

Fellowship Rally Dinner– September 13: Bring a friend and join us for *tacos* on Friday, September 13 at 6:30pm for our Fellowship Rally Dinner. There are two separate signup sheets in the Mayflower Room: one is to let us know that you are coming: and the other is if you would also like to bring something to add to our tacos. The Diaconate is providing the taco meat and shells. This will be a great time for fellowship and to invite someone you know to come and get to know our church family. If you missed our last dinner, be sure to come to this one!!

'Restorative' Yoga at the Church: Karen Lawrence would like to restart yoga at the church. This time, a less-intensive version called "restorative yoga" will be offered. Poses are held, but at a less intense pace and there will be a break during the sessions. Ideal for ALL AGES! Participants need to bring their own yoga mats or blankets. Classes will take place in the Mayflower Room. The cost is \$5 per session with all proceeds going to the church. If you're interested, please let Karen know in person or by email at karenka347@yahoo.com

Group Study: *Coming soon...* John Peters will lead a series of group discussions of the book, "Weird Church: Welcome to the Twenty-First Century", which explores how to create a new form of church emphasizing spiritual growth tied to becoming more welcoming to outsiders and becoming relevant in the community. *Dates and times TBD.* You do not need a copy of the book. Reading material will be provided. A signup sheet will be posted.

Blankets for Kids: We are hosting a program called Blankets 4 Kids, a program of Child's Hope. It is going to be on October 16 at 7 pm. It's kind of like a quilting be, only instead of quilting we will be making fleece blankets for children who are experiencing abuse and neglect and entering the foster care system. The contact people are Judy Buck or Carol McAdam who live in Springwells. There's a sign up sheet in the Mayflower Room.

Sleeping Mats for the Homeless Project: This is an ongoing project where anyone can make sleeping mats from plastic shopping bags. The group meets on Mondays from 6-8 pm at First Presbyterian Church, 600 Brady St. Dearborn, MI 48124. Bring your bags and your friends. For more information, call **Charlie at (313) 506-0907**, or see the orange flyer in the sanctuary.

Book Club is reading *The Girl with Seven Names* by Hyeonseo Lee. We will meet and discuss the book on **Monday, September 16 at 7:00 p.m.**

Downriver for Veterans: We continue to collect non-perishable food items for Downriver for Veterans located on Fort Street in Wyandotte. This organization needs ongoing support to assist local resource-limited veterans. You can place your donations in the Totes of Love bin in the back of the Sanctuary.

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**Prayer Concerns
September 8, 2019**

Barb Allen - 7/12
Rev. Bill Kren - 8/12
Gail Waggoner - 8/12
Teresa Curless - 8/12
Pauline Gourlay - 8/12
Fred Michales - 8/12
Pat Stacho - 08/14

Carrie Goldie 8/18

Dr. William R. Ramienecki 08/18
(Friend of Sue Wilson)
Tom Schlaff 8/25

Serious Health Issues
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Health Issues
Cancer Treatment
Shut in
Serious Health Concern
Recovering from
Shoulder Surgery
Vascular Surgery on her
hand
Very ill

Heart failure

You may want to brighten the day for those listed on the prayer concerns with a card or note. If you don't have their address, please call the office.



The altar flowers this morning are from Elaine Stacho,
in loving memory of Kathy Gunn.

SERVING TODAY

Minister:
Music Director:
Liturgist:
Ushers:
Fellowship Host:

Rev. Lew Worthington
Brian Sampson
Jim Haling
Tom Brown and Pete Stacho
Linda Haling