

November 7, 2021

Welcome!



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Next Week:

Sunday, November 14

Gratitude Sunday
Rev. Judy Bagley-Bonner
preaches

10 am

Traditional Worship

**In-person and
Online via YouTube**

*- Music by Federated Choir
and the Children's Choir*

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

SJAM Speaker Night

Monday, November 15, 7 PM

Online on Zoom: find the link at fedchurch.org/events

Two speakers will present on immigration

Brian Hoffman, an immigration attorney and executive director of The Ohio Center for Strategic Immigration Litigation & Outreach.

Jeff Smith, a board member of AMIS and a member of the Forest Hill Church Immigrant Task Force.

Welcome Kettle: Afghan Refugee Resettlement Calls for All Hands On Deck

Hundreds of at-risk Afghans are arriving in the Cleveland area just in time for winter. With limited resettlement funds or resources, they will need to build their lives back from scratch. The National offices of The United Church of Christ are asking churches across the country to coordinate efforts to support Afghan refugee resettlement. On **November 10, from 7-8 pm**, join us at the **Family Life Center** to hear more about what can be done in an informed and integrated response. Read more in the November Spire at fedchurch.org/spire.

Ingathering Collection of Food is Underway!

It is the season of giving thanks and sharing from our abundance. We will be **collecting non-perishable food items through Sunday, November 21 before worship** for Thanksgiving baskets for the St. Paul's Church community. Please note: We will collect money for turkeys... do not buy and donate turkeys! We cannot store them. You can note "Ingathering" on your monetary donations or select that fund when donating online. All other items for a wonderful Thanksgiving dinner are needed

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Primetime Federated Forum

Monday, November 8

Gather at 1:30, Presentation at 2:00

Fellowship Hall

Presenter: Judy Bagley-Bonner

We are all looking forward to having Pastor Judy speak to us at Primetime. She is very special to us. Judy Bagley-Bonner has long roots in Chagrin. Throughout her ministry, Judy has served as a hospice chaplain, as well as pastoring several UCC churches, including Spiritual Life Associate at Federated from 2004-2008. She has been back to fill in for staff sabbaticals and vacations for five summers now. She dearly loves Federated, having been baptized, confirmed, married and ordained here.



NOICA
NORTHERN OHIO INTERCULTURAL ASSOCIATION

Holbrook Hollows: Lodge
7250 Country Lane Chagrin Falls, OH 44023

Masks and Vaccination
Required for Entry

Nov 18
6:30 pm
-
8:30 pm

**Annual
Thanksgiving
Dinner**

Limited Seating due to Safety Measures
Please RSVP by November 15th
rsvp@noica.org

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton will be speaking!

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week...

For a successful surgery and healing for **Abbey Becker**, age 15, having surgery on Monday, November 8 to remove part of her bowel; 3360 Lansmere Road Shaker Heights, OH 44122

Staff members **Hamilton Throckmorton** and **Dan Kershner**, and our mission partner **JustHope, St. Paul's Community Church (Program and Participants)**.

Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week:

Bob Abley, Debbie Baker, Mary Ann Boysen, Paul Neidhardt, Marge Overman.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this morning are given in remembrance of Sue and Jack Putnam, parents of Wendy Pierce.

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

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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