

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 and boxed 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 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!

If you would like to donate, but are not able to come to the church, please call Nancy Wolter, 313-274-4204, to have your donations picked up from your front porch. 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 20, "Paul's 3rd Missionary Journey to Macedonia & Greece". Here's the link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8572657323> which will be emailed to everyone on Monday. **NOTE:** This will be the last session!

Fundraiser for the Mayflower Room Roof: The roof has been replaced and water-proofed! The ceiling in the Mayflower Room is also being fixed. We are truly grateful to God and those who helped make this possible. But we're still trying to raise money to reach our goal of \$25,000. Can we count on you? Please prayerfully consider giving as much as you are able to Dearborn Congregational Church with a special offering made in person, or by mail. Since the fundraiser began, we've raised almost \$18,000. God bless each of you for contributing!

Church Treasurer Needed: We're still looking for a Treasurer. While it's an important job, 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 data on computer spreadsheets and using online banking. If interested in serving in this capacity or if you have questions, please contact John Peters (313) 255-7774 or Arnie Schilbe at (313) 318-5016 (cell).

And last, but not least... we pray to God for everyone in our church, as well as your family and friends, amidst the Covid crisis and a resurgence in the number of cases recently. We hope you are all well and we're thinking of you. Stay safe, stay healthy, and stay in prayer.

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**Prayer Concerns
November 1, 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
Upcoming Surgery

Pat Stacho, 10/25

Major Health Issues

Deanna Sample, Friend of Tammy Jabtecki, 10/04

Upcoming Heart Surgery

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

Serious Health Issues

Terry Curless, Brother of Teresa Curless, 10/25

Serious Health Concerns

Jake Sherman, Friend of Tammy Jabtecki, 10/04

Recent Hospitalization

Carrie Goldie, 10/25



Please check the flower calendar for an available date to honor or remember a loved one. The flowers are \$15.

SERVING TODAY

Guest Speaker:

Rev. Dr. Eugene A. Blair

Music Director:

Brian Sampson

Liturgist:

John Peters

Usher:

Nancy Wolter