

**Sunday Worship Indoors:** We are now holding Sunday services inside. The sanctuary is cleaned thoroughly each week by the custodian, hand sanitizer and masks are made available, masks are required, and there is plenty of room in the pews to social distance. Bathrooms are cleaned and disinfected each week, too. So we hope to see you, if you are comfortable coming.

**Canned/Boxed Food Drive for the Lennon Center:** The Lennon Pregnancy Center in Dearborn Heights, which offers services to single, pregnant women who often have other young children, has reached out and asked if we would collect donations of canned, boxed, or bagged food for Thanksgiving to help the MANY families that they serve. No turkeys this year -just side dishes. We're collecting until Thanksgiving week. You can place your items in the box in the sanctuary behind the pews. To drop off during the week, you can let yourself in with a key, or call ahead on Wed.-Fri. between 1-3 pm and let Liz know you're stopping by. Please wear a mask when entering the church! Thank you for donating.

**Wednesday Morning Coffee, Chat, & Bible Study:** Join us Wed. at 10 AM for our next one-hour Zoom: "Twenty-Four Sundays in Pentecost - A Study of the Book of Acts". If you haven't dropped in before we encourage you to participate if it fits your schedule because you don't have to have attended previous meetings. Each one stands alone. During this time, Pastor Blair looks at the New Testament church and the ministry of today's church as reflected in "Acts". This week is Chapter 19, "Paul's Work in Ephesus, The Riot in Ephesus". Here's the link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8572657323> which will also be sent to everyone by email on Monday.

**Fundraiser for the Mayflower Room Roof:** The roof has been replaced and water-proofed! We are grateful for the work. But we are still trying to raise money to cover the cost. To reach our goal of \$25,000, we need your help! Please prayerfully consider giving as much as you are able to Dearborn Congregational Church by leaving a special offering in person or by mail. Over the past 3 months, we've raised approximately \$17,000. God bless each of you for contributing!

**Church Treasurer Needed:** We currently don't have anyone in the position of Treasurer. It's an important role, however the work doesn't require special training and it's not especially time-consuming as many of the duties are automated or can be done with online banking. There are a handful of other tasks which are done once a year, too. We will train the new Treasurer on entering monthly data on computer spreadsheets and using online banking at Citizens Bank. The job can be done remotely, too. If interested in serving or if you have questions, please contact John Peters (313) 255-7774 or Arnie Schilbe at (313) -318-5016 (cell).

**Special Prayers for Pat Stacho:** Pat had yet another surgery on the arteries in her leg, but unfortunately she developed severe complications this time, including a bad infection in her leg, and is in a lot of pain right now. She's on antibiotics for 10 days. So please lift healing prayers up for Pat!

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**Prayer Concerns  
October 25, 2020**

**We offer our sincere Christian sympathy to the family of Pauline Gourlay** who died on October 14, 2020. Pauline was a long-time, beloved member of Dearborn Congregational Church for many years. There may be a memorial service in the spring of 2021.

**Our condolences to the family Donna Hire,** Aunt of Polly Fitzpatrick, who passed away this week. She was very beloved by Polly and her family and will be greatly missed.

**Gail Waggoner, 10/25**

Gail has returned to her residence at River Glen  
Infection in her leg

**Pat Stacho, 10/25**

**Deanna Sample, Friend of Tammy Jabtecki, 10/04**

Major Health Issues

**Carl House, Son-in-law of Toni Boyd, 10/25**

Upcoming Heart Surgery

**Terry Curless, Brother of Teresa Curless, 10/25**

Serious Health Issues

**Jake Sherman, Friend of Tammy Jabtecki, 10/04**

Serious Health Concerns

**Carrie Goldie, 10/25**

Recent Hospitalization



The altar flowers this morning are from Teresa Curless in loving memory of her father, Richard Curless.

### SERVING TODAY

Guest Speaker:

Brian Sampson

Music Director:

Brian Sampson

Liturgist:

Nancy Wolter

Usher:

John Peters