision to attend any event or service during inclement weather conditions. We understand weather can occasionally affect travel conditions which is why we have established the following guidelines for canceling in-person services and events. These decisions are guided by official Indiana travel advisories and any snow emergency declarations issued for Montgomery County as found from the following state website, <https://www.in.gov/dhs/travel-advisory-map/>

### **Cancellation Guidelines:**

Decisions regarding the cancellation of in-person services and events will be finalized no later than **6:00 AM** on Sunday mornings or **3:00 PM** on weekdays. Announcements will be communicated promptly through the following channels:

- The church website homepage
- Our official Facebook page
- The Woodland Heights Church app

### **Criteria for Cancellation:**

In-person services and events will be canceled, and online opportunities will be offered if Montgomery County issues:

- A Level 2 Travel Watch
- A Level 3 Travel Warning
- A Level 2 (Orange) Snow Emergency
- A Level 3 (Red) Snow Emergency.
- If county schools are canceled due to inclement weather, we will cancel in-person activities on that respective weekday.

For your reference an explanation of Indiana's travel advisory system is included as follows:

### **Indiana Snow Emergency Levels**

Indiana has three snow emergency levels which are categorized as follows: Level 1 (yellow) which advises caution due to hazardous road conditions. Level 2 (orange) which indicates that roadways are hazardous and only necessary travel is recommended. Level 3 (red) which means roadways are closed to non-emergency personnel, and travel should be avoided unless absolutely necessary.

LEVEL	COLOR	DESCRIPTION	RECOMMENDED ACTION
Level 1	Yellow	Motorists are advised to use caution due to hazardous road conditions from snow and/or ice.	Use caution and avoid hazardous areas.
Level 2	Orange	Roadways are hazardous with blowing and drifting snow. Only necessary travel is advised.	Limit travel to essential purposes only.
Level 3	Red	Roadways are closed to non-emergency personnel. Travel is only permitted for emergencies.	Stay off the roads unless necessary.

### Indiana Travel Advisory Levels

Indiana has three travel advisory levels: a "warning," which restricts travel to emergency personnel only; a "watch," recommending only essential travel; and an "advisory," suggests caution due to hazardous conditions. These levels help inform the public about road safety and necessary precautions during emergencies.

LEVEL	DESCRIPTION	RECOMMENDED ACTION
<b>Level 1</b> Travel Advisory	Routine travel may be restricted in certain areas due to hazardous conditions. Caution is advised.	Use caution and avoid hazardous areas.
<b>Level 2</b> Travel Watch	Conditions are threatening to public safety. Essential travel is recommended, such as to and from work.	Limit travel to essential purposes only.
<b>Level 3</b> Travel Warning	Travel may be restricted to emergency management workers only. Individuals are directed to refrain from all travel.	Stay off the roads unless necessary.