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PASTOR'S PEACE

Finally, we're outside for worship! Our first occasion was Pentecost Sunday. The morning temperature was pleasantly warm. There was some sunshine and a breeze. Some of our congregation chose to sit under the tent. Others sat outside it in family groupings. The sounds of our service carried. From what I was told, even by church members sitting in out-lying areas, everything could be heard. Especially relished was the opportunity to sing again as a congregation. Our hymn for the occasion? It was God of Grace, God of Glory, celebrating the outpouring of God's grace, love, and spirit upon his people. We sang with spirit too.

Weather permitting, we'll be continuing to hold services outdoors under the shady trees of our Church Green. On a few Sundays there will be exceptions. On Music Sunday, June 6, we'll be indoors so that we can take advantage of both our pipe organ and piano. That'll make it easier and more tuneful for our choir members, small ensembles, and soloists as they perform their special sacred music for us. But the rest of the time we'll be sitting on our folding chairs brought from home with the grass as our sanctuary carpet and local sights of God's creation as a meditation focus rather than our high-up window commemorating Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane. Services will continue to be live-streamed via Facebook for those not able to come out or still hesitant about doing so.

Based on recent CDC guidelines we're still asking people to social distance with their chairs. Also, until further Council decision and notice to us, all masking continues to be the expectation when we're socially circulating, rather than sitting. While defending against the small percentage of possibility for contracting COVID in spite of one of the vaccines, continued masking is as must, if not more, for the protection of any unvaccinated in our midst. Technically, although not commonly, vaccinated men and women can briefly harbor COVID asymptotically without ill-effect to themselves but still inadvertently spread it to others. As we've heard many times over in the last months masking inhibits both spread and receipt of COVID for the vaccinated and unvaccinated. However, at this point, the biggest beneficiaries of our continued masking are the unvaccinated.

I hope that those not yet vaccinated but eligible to do so will make the morally and socially responsible decision to get their necessary shot in the arm. Granted, there are some folks with an underlying medical condition that makes the vaccine sincerely inadvisable. Pregnant women, for instance, have to be especially careful. So do those with certain immune-system conditions. Kids younger than twelve do not yet qualify for the available vaccines. Yet, apart from kids, the population for whom the vaccine is not a good idea remains comparatively small.

Everyone who gets vaccinated helps get us back to normal and stay there, which is a good thing, given the many problems caused by our social isolation over the past year and more.

This past week I was heartened to learn at least one of the two-shot vaccines is proving effective against the COVID mutations showing up in India where an estimated three hundred million men and women have contracted the virus. This is important because a couple of those more highly contagious Indian COVID mutations have already found their way to Europe and the United States and in some states account for up to ten per cent of new pandemic cases.

What this means is that we really can put COVID in check in these summer months. But keeping the downward trend in infections is going to require ongoing vigilance and public cooperation with still more vaccinations. Even those of us who have received vaccinations may need to line up for a booster shot next year. Getting an annual COVID vaccine may be one more healthy habit we maintain. Rather than deny or fight against it, it is better to accept and adjust to that prospect now. It would be a real shame if all the sacrifices made in the past year were to be for naught—with us not learning anything from it all. It would also dishonor the lives of those who have already been casualties of COVID.

I am grateful for the leadership of our congregation that made sure that we did not have a COVID outbreak among our members through our own carelessness. Sad to say that was not true everywhere else among our Christian churches, who needed to set a good moral example for our nation at large. Surely God, who calls us to respect life, will judge this, as he judges all. I am glad that we as a people of God won't have to stand judged harshly on this count.

I look forward in faith to a positive, healthy summer and a vital, renewing fall as more and more of our usual church activities resume. Even the ordinary will be thrilling because we now know better than to take it for granted! God bless us all in summer and fall journeys ahead.

~ ***Shalom, Pastor Geoffrey Drutchas***

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION EDITORIAL

"Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor stands in the path of sinners, nor sits in the seat of the scornful; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and in His law he meditates day and night. He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that brings forth its fruit in its season." ~Psalm 1:1-3

In honor of Father's Day and all the men who walk in the counsel of God, I offer this revised prayer written by Rev. Chuck Currie.

