July 28, 2024

Welcome!





Next Week: Sunday, August 4th

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

Habitat for Humanity-Summer Playhouse Project

Wednesday, July 31st, 1-6 PM Church Parking Lot

A playhouse is one of the first opportunities for a child to imagine having a home. On July 31st from 1-6 pm, Federated Volunteers will build a custom playhouse in the parking lot for a local family. To support this project, donate through Realm or any regular giving option with "HABITAT PLAYHOUSE" in the memo line.

Save the Date! 2024-25 Confirmation Class Starts in September!

An Introductory meeting for 9th–12th grade students and their parents for the Confirmation year ahead will be held after worship on Sunday, September 8th. Be sure to attend this meeting to learn important and needed details about Confirmation classes that will officially begin three weeks later on Sunday, September 15th from 9:45–11:15AM. Look for an email from Rev. Wooster in the week ahead for more information and an opportunity for you to ask any questions you may have.

American Red Cross Blood Drive

Thursday, August 1st, Noon-6 PM

We are so excited to be hosting a blood drive here in Fellowship Hall on August 1st from Noon-6:00pm. If you are available to give, please sign up <u>HERE</u>. If you are interested in volunteering at the drive, please contact Thea Mozingo at <u>tmozingo@fedchurch.org</u>.

Summer Fed Talks at All Church Picnic

Monday, August 5th, 6 PM

Frohring Meadows Park-Katydid Lodge

Join us at the August 5th All Church Picnic for dinner and a Fed Talk Faith Story, a meaningful way to learn more about each other and give thanks to God for the life of faith that we share. We will be serving hot dogs, burgers, veggie burgers, lemonade, and water provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Plates, utensils, and cups also provided. Dinner is at 6:00pm, Story at 7:00pm. Hear church members Lauren and Jeff Miller share a faith story with us! Visit fedchurch.org/events to RSVP.

Events: fedchurch.org/events

Calendar: fedchurch

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Primetime: Nautica Lunch Cruise-FULL

Friday, August 30th, 10:30 AM

Reservations are currently FULL for the Nautica cruise and lunch on Lake Erie aboard the new Lady Caroline boat. To be placed on the waitlist, please email tmozingo@fedchurch.org. During the cruise, we should be able to see the Air Show practice flights. Please note that there are stairs on the boat. Meet in the Family Life Center Parking Lot at 10:30 AM, and we will board the bus to head to the boat launch.

Livestream Help Needed

Wednesday, August 7th, 6 PM

If you want to join our Livestream Ministry, come to our meeting on Wednesday, August 7th at 6 PM in the sanctuary. For more information or to express interest, please contact Brooke at bstrong@fedchurch.org.

Angel Desk Volunteers Needed

Are you interested in learning more about becoming an Angel Desk volunteer or Angel Desk substitute volunteer? Please contact Thea Mozingo at tmozingo@fedchurch.org to learn more.



FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week....

Sally Kass Lyle recovering from hip surgery-804 Bell Rd, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

Janice Slavin following the death of her husband Dale Slavin- 10471 E Cobblestone Ln Twinsburg, OH 44087

This month, please pray for the wider missions of the **United Church of Christ**.

This week, please pray for staff members **Hamilton Throckmorton** and **Kristin LeFeber**

Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week: Bob Abley, Debbie Baker, Mary Ann Boysen, Marge Overman

You were welcomed today by members of **the Music Ministries and friends.**

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 **C and D** 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 **E, F, or G** are invited to bring treats. Thank you in advance for your participation!





