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Families are looking to forgo formal seating arrangements and instead embrace flexible seating. Banquette seating or bench seating, traditionally seen in kitchens or dining nooks, are crossing the threshold into the dining room.

Jennifer Robin, who designed the comfortable space above, says: 'I love mixing in benches around the dining room table to avoid the clutter of too many chairs. It provides the opportunity to add another style, finish, and texture into the mix, thus a more interesting design ensues,' says Jennifer. 'It's also great for squeezing in more people when needed.'

Not only does a bench seat provide more space for more bottoms, but they're much comfier, can include hidden storage if built-in, and allow you to introduce an extra element of decor with colors and fabrics to your dining room.

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**Jennifer Robin** 

Founder of Jennifer Robin Interiors

Jennifer Robin is the founder and owner of Jennifer Robin Interiors, a full-service interior design firm based in Northern California. Known for her re-imagination of luxury living, her designs blend traditional elements, modern lines, and organic materials to create beautifully curated interiors full of warmth and elegance.

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