

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week....

Staff members **Mark Simone** and **Dan Kershner** and **Chagrin Falls Park Community Center**.

Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week:

Joyce Ritchie; Carol Basler, Sally Ramsey, Sue Mansour, Louise Rutkowski, Lee Wiley.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this morning are given by the Sanctuary Piano Team in gratitude for the Congregation's vote of approval of the Music Ministry Sanctuary Piano Initiative. What a wonderful affirmation that Federated's music ministry is so meaningful and touches the hearts of many.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR 11a-12p

There will be no in-person Fellowship Hour after worship today. There will be a virtual gathering on Zoom. You are welcome and encouraged to join! You can find the link on the home page of the fedchurch.org website, or go to [Tinyurl.com/fedfellowship](https://tinyurl.com/fedfellowship).

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August 1, 2021

Welcome!

Next Week:

Sunday, August 8

Rev. Judy Bagley-Bonner preaches

10 am

Traditional Worship

In-person and

Online via YouTube

Music by Marcia Snavelly and a trio from the Cleveland Orchestra

Lectionary Readings:

- ◇ 2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33
- ◇ Psalm 130
- ◇ 1 Kings 19:4-8
- ◇ Psalm 34:1-8
- ◇ Ephesians 4:25-5:2
- ◇ John 6:35, 41-51



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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.

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.

Our Mission Statement

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FEDERATED?

Family Sunday School—August Edition

Sunday, August 8, 2-4 PM

The LeFeber Household (18670 Auburn Glen Drive)

Join us for our final gathering of the summer. We will share a brief prayer time (Ms. Kristin will be praying) and fun fellowship. The LeFebbers will have ice cream bars and popsicles to share. Please bring your own drinks and any outdoor toys you'd like. We will have bocce, badminton and corn hole. RSVPs requested - email Ms. Kristin at klefeber@fedchurch.org.

Mt. Zion Congregational Church Community Festival

Saturday, August 7, 10 AM-2 PM

For the past several years Federated Church and Mt. Zion members have studied, prayed, attended movies, worshipped and celebrated together. Here is another kind invitation to honor US Veterans and spend time with one another. If you have questions, contact Barry Stees at steesbassoon@gmail.com.

- **10 AM** Wreath Laying at Woodland Cemetery (6901 Woodland Ave)
- **11 AM** Wreath Laying at Charles Young Buffalo Soldier Statue (49th & Prospect YWCA)
- **12 PM** Classic Car Parade & Community Festival (10723 Magnolia Dr)

Opportunities to Donate Altar Flowers

There are several upcoming opportunities available to donate altar flowers during. Currently, we have August 29, September 5, and September 12 available. This is a wonderful way to honor or memorialize a loved one or celebrate a special occasion. If interested, contact Sue Mansour at 440.668.9399 or sueman@roadrunner.com.

"Our Piano Future" Benefit Concert is now available online!

Online at [YouTube.com/TheFederatedChurch](https://www.youtube.com/TheFederatedChurch)

The concert on July 6 presented the need for a new piano and featured one of the pianos under consideration. You can now view the entire concert on our YouTube channel. Those in attendance at the July 25 Special Meeting of the Congregation voted unanimously to move forward with the purchase of a new piano. The presenters of the concert also provide a thorough explanation of the need, the research done as part of the selection process and the long-term benefits to Federated of a quality instrument.

Capital Campaign Parking Lot Project Begins August 9

On Monday, August 9, we will break ground on our Capital Campaign Parking Lot Project. The result of this much needed project will be a heated hill and sidewalk along with other improvements. This will affect parking at the Federated Church for several weeks to allow time for concrete to cure. We will have full use of the parking lot by Rally Day (September 12), sooner if possible.

Throughout the project, the Bell Street driveway and the "cut through" drive from Heinen's will be closed and there will be signs to indicate the needed diversions. We apologize for the inconvenience, but look forward to the result! During this time if you are participating in an activity at the church, please plan accordingly and be prepared to park elsewhere. The Heinen's lot offers free three hour parking and the school lot is also available for use, including for Sunday worship. On Sundays, please feel free to utilize the drop off area located on Bell Street for our members who need closer access..

Should you need assistance, wish to park in the drop off area during the week or wish to investigate moving your group to the Family Life Center temporarily, please contact our Senior Director of People and Operations, Melissa Owen: 440.247.6490 ext. 110.