

COUNCIL OF CHURCHES IN SIERRA LEONE

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To: All Heads of Churches

Dear Esteemed Leaders.

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ!

With reference to the presidential address delivered by His Excellency President Julius Maada Bio to the nation on 1st July, 2021 with regards measures to contain the 3rd wave of Corona virus, COVID – 19 pandemic which include the suspension of congregational worship for the next 1 (one) month, The Council of Churches in Sierra Leone (CCSL) wants to assure you as follows:

- · That as religious leaders we were not consulted on any of the decisions reached
- We are in consultation with other religious organizations as to how the issue can be addressed.

In the meantime we encourage our congregations/denominations to be patient and abide by the COVID-19 emergency rules and regulations already in place. Please use all necessary pre-cautions to keep yourself safe; wear face mask, wash your hands regularly and maintain social distance.

Let us all continue to pray for an end to this epidemic, so that life will return to normal in the nearest future.

May God richly bless us all as we continue to care for humanity.

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