



Work in progress



Pardon Our Dust...

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We want you to know that there's some good work being done at the Little Home Church by the Wayside and we hope you will be patient with us.

If you would like to receive email progress updates on the Church's renovation and restoration project, please provide your email address to info@littlehomechurch.org and reference the 'Joyful' work project.

We will only use it to email you about the construction project, no other church business or activity.

Phase 1 of our 'Joyful, Joyful, We Restore Thee' renovation and restoration project has begun. In the next 12 weeks we will be working on many improvements to both the interior and exterior of this beautiful and historic Wayne church.

Projects include: removal and restoration of all sanctuary windows; entrance patio and first step replacement; foundation repair; bathroom renovation with ADA compliance; exterior & interior painting; flooring and lighting improvements; electrical & plumbing upgrades; and stormwater management.

Q. How will traffic be handled?

A. The Wayne Police and Wayne School administrators have been informed of our project. We anticipate 5 to 10 additional vehicles on site each day. Vehicles will park on Army Trail Road and we have approval to park on both sides of School Street through October 23. After that, depending upon whether schools have reopened, overflow parking will be on Army Trail and Glos Street, near the school playground.

Q. What can be expected in terms of noise?

A. We expect some noise during construction hours (7 am to 4 pm), Monday through Friday, including generators and jackhammering.

Q. Will the 'look' of the church change?

A. No, the sanctuary will remain the same, with minor changes to exterior lighting fixtures to provide more light at night. Changes will be 'like for like' meaning that the replacements will match what exists now. We expect that renovation work will make our old building look new.

Q. When is the anticipated completion of Phase 1?

A. Phase 1 of this project is expected to be complete by December 14, 2020.

Q. What's the plan for next steps/phases?

A. After Phase 1 is complete, we plan to move to Phase 2: replacing the corner Guild House with the new Wayne Community House. Preliminary drawings for the new building have already been approved by the Wayne Historic Sites Commission. Depending upon the project budget and our funding, we hope to begin Phase 2 in the spring of 2021.

Q. How can I get additional information, ask a question, or share feedback?

A. We would be happy to hear from you. Please contact our Office Manager, Lori Prang at 630.584.4013 or info@littlehomechurch.org and we will promptly address your inquiry.

We THANK YOU for your patience!