We give our thanks, Father God, for the fathers in our lives. Fatherhood does not come with a manual, and reality teaches us that some fathers excel while others fail. We ask for Your blessings for them all – and forgiveness where it is needed. This Father's Day we remember the many sacrifices fathers make for their children and families, and the ways – both big and small – they lift children to achieve dreams thought beyond reach. So too, we remember all those who have helped fill the void when fathers pass early or are absent – grandfathers and uncles, brothers and cousins, teachers, pastors and coaches – and the women of our families. For those who are fathers, we ask for wisdom and humility in the face of the task of parenting. Give them the strength to do well by their children and by You. In Your Holy name, O God, we pray. Amen

May God bless, guide and keep all the men who serve as fathers and guardians to children. Happy, Happy Father's Day!

~ In Christ, Pastor Cheryl Schalm, Minister of Christian Education

Christian Education Activities

What's your superpower? "Super Powers" will be the theme of the church council approved Sunday School Spring Program. The program, scheduled to be held under the tent to coincide with the Baccalaureate service will be held on Sunday, June 13th. The Sunday School children have been rehearsing a Bible verse and song that they will be performing during the service. Additionally, they have decorated their own "super power" cape that will be worn for the pageant. Plan now to attend this special service honoring our graduates and young people.

Vacation Bible School, July 21 -25: Plan now for the return of in-house Vacation Bible School. Watch your Morning Bulletin for more information.

Rock Hard in Faith Youth Fellowship

Annual Flower Sale – The youth would like to thank everyone who purchased flowers through the youth fundraiser. A HUGE thank you goes out to the Poet's and Dan and Debbie Case for their help. Endless hugs and love are being sent to Candace Poet for all her help and support with this fundraiser. We hope everyone enjoys their flowers.

Youth "2021" Local Summer Mission Trip, June 13 – June 20

Sunday, June 13: Youth Spring and Baccalaureate Sunday Service. Youth will be participating in the outdoor Spring Program. All graduates will be honored at this service. Please contact Pastor Schalm for a speaking part. Following the service we will gather for a special lunch celebrating and honoring Alyssa Brandt. Alyssa has served as a dedicated Sunday School teacher, youth advisor and chaperone for many years. Alyssa was due to relocate to the Upper Peninsula on June 12th where she has accepted a teaching position near her family. She postponed her move in order to chaperone the "2021" mission trip. Alyssa will be missed beyond

measure! After lunch we will head to the Cinemark Theater in Taylor for a 2:15 p.m. private viewing of "Spirit Untamed." ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL THEN RETURN HOME FOR THE EVENING.

Monday, June 14: Youth will arrive at the church at 5:00 p.m. to prepare dinner for ChristNet guests. Afterwards they will head to Heritage Park for devotions and dinner at the park. Youth will return home at 8:00 p.m. for the night.

Tuesday, June 15: Youth will arrive at the church at 5:00 p.m. to bake and prepare baskets for those who have been isolated or homebound over the past year. Afterwards they will join together for dinner and devotions. All youth will return home at 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 16: Youth will arrive at the church at 8:00 a.m. for devotions, a grab & go breakfast and to pack lunches for the workday. We will be serving at Cass Social Services in Detroit. Upon arrival back to the church we will prepare dinner for Christ Net. Following dinner and devotion all youth will return home.

Thursday, June 17: Youth will gather at the church at 6:00 p.m. to prepare "foster care fun kits" for foster children served in Monroe County. Afterwards they will join together for dinner and devotions. Youth will return home at 8:00 p.m.

Friday, June 18: Youth will arrive at the church at 8:00 a.m. for devotions, a grab & go breakfast and to pack lunches for the workday. We will be serving at Cass Social Services in Detroit. . Following dinner and devotion all YOUTH WILL RETURN HOME.

