

## **DCRC RENEWAL WORSHIP PLAN**

**June 2024**

### **Access to the Church**

During the project, the entire main level, narthex, balcony and fellowship hall will be closed. The elevator, main entrance and side door entrance will all be inaccessible. Work will be taking place in these areas and outside simultaneously. For everyone's safety, we need to ensure these areas are not accessed. There will be construction material, equipment and scaffolding set up. We ask you to respect this and to be especially mindful that children don't try to sneak in for a peak.

We plan to take pictures of the project as it progresses and will share those with you. Regular updates on the progress inside and outside the building will also be given.

### **Worship**

While work is being done, we will meet for worship in the DCS gymnasium. You are encouraged to plan for extra time as you arrive for worship, so we can begin together on time at 9:30am. We will have folding chairs set up along with some padded seats for our seniors and members from Inspiration Ministries. We encourage you to bring your Bible as we will have a limited number of Bibles and hymnals available in the gym.

### **Parking/Valet Service**

There will be a security fence surrounding the work being done on the barrier free entrance and part of the sidewalk between the church and school will also be closed. For this reason, we encourage you to arrive a little earlier for church to allow time to get into school. The Council will be assisting with traffic flow and will also provide rides via a golf cart from your car to the gym to anyone who needs it.

If you have questions re: parking or the valet service, please reach out to Robert Hoekstra (262-949-7440) [alphaequip@sbcglobal.net](mailto:alphaequip@sbcglobal.net)

### **Nursery**

Nursery will still be available in the lower level at church. Parents and children will need to enter through school and take the stairs down to church. The elevator will not be accessible. Sign in will take place as usual, and we ask that parents leave a cell phone number in case they need to be reached during the service.

A separate email will be sent to all nursery volunteers with info re: nursery procedures and safety. Please reach out to Alli Drefs if you have any questions re: nursery during the project. Alli Drefs (262-903-1003) [allison.cunningham62@gmail.com](mailto:allison.cunningham62@gmail.com)

### **Children's Worship**

Children's Worship will still take place in its usual spot downstairs at church. Children's Worship leaders will meet students at the gym doors when they are dismissed during the offering. They will be brought over to church as a group. Parents should plan to go to church to pick them up immediately after the service.

A separate email will be sent to all Children's Worship volunteers with info re: plans for Children's Worship and safety. Please reach out to Kasey Musser if you have any questions re: Children's Worship during the project.

Kasey Musser (262-215-8448) [kase.musser@gmail.com](mailto:kase.musser@gmail.com)

### **Coffee Hour**

Yes, we will still have coffee hour! We ask your patience as those serving take a few minutes to do their final preparation after the service. Feel free to move your chairs to facilitate good fellowship and conversation. There will be a few tables set up for our youngest and oldest members to sit at. If the weather is nice, you can move outdoors on the west side of school. Please do not take food and drink on the south end of the gym or on the playground.

A separate email will be sent to all coffee hour volunteers with info re: supplies and serving during the project. Please reach out to Chrissy DeBoer if you have any questions re: Coffee Hour during the project.

Chrissy DeBoer (815-315-3003) [office@delavancrc.com](mailto:office@delavancrc.com)

### **Mailboxes**

During the Renewal Project, the church mailboxes will also be undergoing some maintenance and will not be available. We encourage you to hand deliver your mail to church members. Any handouts will be available on Sundays on a table near the gym, and there will be a place for you to drop any mail that needs to go to the office, Pastor Tim or the church treasurer.

If you have any questions re: the distribution of mail or handing information off, please reach out to Chrissy DeBoer.

### **Church Office**

The church office will also be closed during the project. Chrissy will still be available by phone and email. If you have a question or need assistance, please reach out to her. She is happy to help and can point you in the right direction.

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### **Volunteers**

As we prepare to begin and as we work through the project, there will be times in which we will need volunteers. Volunteer needs will be publicized via email and announcements. Our first work day is planned for Saturday, June 8. Please watch for further details, which will be sent via email, and prayerfully consider where you can lend a hand.