Welcome!
Upcoming Activities and Opportunities at Federated

11:30 RISE to Shine Service

Spirited and Invitational Music
Welcome and Announcements
Offertory invitation
Offertory song
Scripture
Sermon
Song
Blessing

All children are welcome in worship! Childcare is also available for birth-Pre-K downstairs in Room G20.

 Ahead At The Fed

Sunday, February 16
Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton preaches
10 am Traditional Worship and Sunday School
Music by Adult Choir
11:30 am RISE to Shine Worship
Music by RISE to Shine Band

February 16 - Scriptures
Deuteronomy 30:15-20 or Sirach 15:15-20
Psalm 119:1-8
I Corinthians 3:1-9
Matthew 5:21-37

Sunday, February 23
Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton preaches
10 am Traditional Worship and Sunday School
Music by Adult Choir
11am-12:45 pm Brunch/Lunch Fundraiser
11:30 am RISE to Shine Worship
Music by RISE to Shine Band
12:45 pm Annual Meeting

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 Staff is Here to Support YOU
We at Federated believe in service. We think of our congregation as Ministers to the World and our church staff as Ministers to the Congregation. Should you have questions or need information, please contact us at 440.247.6490. We look forward to serving you.

Clergy
* denotes part-time staff
Hamilton Throckmorton, Senior Pastor
Mark Simone, Pastor of Children’s, Youth & Family Faith Formation
* Dan Kershner, Pastoral Care Pastor

Administration and Staff
Melinda Smith, Congregational Life Administrator
* Janis Stefanchik, Bookkeeper
* Trisha Holland, Marketing & Communications Specialist
* Kiersti Critchfield, Pastoral Care Administrator
* Dolly Herschel, Primetime Coordinator
* Laura Taylor, Fund Development Associate
 Jacob Evans, Head Custodian
Ken Tranter, * Larry McGurer, * Kin Barber, Custodians

Music Staff
Joshua Konow, Director of Music Ministries
* Marcia Snavely, Organist
* Pat Haynish, Director of Children’s Choir
* Thaddeus Quintin, Director of Federated Bell Choir

Children’s Ministries Staff
* Marty Culbertson, Director of Youth Faith Formation
* Kristin LeFeber, Director of Children’s Faith Formation
* Alex Bell, Lianna Davis, Trisha Holland, Childcare Providers

Primetime Federated Forum
TOMORROW, February 10 in Fellowship Hall
Refreshments at 1:30; Program at 2:00 pm

Presenter: Dr. Mari Halkovich
Program: Glitz and Glamour in the White House: Seven Presidential First Ladies from Ohio, Their History and Fashion

After retiring as a school district superintendent, Dr. Mari Halkovich began a second career that combines her interest in history with her love of antique and vintage jewelry. She started her antiques business, Vintage Vanities, and began participating in antique shows, often traveling to other states to buy, sell, and appraise jewelry.

Mari attends conferences and classes nationally and is a member of the Gemological Institute of America, American Society of Jewelry Historians, and Costume Jewelry Collectors

Primetime Lunch Out:
Mangia Mangia
Thursday, February 27
12:00—1:30 pm

This month, we will be traveling to Mangia Mangia at 11081 Kinsman Road in Newbury, OH (at the corner of 87 and Auburn Rd.). Meet us at the restaurant at noon for a fun afternoon.

RSVP: Call 440.247.6490 by Friday, February 21.

Our Ushers and Greeters are available to answer any questions you may have and will be happy to assist you in any way.
Notice of the 2019 Annual Meeting of the Congregation  
Sunday, February 23 | 12:45 pm | Bell St. Sanctuary

The church’s Annual Meeting will be held on February 23.  
A meal will be provided prior to the meeting  
starting at 11:00 am as a fundraiser by the Colorado Kids.

Your presence is important! We need a quorum of 100 members  
to approve the 2020 budget and candidates for leadership positions throughout  
the church, and other recommendations brought forth by Church Council.

Information & Listening Session  
Sunday, February 16 | 11:00 am | Bell St. Chapel

In preparation for the Annual Meeting, there will be an Information & Listening Session  
NEXT SUNDAY in the Chapel, immediately following the 10:00 am service.  
Please attend to hear information that will be presented at the Annual Meeting  
and to ask questions.

Movie Nights for  
African-American History Month

Henry Louis Gates’s four-part series,  
“Reconstruction in America” continues:  
TOMORROW, February 10, 7:00 pm in Fellowship Hall  
Part 2, A Brief Moment in the Sun

Wednesday, February 19, 7:00 pm, Fellowship Hall  
Part 3, From New South to Jim Crow

Monday, February 24, 7:00 pm, Fellowship Hall  
Part 4, The New Negro
**Wondrous Wednesday: Free Dinner for Ash Wednesday**

**Wednesday, February 26 | 6:00 pm**

Fellowship Hall

There will be a free dinner available before the Ash Wednesday service to make it easier to attend. It will feature savory chicken vegetable soup and warm garlic bread.