Saturday, June 19: The youth will meet at the church at 8:00 a.m. for a grab & go breakfast prior to heading out to Cedar Point for a day of fun and fellowship. Entrance fees will be covered for all participating in the mission week. Meal and souvenir money will be required.

YOUTH MUST CONFIRM THEIR PARTICIPATION BY MAY 30TH. DUE TO COVID PROTOCOLS CEDAR POINT IS ALLOWING ONLY A PERCENTAGE OF THEIR TOTAL CAPACITY. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. PLEASE BE ASSURED THAT ALL PROTOCOLS WILL BE FOLLOWED DURING ALL ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS.

Worship Wednesday's Young Adult Bible Study & Fellowship

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; he who comes to Me will not hunger, and he who believes in Me will never thirst. - John 6:35

All post-high school young adults are invited and encouraged to join the Young Adult Bible Study group. The group meets at Pastor Schalm's at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday's. Whether you have been a regular or are considering coming for the first time, we welcome and look forward to your company and participation.

Calling all College Students and Recent High School Graduates

Christian Education is in need of addresses of all St. Paul UCC college students and High School graduates enrolled in continuing education programs (trade school, skill programs, apprenticeships, etc.). Please forward addresses to Pastor Schalm or to the church office.

ALL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION EVENTS WILL BE HELD ACCORDING TO CDC AND STATE OF MICHIGAN COVID RECOMMENDATIONS AND LAWS. EVENTS WILL BE MONITORED AND CANCELLED IF DEEMED NECESSARY BASED ON SUCH.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Baccalaureate Service Honors Grads

High school, college, and continuing education graduates will be honored at the annual Baccalaureate service, June 13, 10 a.m., coinciding with our spring children's program. Graduates are encouraged to wear their commencement gowns for what is being planned as an outdoor service. Each graduate will be invited to stand for individual acknowledgement by Pastor Geoff Drutchas, followed by prayer. All known graduates, whether present or absent, will also be listed in a Baccalaureate roster included in the Morning Tide bulletin with their upcoming plans indicated. To have your family graduate honored, please download the biography form available online through the church website or request one from a Sunday morning usher. All completed bio forms need to be returned to the church office by Wednesday, June 9.

St. Paul Choir Hosts 'Seven Songs' Music Sunday Service

Under the baton of Music Director Tracy Hoffman, our St. Paul Choir will be hosting this year's "Seven Songs of Faith" Music Sunday Service on June 6, 10 a.m. To have the full advantage of piano and organ accompaniment, the "Seven Songs" service will be held indoors in the church sanctuary,

Tracy Hoffman will lead the choir in three different inspired anthems, including "One Song, celebrating that in Christ we are all God's children. Mark and Sandy Ennis will be performing a duet. Highlighting the capabilities of our 1948 Niemoller Pipe Organ, Sally Sigman will be sharing an organ solo for the occasion. Our service will conclude with the congregational singing of a rousing hymn.

As part of the morning service the communion sacrament will be offered. Church members and friends are invited to pick up their individual communion "kits" when they first arrive in the narthex. Those following the service livestreamed on Facebook at home are encouraged to make use of bread and juice from their own home kitchen which will be consecrated by prayer with the rest of the communion elements as the sacred meal begins.

Congregation Hosts ChristNet Week Meals

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic ChristNet guests have been moteled over the past year. But mid-June our congregation will join other churches in taking our own turn providing a week of meals for ChristNet guests. Our host week will extend from Sunday to Saturday, June 13-19. We will be preparing individually packaged suppers in our church kitchen and delivering them each night at 6 p.m. to the overnight housing site. ChristNet guests have access to microwaves for the quick warm-up food, which we will keep in mind as we prepare.

Teams of five are needed each day for food preparation. The teams, which set their own menu for the night, can designate their own times to meet for meal preparation. Meal packaging supplies will be provided. Also, assistance with actual delivery of the meals is available, depending upon team needs. Our St. Paul Youth Group is already committed to preparing ChristNet suppers for Sunday

and Monday, June 13 and 14. Team volunteers are needed for Tuesday through Saturday.

