

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week...

Lance Buescher for a speedy and full recovery after a sports leg injury this week; 419 Bentleyville Rd Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44022

Staff members **Marcia Snavelly** and **Pat Haynish**, and our mission partner **Family Promise of Greater Cleveland**

Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week: Myia Sterling, 440.338.4893; Elsie Lutman, Janet Peters, Sonja Solar.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this morning are given anonymously to honor the Federated Church staff and their ongoing commitment to serving the church and our congregation.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR 11a-12p

Fellowship Hour will be online. Those attending In-Person are invited to join the Burrows family directly following worship in Fellowship Hall to celebrate Norma Burrows – Norma officially turns 100 on Tuesday, September 7!

September 5, 2021

Welcome!

Next Week:
Sunday, September 12

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton preaches

10 am
Traditional Worship
In-person and
Online via YouTube
*Music by Marcia Snavelly,
Trumpet Trio and Federated
Choir*

Lectionary Readings:

- ◇ Proverbs 1:20-33
- ◇ Psalm 19
- ◇ Isaiah 50:4-9a
- ◇ Psalm 116:1-9 or
- ◇ Wisdom of Solomon 7:26-8:1
- ◇ James 3:1-12
- ◇ Mark 8:27-38



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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.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FEDERATED?

A Special Birthday Celebration

TODAY

A very special member of Federated is celebrating a very special milestone birthday. Norma Burrows is turning 100 on Tuesday, September 7! There will be cake in Fellowship Hall following the worship service to celebrate.

Children's Choir Invitation

ALL children entering grades 1-8 are invited to participate in the Federated Children's Choir for the 2021-22 school year! Regular weekly rehearsals take place on Mondays from 4-4:45 PM in the Music Room. We plan to sing every 4-6 weeks and perform a Christmas Musical We use various props and percussion instruments to add to our performances! Encourage your child to join in the fun! For questions, contact: Pat Haynish (Director) phaynish@sbcglobal.net.

"Mark" your calendars

September 18 and 19 will be a Weekend of Celebration for Rev. Simone as he heads into retirement!

On Saturday evening September 18, we will have an all church pot luck and all in fun roast of Mark Simone at the Family Life Center.

On Sunday, September 19 we will hear Mark's final sermon at Federated Church and following worship will be a reception in Fellowship Hall!



In-Person Sunday School Returns Soon!

Sunday, September 19

After a long season of virtual Sunday School, our in-person offerings are returning. K-6th graders will start in the Sanctuary and will be released to Sunday School in Room 220 during the passing of the peace. B-PreK kids will meet upstairs in Room 230.

Altar Flower Donor Opportunities

There are a number of opportunities in the coming weeks to donate the altar flowers for our Sunday services. This is a wonderful way to honor or memorialize a loved one or a special occasion, as well as brighten our Sanctuary for the worship service! Please contact Sue Mansour at .440.668,9399 or sueman@roadrunner.com if interested.

Rally Day is Coming Up!

Next Sunday, September 12

Join us on September 12 - Rally Day is Family Fun Day! We are kicking off the program year with a celebration. Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton returns from his summer sabbatical, and there will be food and fun in the parking lot after worship. Everyone is invited to attend—and bring a friend!

We are also excited to reveal our new cross and baptismal font during the Rally Day worship service!