

Poinsettias For Sale: The 25 poinsettias in our poinsettia tree are for sale and will be available to take home after next week's worship service. The price is \$8.00 per plant. If you're interested, you can sign the sheet in the back of the Sanctuary indicating how many you would like. They are available while supply lasts.

Christmas Eve "Open House": In place of our traditional Christmas Eve candlelight service, which won't occur due to the rise in Covid cases, the church will be open between 7 and 7:30 pm on Christmas Eve for a time of individual meditation and prayer. The chapel will be candle-lit and a special reading will be given by the Moderator. We hope you're able to stop by for even a few minutes in what may be our last Christmas at DCC.

Church Belongings to Give to Members: The Trustees have begun to release items in the church by giving away, free of charge, anything currently located in the 4 classrooms and the library to anyone who is a member or friend of the church. These items include books, toys, games, supplies, household, and decorative items. Please submit your request in writing (or by email) to the Moderator, John Peters. In the event more than one person wants the same item, we will draw names to determine the recipient. Distribution of items will occur in 1 month, by mid-January.

Church Tables: If anyone is interested in the newer 8-foot tables that we used for past rummage sales, we're offering them to members for \$15 apiece. Please let the Moderator, John Peters, know if you are interested in them. Thank you.

Altar Flowers: If you'd like to dedicate flowers in memory of, or in honor of loved ones or people in the church; or to recognize special occasions like an anniversary in 2022, just call the office (313-271-8552) or email (dccucc@gmail.com) with the Sunday in January when you'd like flowers for the altar and details of your dedication. The cost is \$15, payable to the church, which can be placed in the offering plate on Sunday or dropped off/mailed to the church. Payment should be made in advance.

Donate to Downriver for Veterans: We're still collecting food, personal items, clothing, and pillows to give to Downriver for Veterans in Wyandotte. At this time of year, especially, our veterans could really use the assistance. You can place items in a plastic bag or box and leave them in, or next to the bin behind the pews in back of the chapel. Thank you for your donations!

Parking Lot Salting Schedule: For those who come to church during the week- this winter, the parking lot will be salted on Wednesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays only. So if you have business to do here, keep in mind this schedule on weeks we have inclement weather as you may wish to plan accordingly and come when the lot is free of ice.

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**Prayer Concerns
December 19, 2021**

Kevin Schilbe is on the mend from his recent surgery and sends his thanks for all the well wishes and prayers.

Tracy Dodes, 12/19, She is a young teacher just diagnosed with breast cancer, who works with Linda Haling

Mary Ann Clough, 12/19, Friend of Tammy Jabtecki Cancer Recurrence
Dee Schilbe, 12/19, Mother of Kevin Schilbe Health Concern

Baby Kayden, 12/19, Friend of Linda Haling Still awaits a heart transplant
Joann Herron, 12/19, Friend of Teresa Curless, Stomach Cancer

Cindy Toma, 12/19, Friend of Tammy Jabtecki Stage 4 liver cancer
Michelle Campeau, 10/31, Daughter of Polly Fitzpatrick Cancer Treatment

Lew Worthington, 12/19, Lew has returned home from the hospital and is doing well.

Gail Waggoner, Ongoing Health Concern
Pat Stacho, 12/19 Pat is doing well in rehab

Sue Wilson, 12/19 Ongoing Health Concern
Carrie Goldie, 12/19 Ongoing Health Concern

Lois Clickner, 12/19 Ongoing Health Concern



The altar flowers this morning are in honor of Tom and Cheryl Brown's Fiftieth wedding anniversary.

SERVING TODAY

Speaker: Brian Sampson
Music Director: Brian Sampson
Liturgist: Nancy Wolter
Usher: John Peters
Fellowship: Linda Haling