Although we will not be preparing breakfasts for ChristNet guests, donations of individually packaged breakfast items—juices, fruit cups, granola bars, cereal—are invited and appreciated.

In making use of the church kitchen for food preparation volunteers will be maintaining the same health precautions that were effective and helpful in hosting our recent Lenten fish suppers. To volunteer individually or as a group for our ChristNet week, please call Pastor Geoff Drutchas (313-291-1221).

Donuts for Dad Sunday June 20th

Christian Education and the Sunday School children will be hosting a Donuts for Dad celebration to honor all the men of the church. The celebration will take place outdoors following the Father's Day service on June 20th. Plan now to attend and to celebrate those special men in your life.

HEALTH MINISTRIES

Blood Drive Results

Thanks to all who participated in our blood Drive on April 27. Thanks for your patience in the long wait due to a shortage in Red Cross staff. A special thanks to Sharon Podpora for volunteering! Results include: 34 donors presented to give blood; 25 was our projected goal; 30 products of life-saving blood were collected. And the most important number of all-90 patient's lives will be touched by this drive!

Covid-19 Vaccination and Testing Locations

Persons 12 and older are now eligible for the Covid-19 vaccine. Minors must have a parent/guardian present. There is a list of Wayne County Health Department Clinics: Vaccination | COVID-19Resources (waynecounty.com) Call 1.866.610.3885, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. for an appointment. Wayne County Community College-Taylor, Schoolcraft College in Livonia, Wayne County Community College-Ted Scott Campus in Belleville, and the Flat Rock Community Center. Currently walk-up vaccinations are available as well. Residents of Detroit can schedule an appointment through the Detroit Health Department by calling 313-230-0505. Vaccines are also available in other locations such as CVS, Rite-Aid, Kroger, Meijer, the health systems you use for care. Covid-19 testing sites are listed at: Testing | COVID-19 Resources (waynecounty.com)

CPR/First Aid Being Offered in June

Ideally, we would like two persons from each church group or committee to take a First Aid/CPR class. This will allow someone to be able to be a capable first responder to an injured person during church activities. Kathy Williams will lead an American Heart, CPR/First aid class which takes about 8 hours. There are restrictions in place due to Covid-19. No breathing into manikins, and gloves will be used etc. Classes will include two four-hour sessions. The class workbook will be available prior to the sessions. The workbook needs to be read prior to the class. We may be doing some classes on-line via Zoom or in session at church. The amount of actual on-line class time would be about 7 hours, broken into two sessions. An additional in person 1-on-1 skill testing will be arranged. Specific

times have not been set yet but will take place in June. If you have questions or are willing or interested in becoming certified, please contact Kathy. If you are currently certified, please leave a message for Kathy or contact her.

Exercise Program Begins Wednesday June 30

Exercise classes will begin on Wednesday, June 30. Time to be announced later based on the responses as to whether you would like to have a morning session at 10:30 a.m. or an afternoon session at 2:30 p.m.. If we exercise outside under the tent the earlier session would be cooler. We will know closer to the starting date regarding restrictions for inside or outside classes. Contact Parish Nurse Kathy Williams and let her know if you would like to participate and your time preference.

A combination of aerobic, strengthening and stretching will be done at each session. You can use a chair or stand or do a combination of both, whatever works best for you.

Delissa Hampton is going to be our instructor. Delissa has many years of experience and brings a lot of energy and encouragement to the classes. Hope to see everyone on the 30th.

Meditation Class via Zoom

Please contact Kathy Williams if you are interested in participating in meditation classes via Zoom. Meditation can lead to a calmer lifestyle and positive feelings.

Greeting Cards are Needed.

Do you have an extra greeting card to donate? We are especially in need of Blank and 'Thinking of You' cards. Cards can be dropped off at the office during the week or on Sunday before or after service. Just give them to the Deacon or an usher and let them know they are for the Health Ministries.