To reserve your meal, call 440.247.6490 or email kathiesharbage@gmail.com.

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**Ash Wednesday Service**

**Wednesday, February 26, 7:00 pm**

Bell St. Chapel

Join us in the Chapel for the Ash Wednesday Service of Communion and Imposition of Ashes.

Rev. Judith Brown Bryan will be preaching, and Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton will share worship leadership with her.

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**One Book One Community**

“Let Your Life Speak”

By Parker Palmer

Have you wondered about your true calling in life? Are you using your gifts and talents to serve a need in the world that is meaningful to you? Are you living in a way that is true to your deepest values?

Explore these questions and find the inspiration to find your own unique and authentic path as we read *Let Your Life Speak: Listening for the Voice of Vocation* by Parker Palmer during Lent.

We invite you to participate in our One Book One Community book study. Small groups will be forming to discuss the book during the six weeks of Lent leading up to Easter on April 12.

**Look for sign-ups and books available in Fellowship Hall between the worship services.**

Contact Cathy Digel with questions at cathy.digel@gmail.com or 216.409.9714.

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**Guitar Choir**

Calling all players or those who would like to learn to play guitar. We meet every Thursday at the church from 3:45 to 4:30 pm in Room 320.

Bring your guitar or borrow one of the guitars we loan out to students. Friends are welcome. Don’t play guitar? Then come and learn how! Questions? Contact Mark at msimone@fedchurch.org.
Rejoice & Renew Capital Campaign Project Update

Members of our Properties Committee and properties staff have been very busy coordinating a few capital campaign projects over the last two months:

- A new electrical panel and dimmers were installed to adjust the lighting in our Sanctuary – no more scary buzzing noise when the lights are dimmed!
- The final six Sanctuary armchairs were reupholstered.
- Both the snowplow and salt-spreader have been repaired.
- Our new Gator has already been used to plow snow and spread salt on the sidewalks.
- The top three steps connecting our parking lot to the school’s lot are going to be heated like the rest of the steps. This will really come in handy on those snowy/icy Sundays!

Federated Communion Classes

Fifth through eighth graders, along with their families, have a wonderful opportunity to participate in our Communion classes led by Reverend Hamilton Throckmorton and Reverend Mark Simone.

Classes will be held on Thursday, February 20 and Tuesday, February 25 from 7:00-9:00 pm in the Bell Street Lounge. Please plan on attending both evenings.

These classes focus on the meaning and mystery of this sacrament and include lecture, dialogue, small group discussion and fellowship. The second evening concludes with a communion service and reception. Children receive a Bible as a gift from their Federated church family. The Lord’s Supper is at the very core of our faith, making this a meaningful step in the religious journey of these children.

Children completing the class will be recognized on Sunday, March 1 (Youth Sunday).

Register by February 13 by contacting Kristin LeFeber at 440.247.6490 x130 or klefeber@fedchurch.org.
In Fellowship Hall
Tickets $12 at the door or online at chagrinfilmfest.org.

GROUP or JOY youth going without parents will be asked to contribute:
$10 for transportation
$10 for lunch
$8 for dinner

and a la carte (based on 15 people)
$40 lift ticket
$28 for rentals
Lessons available, contact Marty

Families are asked to contribute to transportation and will need to pay for lift and rentals. Food will be their responsibility (at group discount)

RSVP to Marty Culbertson at mculbert@fedchurch.org by February 15.
# Weekly Calendar

Activities in **bold italics** take place at the Family Life Center. Rentals, Scout and non-church related community events are not listed.  
*Find the full calendar of events on our website at [FEDCHURCH.ORG/CALENDAR](http://www.fedchurch.org)*

### SUNDAY February 9
- **10:00 am** Confirmation Class
- **10:00 am** Traditional Worship Service
- **10:00 am** Sunday School (K-8)
- **10:00 am** Kids Cove Childcare
- **11:00 am** Coffee Fellowship
- **11:30 am** SJAM Mtg
- **11:30 am** RISE to Shine Modern Worship
- **4:00 pm** JOY (Jr. High Youth Group) Movie Night
- **6:30 pm** GROUP (Sr. High Youth Group) Mtg
- **8:00 pm** AA Sunday Open Hearth Mtg

