

August 7, 2022

Welcome!



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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

Next Week:
Sunday, August 14

Marty Culbertson
preaches

10 am

Traditional Worship
In-Person and
Online via YouTube

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Federated Intergenerational Picnic and Hike

Sunday, August 14, 12PM

West Woods Park Deer Run Shelter

Come join the fun with Pastor Betsy and Federated friends for a picnic, prayer walk and the Nature Center of West Woods Park after worship on Sunday, August 14 from Noon-2PM. It won't be the same without you, so please sign up via Realm TODAY! For further information, please contact Pastor Betsy Wooster, bwooster@fedchurch.org.

Men's Cookout

Tuesday, August 16th, 6PM-8:30PM

Frohning Meadows

Hamburgers & Hot Dogs provided. Bring your own drink(s) – cooler provided. Plus, bring a small side or appetizer. Bring a friend! Cost is \$5.00. Sign up today in Fellowship Hall or contact Barry Biggin, barrybiggin@windstream.net for more information.

St. Paul's Collection

Saturday, August 20th, 9AM-2PM

Parking Lot

We will have the mission trailer and volunteers in the church parking lot to receive your donations. We will accept gently used items and clothes that still have a good life ahead of them. Thank you for continuing this ministry in this new way! For more information, contact Marty Culbertson, mculbertson@fedchurch.org.

Federated Family Fellowship: Back to School

Sunday, August 28, 2 PM

The LeFeber home in Chagrin Falls

Federated Families! Join us Sunday, August 28th at 2pm at the LeFeber home for a time of back-to-school prayer, fellowship and snacks. RSVP to Ms. Kristin: klefeber@fedchurch.org.

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Rally Day

Sunday, September 11th, 11AM

Church Parking Lot

Join us at Federated for fun, Faire and food with all the fixins'. This is an all-ages, all community event, featuring Federated! For more information or to volunteer, please contact Melissa: mowen@fedchurch.org.

Worship Ambassadors Needed

The Congressional Care Commission needs volunteers to serve as Worship Ambassadors for Sunday Morning Worship. If you are friendly and like to greet people, please sign up in Fellowship Hall during Coffee Hour, or for more information please contact Brooke, bstrong@fedchurch.org

JustHope “Truck of Hope” Giving Opportunity

The Mission & Service Commission is participating in JustHope’s \$31,000 Truck of Hope initiative, hoping to raise \$16,000 of their goal here at Federated.

Their community truck has broken down beyond repair. This initiative will save lives:

Mr. Joaquin, who contracted COVID-19 and could not find any friends who would drive him to the hospital in León because they were afraid of getting sick themselves. Thankfully, JustHope’s partners had assigned specific drivers to transport patients in the community truck. If Mr. Joaquin hadn’t gotten a ride to the hospital in the community truck, he would have died from low oxygen saturation.

Beyond functioning as an ambulance, the truck has also traveled back and forth to refill the oxygen tanks for ill community members. When it's running, the community truck goes an average of 125 miles a week and costs \$200 in gas a month.

Make checks payable to Federated and designate “Truck of Hope” in the memo line or Give Now at fedchurch.org/giving and choose “Truck of Hope” in the drop-down menu.

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week....

Pastor Betsy Wooster recovering from Covid

Rita Owen recovering at The Weils at a fall 16695 Chillicothe Rd, Chagrin Falls, OH 44023

This week, please pray for staff members **Joshua Konow** and **Marcia Snively**

This month, please pray for **JustHope, Stitching Hope and all Nicaraguan Ministries**

Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week:

Myia Sterling, 440.338.4893; Elsie Lutman, Janet Peters, Sonja Solar.

A Special Thanks to Eric Reed for his dedication and contribution to the Media and Livestream Team over the past two years. You are appreciated immensely. May God's favor follow you to your next phase of life.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this morning are given by Gayle Bauer in loving memory of her husband, Dr. William Bauer.

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

FELLOWSHIP HOUR 11a-12p

Members of the congregation take turns bringing in treats for fellowship time following the service. Thank you to congregants with the last names beginning with E, F, or G for providing treats today. We encourage you to join us in Fellowship Hall after worship for food and fellowship.

Next Sunday—congregants with last names beginning H, I, J, or K are invited to bring treats to share. You can see the list of coming weeks at [fedchurch.org/fellowshiptreats](https://www.fedchurch.org/fellowshiptreats).

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