Our Daily Bread Devotional Availability

If you are interested in receiving a copy of 'Our Daily Bread', a quarterly devotional, please contact the church office. The editions are available in large or regular print size. Please specify the print type that you want when contacting the office. Available now is the edition for April through June. If you cannot pick up a copy Kathy Williams can send a copy to you via mail.

TOPS, - (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Meets on Hold

TOPS is a nonprofit and noncommercial weight loss support group St Paul is hosting the TOPS Chapter 9744, Taylor. Meetings are held on Monday nights with weigh-ins starting at 6:00 p.m. We are tentatively scheduled to resume meeting sometime in June. Meetings start at 6:30 p.m. and end at approximately 7:15 p.m., in the West Room. There is no cost for the first meeting attended. Contact Kathy Williams for more information.

Health/Medical Supplies Available

In need of medical supplies that your insurance does not provide, contact the church office or Parish Nurse Kathy Williams to see if we have it available.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Highlights of the St. Paul COVID-19 Survey

A total of 90 people responded to our COVID-19 survey with regards to St. Paul. The Communication Ministry thought it would be appropriate to share some of the high-level results with you. The survey information has been used to plan for future activities and guidelines as we move forward. An example is that Sunday worship services outside no longer require wearing of a facemask and singing is now allowed, more changes will be coming over the next couple of months.

- 60% of the respondents felt that their family was doing very well handling the COVID-19 crisis.
- 63% of the respondents want to begin singing songs in our worship services again even if they had to wear a mask.
- 57% of the respondents felt it was still important to wear a facemask and maintain proper social distancing when inside the sanctuary during worship services.
- 66% of the respondents wanted to begin socializing with other members before and after our worship services.
- 36% of the respondents wanted the church office to reopen.
- Respondents felt the church should take the following precautions for worship services and gatherings at the church: 85% wear a facemask, 76% social distancing, 57% avoid physical contact, 47% provide hand sanitizing stations, 57% discourage physical touching, 78% wanted the windows open during worship services, and 38% wanted one-way foot traffic in the sanctuary.
- Respondents felt the church should take the following precautions for our children / youth activities: 64% reduce the number of people in each classroom, 82% wear a facemask, 61% prohibit snacks not individually wrapped, 56% no physical contact, 66% provide hand sanitizer, and 38% temperature checks.
- 67% of the respondents said they would attend an outside worship service.
- 40% of the respondents said they would be willing to volunteer for church related activities (usher, greeter, rummage sale, etc.)

If you would like a detailed copy of the entire survey including comments, please contact any member of the Communication Ministry.

May Budget Numbers

Donations remain strong through May with expenses well below our projected budget. A special **THANK YOU** to our members and friends as they continue to support the church during the COVID-19 pandemic. It appears we might be seeing an end to the restrictions and a move to a more normal life. Let us pray as we move forward.

2021 Pictorial Directory

Current plan is to host the photo sessions for the 2021 Pictorial Directory on October 21,22,23. This will give you an opportunity to get that special photo for your 2021 Christmas cards or that Christmas gift. More information will be available at the Semi-Annual Meeting scheduled for Sunday, July 11, 2021.

St. Paul Memorial Garden Updates

Two small Memorial Vases have been placed in the memorial garden so that members may remember their loved ones with fresh cut flowers. Flowers will be placed in the vases on Mother's Day and Father's Day by the Memorial Ministry each year in remembrance of those members and friends who are buried in the garden. We have also added a Veteran grave marker and a US flag will be placed in the marker each Memorial Day to remember those who served in the military. A quick reminder that there is a large plaque on the wall as you enter the West Lobby with the names of those members and friends who are buried in the Memorial Garden. The area was re-landscaped last fall with funding approved by the Memorial Ministry to enhance the appearance of the Memorial Garden. If you have questions, please contact any member of the St. Paul Memorial Ministry.

