

September 7, 2025

Welcome!

To Give:



Next Week:

Sunday, September 14th

Pastor Vicki McGaw preaches

10 am

Traditional Worship

In-Person and Online via
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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.

Our Mission Statement

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.

WHAT'S HAPPENIN

100 Years at Federated

In Fellowship Hall, you'll see a photograph of the entire congregation taken 100 years ago. This Rally Day, we'd love to recreate that moment with a new all-congregation picture. Please join us immediately following worship, before the festival begins, to be part of this special snapshot of our church family.

Rally Day Festival

Join us right after worship for our Rally Day Festival! We'll gather for food, fellowship, and fun as we kick off a new program year together. Please enjoy the meal and sides provided, and stay for an afternoon of activities. There will be live music from the band "Up Til 4", a balloon artist, an ice cream truck, pickleball, and more. Bring your energy and join the celebration—there's something for everyone. All are welcome—let's celebrate together!

Trinkets 'N Treasures 2.0– Rally Day Edition

Today after worship, stop by the Small Music Room/Daily Bread/Small Meeting Room off Fellowship Hall to explore items gathered from our Bell Street clean-out. Kitchen utensils, dishes, and more are available—take what you like and leave a freewill donation (cash or check). Take home a little piece of Federated history!

Federated Children's Choir

Open to students entering grades 1–8. Rehearsals are Mondays from 4–4:45 pm in the choir room (no rehearsals Sept. 1 & Oct. 13). First performance: Sept. 28. Chagrin Intermediate students may walk over after school. No experience needed—props, instruments, and fun included! Families do not need to be members. Questions? Contact Pat Haynish, phaynish@sbcglobal.net | 440-263-3356.

Primetime lunch Out

Thursday, September 11th | 11:30 AM–1:30 PM | 56 Tavern at Aurora Inn

Join us for a Primetime lunch outing at 56 Tavern @ The Aurora Inn, 30 Shawnee Trail, Aurora, OH 44202. The Aurora Inn opened earlier this year and has already received excellent reviews—we're excited to try it together! Sign up on Realm or contact Thea, tmozingo@fedchurch.org.

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Wondrous Wednesday: Dinner & A Movie with SJAM

Wednesday, September 17th | 6-8:30 PM | Fellowship Hall

Join us Wednesday, Sept. 17 for dinner at 6 pm, followed by a movie at 7 pm with guest speaker Kathryn Garvey. Sign up for dinner and the movie, or just the movie, so we can plan accordingly. Register on Realm, at fedchurch.org/events, or in the church lobby. Questions? Contact sjamfedchurch@gmail.com.

Christmas Eve Offering Nominations

The Mission and Service Commission invites members and active participants of Federated to nominate a 501(c)(3) organization for the 2025 Christmas Eve offering. Nomination forms are available at **fedchurch.org**, in the Narthex, and at the Angel Desk in the Parking Lot lobby. Please nominate an organization you know well and can speak to its local, national, or global impact. Questions? Contact any member of the Mission and Service Commission.



FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

Please include in your prayers this week....

Gia Caccamo as she prepares for surgery
September 11th- 315 Solon Rd Apt 407
Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

The ongoing search for our next Senior Pastor and the dedicated members of the Search Committee as they guide this important process.

This month, please pray for our mission partners– **ReSource Cleveland**

This week, please pray for staff members
Beth Rutkowski and **Jannine Mason**.

Fellowship of Prayer Note Writers this week: Martine Scheuermann and Sue Mansour

USHERS/GREETERS

You were welcomed today by members of the **Spiritual Formation Commission and Friends**.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Today's altar flowers are given by the Mozingo Family in honor of Chuck Mozingo's birthday.

There is no Angel Flower Ministry this week.

The altar flowers last week were given by the Rutkowski Family in loving memory of Matthew.

FELLOWSHIP HOUR 11a-12p

There will be no fellowship hour this Sunday. Instead, we invite everyone to stay and enjoy the Rally Day celebration following worship.

Next Sunday– Congregation members with last names beginning with **U, V, W, X, Y, and Z** are invited to bring treats next week for Fellowship Hour. Thank you in advance for your participation.

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