August 13, 2023

## Welcome!



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# Next Week: Sunday, August 20th

Rev. Betsy Wooster preaches

10 am
Traditional Worship
In-Person and Online via
YouTube

## We are so glad you've chosen to worship with us today!

We welcome you to The Federated Church, a place to belong and a place to become. We are people just like you, who hope and love and hurt, and we have found that Jesus Christ makes a transforming difference in our daily lives. Your presence matters to us. We open our hearts to you.

#### **Our Mission Statement**

God accepts me just as I am, and loves me too much to leave me that way. Federated accepts all people as they are and supports them in the spiritual journey. With Christ we offer hope and healing to change our world.

## WHAT'S HAPPENIN

#### Men's Cookout

Tuesday, August 15th, 6-8:30 PM

Cost: \$5

#### **Forhing Meadows**

Join the Men's Ministry for our Annual Men's Cookout. Hamburgers and Hot Dogs will be provided. Bring your own drink (cooler provided). Also, bring a small side or appetizer. Sign up on Realm or after church in Fellowship Hall.

#### Primetime Lunch Out at Welshfield Inn

Thursday, August 17th, Noon

Welshfield Inn-14001 Main Market Road, Burton, Ohio 44021

The Welshfield Inn is located in the heart of Amish country, amid 19 acres of lush farmland in Burton. Fresh, local and seasonal foods grace the menu and the friendly, attentive staff embody the spirit of this historic establishment that has been celebrated for well over a century. Please RSVP.

### SJAM 2nd Annual Summer Get Together and Dinner

#### Friday, August 18th, 6 PM

Please join us on **Friday, August 18th starting at 6:00pm** for our second annual summer get together and dinner with our friends from Mt. Zion Church. We will meet at the park on Lake Erie at 55th St. in Cleveland. (GPS address: 5555 N Marginal Rd, Cleveland, OH 44114) Bring your own dinner and drink!

### **SJAM General Meeting**

Next Sunday, August 20th, 11 AM Room 240 or via Zoom

SJAM will be hosting its monthly meeting following Worship Service, Sunday, August 20th at 11:30AM in Room 240, or via Zoom. All are welcome, regardless of any church or secular affiliations. For more information, please contact Kathy Franz, wfranz@roadrunner.com.

Events: fedchurch.org/events | Calendar: fedchurch.

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### SJAM Sponsors: "To My White Friends Who Know Me" A play by Dr. Debbie Plummer

Dr. Debbie Plummer's amazingly engaging play, "To My White Friends Who Know Me", will be presented at Forest Hill Church in September, sponsored by our own SJAM (Social Justice and Advocacy Ministry). Join us Saturday, September 9 at 7:00 pm or Sunday, September 10 at 2:00 pm. (As a sponsor, we have access to early ticket sales through 8/15.) Get your tickets TODAY: <a href="https://fhc.breezechms.com/form/78a418">https://fhc.breezechms.com/form/78a418</a>

#### **Altar Flower Donors Needed**

There is an opportunity to donate the altar flowers on Sunday, September 3rd. This is a wonderful way to celebrate or memorialize a loved one, as well as brighten our sanctuary for the Sunday service. Please contact Sue Mansour at (440) 668-9399 or <a href="mailto:sueman@roadrunner.com">sueman@roadrunner.com</a> if you are interested.

#### Children's Choir

Pat Haynish is inviting all children who will enter grades 1-8 this Fall to our first Children's Choir rehearsal **Monday**, **August 28th at 4 pm** in the large choir room (on the parking lot entrance level). We will rehearse each Monday this Fall from 4-4:45 pm except for September 4<sup>th</sup> (Labor Day) and October 16<sup>th</sup> (fall break for Chagrin schools) as we prepare to sing in church in September, October, and present our Christmas Musical on December 10<sup>th</sup>!

Please bring your children and their friends to the first rehearsal Monday, August 28th at 4 pm. (Chagrin Falls Intermediate School students are welcome to come at 3:15 pm following dismissal.) If you have any questions, please contact Pat Haynish at <a href="mailto:phaynish@sbcglobal.net">phaynish@sbcglobal.net</a>, or 440.263.3356.

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#### FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week...

**The Family of Jeri Schaffer** who died on August 5th.

**The Snavely Family** following the death of Scott Snavely on August 9th.

This month, please pray for, **Chagrin Falls**Park Community Center

This week, please pray for staff members **Pat Haynish** and **Kristin LeFeber** 

**Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week:** Myia Sterling, Sonja Solar, Marilyn Benjamin

#### **ALTAR FLOWERS**

The altar flowers this morning are given by Buck and Vicky McWilliams, in memory of Buck's Dad Jim McWilliams and Stepmother Susie McWilliams.

The flowers from today's worship service will be rearranged and distributed by the Angel Flower Ministry.

#### FELLOWSHIP HOUR 11a-12p

Thank you to congregants with the last names beginning with **S and T** for providing treats today. We encourage you to join us in Fellowship Hall after worship for food and fellowship.

Next Sunday— Congregation members with last names beginning with **U**, **V**, **W**, **X**, **Y**, **and Z** are invited to bring treats. Thank you in advance for your participation!

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