Fire Extinguisher Training

Members of the Safety and Security Ministry, the Emergency Response Team, St. Paul Staff and St. Paul Council were trained on the proper use of Fire Extinguishers. Member James Poet provided the group with live on-site training where each participant was allowed to operate a fire extinguisher to extinguish a real fire. The purpose of the training was to ensure that enough people know how to properly operate a fire extinguisher in case of a fire in the building. We are constantly looking for ways to help improve the overall safety of our building and protect our membership. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Safety and Security Ministry please contact Dan Case.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Health Ministry Committee

Parish Nurse Kathy Williams is still in need of volunteers to help serve as a part of the Health Ministry Committee. She is looking for more input on health issues that impact our members and our community. Please prayerfully consider serving on the committee.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

A special **Thank You** to Pat Staffeld for donating all of the brownies used for the 2021 Fish Dinners.

Rose on the Pulpit honors the birth of Harper Ann Scheel, born to Kevin and Traci Akron Scheel. First time grandparents are Paul and Connie Scheel.

Love and deepest Sympathy: to Murl Nieman and family and friends on the loss of wife, Judy Nieman, who passed away May 18, 2021 at the age of 78 years. Funeral was May 24, 2021 at St. Paul UCC, Taylor. Arrangements by Michigan Memorial Funeral Home, New Boston.

To the family and friends of Ollie Hilliker who passed away May 20, 2021 at the age of 84 years. Funeral was May 24, 2021. Arrangements by Howe-Peterson Funeral Home, Taylor Chapel.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

ORGAN FUND:

In Memory of: *William & Joyce Stears* From: Kathe Stears
In Memory of: *Fred & Minnie Block* From: Kathe Stears
In Memory of: *Junior & Lorraine Block* From: Kathe Stears
In Memory of: *Earl & Bobby Block* From: Kathe Stears
In Memory of: *Alfie & Hilda Block* From: Kathe Stears
In Memory of: *Shirlen Powell* From: Kathe Stears

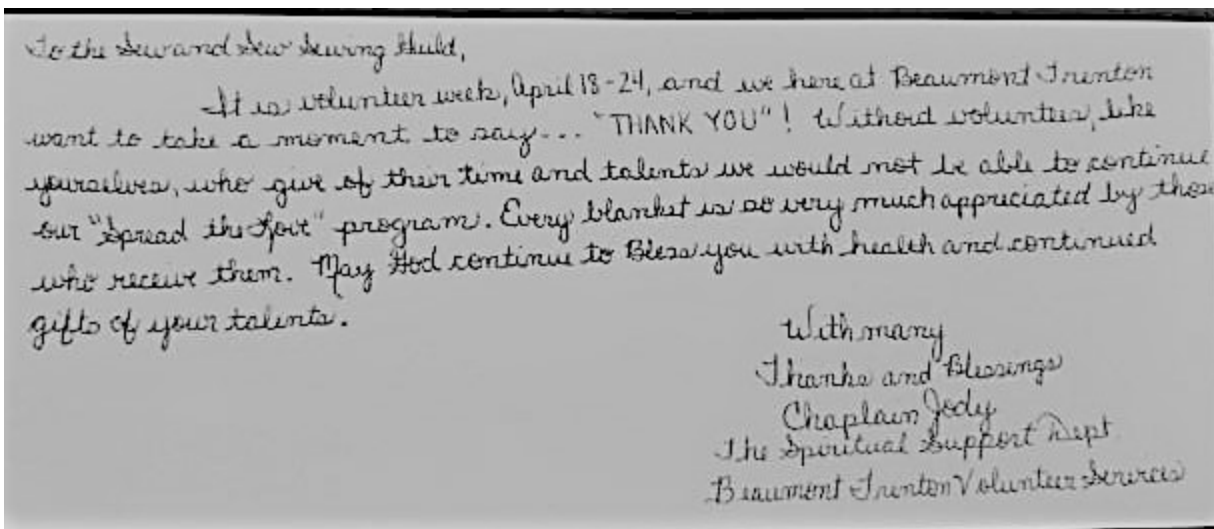
MEMORIAL FUND:

In Memory of: *Velma McGee* From: Anthony & Lori McAdam

TREE OF FAITH LEAVES:

In Memory of: *Dale Case* From: Dan & Deborah Case
In Honor of: *Helen St. Louis* From: Dan & Deborah Case

Received by the Sew & Sew Guild



If you are interested in helping to make these items contact Sharon Leonard, chair of the Sew & Sew Guild.

