



The Hamilton Beacon

October 5, 2020

IN-HOUSE WORSHIP AT 11:00 AM!

We are working hard to make in-person worship a safe experience for all. If you are comfortable, join us in the Sanctuary.

We do manage to sit quite apart from each other. Of course, masks are required at all times. We ask you to bring and wear your mask!

Pews are marked for sitting or to remain vacant. We do not use either hymnals or pew Bibles, placing most of the material in the bulletin for you to take home.

Even with these protocols, we understand some folks may still feel uncomfortable with the idea of in-person worship.

In the final analysis you are the best comfort judge in being present. We honor and support your decision.

This month, the Contemporary Service will be held on the third Sunday, October 18th



PARKING LOT

The portion of our Parking that fronts on Hamilton Avenue, will be sold for \$100,000. This property is across the street from Harvest Fare market,

The property (its address is 2920 Hamilton Avenue), has always been separate parcel from the large area known as the Hamilton Presbyterian Church Plat.



We have ordered a survey on this large Church plat so that we may sub-divide the manse from the larger property. This is being done in preparation for its sale.

The Property and Loan Committee of Baltimore Presbytery has given their approval for the property sales. The proceeds will support the major maintenance projects in the Sanctuary building and Westminster Hall.

THE PROJECTS

The major project of importance was to fix the Sanctuary and Tower roof. This has been done and we are confident the water problem has been solved.

REMAINING PROJECTS

1. Entry Hall leading to the Church Office, Kitchen, and Women's Restroom
✓ completed
2. Westminster Hall -
Large Garage Door and Floor Drains
✓ *completed*
Clean/paint interior rooms
3. Men's Restroom -
Replace stained walls, ceiling, and lights
Renovate into one person handicapped restroom
✓ *completed*
4. Tower Stairwell -
clean mold, patch, plaster, paint on the ground floor and main floor
5. On Harford Road, the three Sanctuary Entry Doors -
Scrape, sand and paint the exterior of the Doors
6. Sanctuary Walls - -
Repair and plaster where necessary, paint the east, south & west walls. North wall seems fine.
7. Harford Road Ground Floor Entry - Water came through walls, rebuild baseboard and walls, paint