Church of the Resurrection Tent FAQs

MASS IN THE TENT

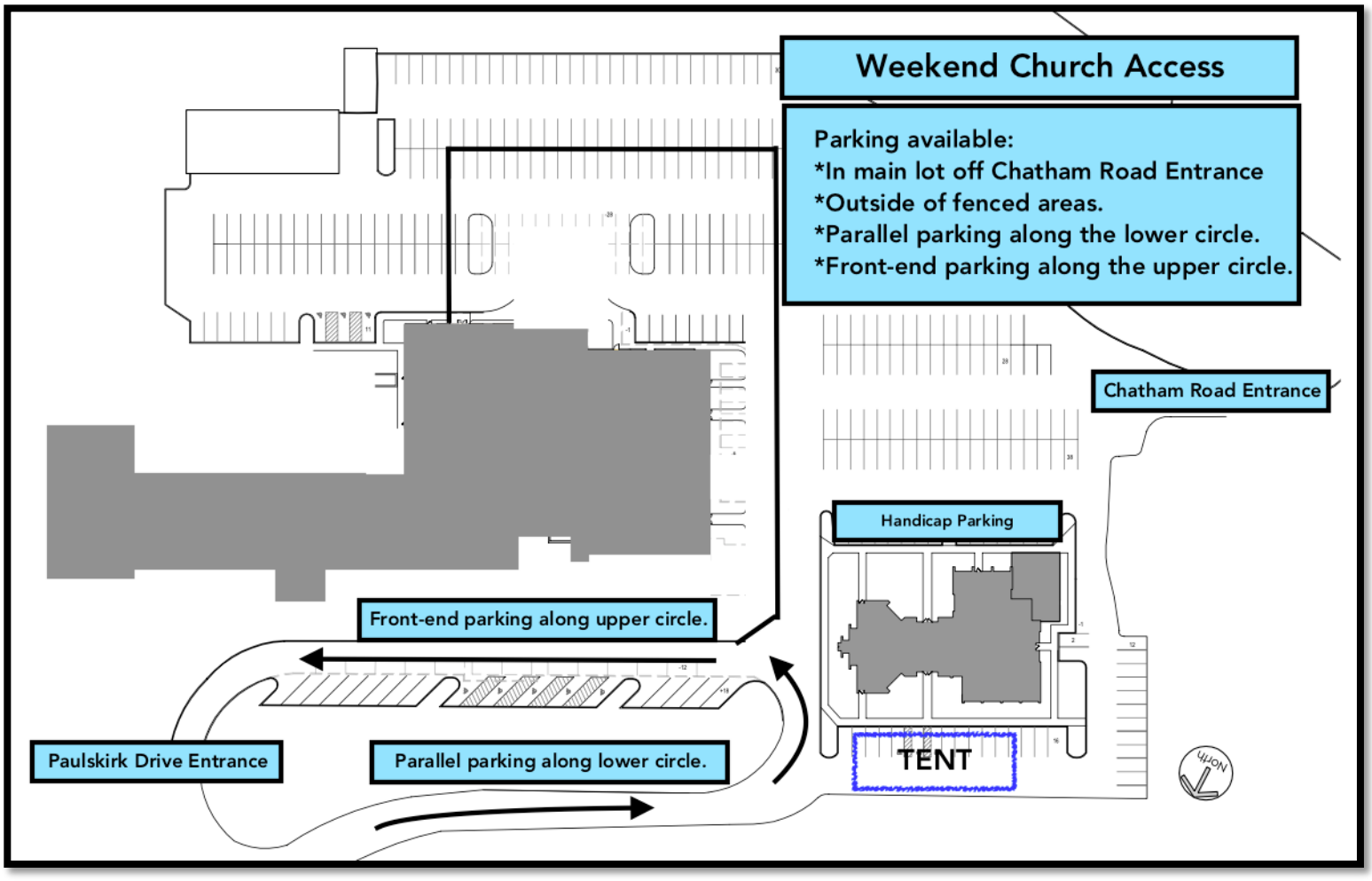
- How many people can fit in the tent?
  - *Capacity using Mass setup is approximately 300.*
- Will there be air conditioning in the tent?
  - *There will be heat in cold weather, but no air conditioning.*
- How long will we be in the tent?
  - *We anticipate having to use the tent and chapel for 18 to 24 months after construction starts on the church.*
- Will there be a floor to the tent?
  - *The tent will not have a floor. We will walk and stand on the asphalt parking lot.*
- Will there be restrooms available?
  - *Yes. The pastoral center restrooms will be open and available.*
- Can we still get Mass cards?
  - *Yes, the sacristan will sit at the receptionist's desk in the pastoral center foyer to provide Mass cards, parish registration, other material, and assistance as needed.*
- Can other groups use the tent?
  - *On weekdays, the tent is reserved for RSPS*
  - *In the evenings it is available for use by parish organizations for meetings or other events.*
  - *It should be reserved through the Resurrection website in the same manner as rooms were reserved in the church building.*

*Weekend Mass will be simulcast in the chapel. However, this space is reserved for individuals with physical or medical conditions that make extremes in temperature (cold or hot) difficult. These individuals are welcome to be accompanied by their immediate family.

ACCESS AND PARKING

- Where can we park?
  - *In the large lot on the other side of the Pastoral Center*
  - *Along Paulskirk Drive*
  - *At the top of the circle in front of the church*

- What about handicapped parking?
    - *There are parking spaces reserved for those with mobility problems directly in front of the Pastoral Center.*
- How do we enter the tent?
    - *There are three doors to the tent.*
    - *The main entrance is adjacent to the pastoral center.*

SAFETY AND EMERGENCIES

- What if we have a medical emergency?
    - *As always, if someone has a medical emergency, contact an usher immediately. They will have the same access to first aid equipment and a wheelchair as they had in the church.*
- Are the EXITS clearly marked?
    - *Yes, all three doorways have lighted EXIT signs.*
- The tent is on the parking lot. How do we keep cars away from it?
    - *The tent will be protected from vehicles by orange Jersey-like barricades. The barricades, which will be filled with water once in their final location, will weigh over 1,000 pounds <u>each</u>.*