WE ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS FOR

Church Members and Friends: Fred Block, Sherrill Berndt, Joseph Cappello, John Caufield, Michael DePugh, Pam Foresta, Shirley Gratrix, Beverly Goodell, Kyle Hard, Carrie Hill, Wayne Jones, Arnold Knofske, Jim Koths, Loretta Kurtzel, Dave Lange, Beverly Jean Lloyd, Don Mack, Neil MacEachern, Maria MacZink, Bill McGahey, Gary Peters, Shirley Robinson, Eleanor Rossi, Sheryl Schwab, Glen Sigman, Bob Smarr, Christie Smart, Sue Spears, Tyler Staten, Samantha Surre, Brenda Tank, Linda Tank, Bert Thompson, Diane Wickline, Kathy Williams, Carol Wioncek, Arlene Wolfram, and Bob Wright.

Extended Family: Dawn Sturgeon Anderson, Paul Bachran (son, Sharon Leonard), Marcie Bolen (daughter, Ron & Marion Bolen), Talama Braba (Judy Albright's daughter), Cassidey Wangbickler-Congelierre, Mary Jane Fliss (sister-in-law, Arlene Wolfram), Gabriella Gomez (niece, Darlene Babin), Richard Janztsen (son, Ann Anderson), Kevin & Steven Johnson (grandsons, Patricia Olson) Richard Jones, Joanne LeFleur (daughter, Helene & Neil McEachern), Jennifer & Tammy Lee (granddaughter & daughter, Barb Siemers), Courtney McEachern Matthews, Kim McEachern (daughters-in-law, Helene & Neil McEachern), Toni Oliver, Judy Robin (aunt, Lucinda Chavez), Trudy Clark-Schiller (daughter, April & Steve Clark), Joseph Smith (husband, Cheryl Smith), Nicholas Surre (great-grandson, Helene McEachern), Rick Thie, Bruce Vernor (father, Eileen Vernor Drutchas), Bob Wright (father-in-law, Charmaine Wright), and Victoria Whitcher (daughter, Cheryl Stewart).

Congregations' Parents: Robert & Diane Brainard (parents, Ed Brainard), Jan Filpus (mother, Julia-Joy Miller), and Carol Hoffman (mother, Tracy Hoffman).

Church Members & Friends in Nursing or Rehab Care:

Donald Babin - Carolyn's Corner, 17890 Parkridge Dr., Riverview, 48193; Terry Dyer - Heartland Healthcare Center, 9150 Allen Rd., Allen Park, 48101; Esther Perry - Bellbrook Assisted Living, 873 West Avon Rd., Unit 209 H, Rochester Hills, 48307; Eleanor Rossi - Maple Heights, 4600 Allen Rd, Room 415, Allen Park, 48101; Melissa Rossi -17652 Colgate, Dearborn Heights, 48125.

LET US ALSO KEEP IN PRAYER THOSE PROVIDING EMERGENCY

'FRONTLINE' SERVICES as police officers, nurses, and EMS workers during the ongoing pandemic. We want to especially remember church members and friends Tricia Nault, Kim Arndt, Wendi Wioncek Ashby, Rick Barnosky, Jennifer Babin, Rhonda Wioncek Berndt, Dana Wioncek Barlage, Chelsey Eisenga, Joshua Eisenga, James Hubert, Debbie Lyles, Amy McGahey, Jarod MacZink, Ciera Mack, Marci Magnuson, Sam Martin, Lexi Mellin, Michelle Mellin, Brenda Murphy, Inez Kurtzel Ogonowski, Amber Ostrowski, Rebecca Ostrowski, Samantha Pedersen, Eric Poet, Trudy Clark Schiller, Rachel Tank, Emily Wangbickler Baggett, Jillian Wangbickler, and Sarah Wangbickler.