### THURSDAY February 13
- **8:30 am** Men’s Discussion Group
- **9:00 am** Ladies Prayer Group
- **10:00 am** Sit & Stitch
  - **10:15 am** *Primetime Trip to Cleveland Children’s Museum*
- **10:30 am** Tributaries: Balance, Balls & Bands
- **3:45 pm** Guitar Choir
- **6:00 pm** Thursday Happy Hour AA Mtg
- **6:30 pm** ACA Mtg
- **7:00 pm** Federated Choir Rehearsal
- **7:00 pm** Tributaries: Gentle Slow Flow Yoga

### MONDAY February 10
- **10:00 am** Primetime Pillows for Hospice Sewing
- **10:00 am** Primetime Tai Chi Class
- **10:15 am** Monday Morning Miracles Mtg
- **1:30 pm** Primetime Federated Forum
- **3:15 pm** Primetime Ministry Team Mtg
- **4:00 pm** Children’s Choir Rehearsal
- **7:00 pm** Congregational Care Commission Mtg
- **7:00 pm** SJAM Movie Night—Special Reconstruction Series (2nd of 4)

### FRIDAY February 14
- **9:30 am** Women’s Bible Study
- **12:00 pm** Friday Noon Big Book AA Mtg
- **1:00 pm** Mahjong
- **8:00 pm** Chagrin Falls Friday AA Mtg

### SATURDAY February 15

### TUESDAY February 11
- **10:00 am** Pastoral Care Mtg
- **10:00 am** Tributaries: Yoga—Spirit—Renewal
- **11:45 am** Women’s Fellowship Service Project Luncheon
- **7:00 pm** Mission & Service Commission Mtg
- **7:00 pm** Spiritual Formation Commission Mtg
- **7:30 pm** RISE to Shine Band Rehearsal Mtg

### SUNDAY February 16
- **10:00 am** Confirmation Class
- **10:00 am** Traditional Worship Service
- **10:00 am** Sunday School (K-8)
- **10:00 am** Kids Cove Childcare
- **11:00 am** Coffee Fellowship
- **11:00 am** Information & Listening Session
- **11:30 am** RISE to Shine Modern Worship
- **1:30 pm** Chagrin Arts Puppet Workshop
- **3:00 pm** Chagrin Arts Madcap Puppets “Pinocchio”
- **6:30 pm** GROUP (Sr. High Youth Group) Mtg
- **8:00 pm** AA Sunday Open Hearth Mtg

### WEDNESDAY February 12
- **7:30 am** Contemplative Prayer
- **12:00 pm** Twelve to One AA Mtg
- **7:00 pm** Bell Choir Rehearsal
- **7:00 pm** Spirituality 101 Returns
- **7:30 pm** Women on the Move AA Mtg
- **7:30 pm** SLAA/Augustine Fellowship Mtg
FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER: Please include in your prayers this week....

Jan Blank, 14856 Hook Hollow Rd., Novelty, OH 44072-9523, on the death of her husband, Charles, on Tuesday, February 4.

Herk Exline, 7173 Sugar Bush Ln., Chagrin Falls, OH 44022-2666, who is hospitalized with a UTI and is undergoing tests.

Tom Harvey, 227 Manor Brook Dr., Chagrin Falls, OH 44022-4179, who has been moved to Regency Hospital with health issues.

Kathy Marous, 16022 Pierce St., Middlefield, OH 44062-9595, who is recovering from shoulder surgery.

Ann Petersen, 3661 SOM Center Rd., Pepper Pike, OH 44124-5244, who is at home recovering from a recent heart attack.

Monica Ralston, 18165 Moss Pt., Chagrin Falls, OH 44023-4898, who was diagnosed with breast cancer and is starting chemo treatments.

Eryn Simone, 55 Philomethian St Apt 3, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022-2958, who is hospitalized with kidney stones and a kidney infection.

Each week, we ask your prayers for two of our staff members. This week please pray for Ken Tranter and Larry McGurer.

For February, the Mission & Service Commission is asking us to keep in prayer one of our church’s mission partners, South African Ministries.

The Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers for this week are:

Altar Flowers
The altar flowers this morning are given by Robin and Katie Swanson-Harbage in honor of Katie’s mother, Lois Galloway, on the occasion of her 97th birthday this month.

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

Fellowship Treats: Thank you to congregation members with last names beginning L or M for providing treats. We invite you to join us in Fellowship Hall between the services for food and fellowship.

Each week, certain members are invited to bring treats to share. Please bring ready-to-serve finger foods in disposable containers. They can be set on the treat table in Fellowship Hall. Healthy choices are especially welcome, but please no nuts. Thank you in advance for your participation.

February 16 – members with last names beginning N, O, P, Q, or R
February 23 – a meal will be served prior to the Annual Meeting, benefitting Colorado Kids

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