

December 24, 2025

Welcome!

To Give:



Next Week:
Sunday, December 28

Revs. Judy & Brian
Bagley-Bonner
10 am

Traditional Worship
In-person and
Online via YouTube



federated

live your faith



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.



Christmas Poinsettias purchased this year to honor

All proceeds from the sale will go to the church.
Thank you for your support and for your purchase.
If you purchased a poinsettia, you...

Bob Abley & Deborah Parker	<i>In memory of our parents</i>
Donnie & Nickie Adams	<i>In memory of Amelia Maria Adams</i>
Janet Berlincourt	<i>In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Don Berlincourt</i>
Mary & Houston Bowers	<i>In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Lofton Knight</i>
Mary & Houston Bowers	<i>In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Houston Bowers, Sr.</i>
Becky Carter	<i>In memory of Virginia & Paul N. Stewart, parents, and Helen Brown, friend</i>
Marty Culbertson & Martine Scheuermann	<i>In honor of Federated Staff (except Marty)</i>
Marty Culbertson & Martine Scheuermann	<i>In honor of Federated Church's Lay Leaders</i>
Marty Culbertson & Martine Scheuermann	<i>In memory of George & Nancy Scheuermann</i>
Marty Culbertson & Martine Scheuermann	<i>In memory of Al & Shirley Culberston</i>
Marty Culbertson & Martine Scheuermann	<i>In memory of Mike Scheuermann</i>
Marty Culbertson & Martine Scheuermann	<i>In memory of Rich Scheuermann</i>
The Davis Family	<i>In loving memory of Richard R. G. Hobson and Will Davis</i>
Kelly & Steve Downey	<i>With hope of peace</i>
Kris Exline	<i>In memory of Herk Exline & Mary Lee Hendee</i>
Phyllis Ference	<i>In memory of Bob Ference</i>
Dawn & Bob Herdman	<i>In honor of granddaughter Abigail Herdman</i>
Hively Family	<i>In memory of Tom Hively</i>
Hively Family	<i>In honor of the Hogan & Hively Families</i>
Vicki Jones	<i>In memory of Richard & Leslie Jones</i>
John & Pat Leech	<i>In honor of John Prexta</i>
Sibyl & Dick McBride	<i>In memory of loved ones</i>
The Mozingos	<i>Karl Rolf Hanson & Therese Hanson</i>
The Mozingos	<i>Rev. Robert Hanson</i>
Darlene Nichols	<i>In memory of my dear father, Charles F. Harle, who would have turned 100 this Christmas Eve</i>

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or and remember loved ones.
support Federated Youth Programs.
r helping to beautify the Sanctuary.
u may take it home with you today.



Georgiann Pace	<i>In memory of my mother-Lorraine Pace</i>
Georgiann Pace	<i>In honor of Brian & Jordan Bindernagel</i>
Georgiann Pace	<i>In honor of Sal & Stephanie Barbarotta</i>
The Patton Family	<i>In memory of Phyllis & Ed Patton</i>
The Patton Family	<i>In memory of Betsy & Bob Scher</i>
Gylene Pelton & Dana Korosi	<i>In memory of David Pelton & Guy Pelton</i>
Gylene Pelton & Dana Korosi	<i>In memory of Alexander Korosi, Nina Ulrick & Marcia Stroud</i>
Judy Riemenschneider	<i>In memory of Dr. Tom Riemenschneider</i>
Derdriu Ring & Vince Horvath	<i>In loving memory of Diarmaid Ring</i>
Derdriu Ring & Vince Horvath	<i>In loving memory of Clare & Owen Ring</i>
Linda Robertson	<i>In memory of Darrell Robertson, husband</i>
Linda Robertson	<i>In memory of Lee & Dorothy Brunk, parents</i>
Harriett Rogers	<i>In honor of staff</i>
Harriett Rogers	<i>For the saints that have passed this year</i>
Harriett Rogers	<i>For family near and far</i>
Cindy Scott & Miriam Huebscher-Scott	<i>In honor of Miriam Ellen Lyons</i>
Laurel Senel	<i>In memory of Curt Woodworth</i>
Marcia Snavely	<i>In memory of John Laskowski</i>
Marcia Snavely	<i>In memory of Scott Snavely</i>
Marcia Snavely	<i>In memory of Jeanette & Glenn Brown</i>
Marcia Snavely	<i>In memory of Charles & Ruth King</i>
Marcia Snavely	<i>In memory of Marion & Geoff Snavely</i>
Jeanne Dixon Sturm	<i>In memory of the Dixon Family-John, Mary, John E. & Wendy (Magree)</i>
Dawn Thatcher	<i>In memory of Grandma Gail DeWolf & Madison Thatcher</i>
Bill & Linda Zelazny	<i>In memory of our parents, John & Caroline Zelazny, and Paul & DeLight Rhoades</i>

RePlay for Kids - 2025 Christmas Eve Offering Recipient

The 2025 Christmas Eve Offering will go to **RePlay for Kids**.



The mission of **RePlay for Kids** is to increase the availability of toys and assistive devices for children with disabilities. They repair, adapt and distribute toys and assistive devices free of charge and in doing so strive to raise awareness and increase the number and variety of toys and devices available to the children who need them.

RePlay for Kids believes that play is vital to every child's development. By expanding the Library Lending Program, the organization will ensure that families in all 88 Ohio counties can access adapted toys through their libraries, giving more children the opportunity to play and learn.

The Christmas Eve Offering is a Federated Tradition that Began in 1961!

Each year Federated Church donates the entire offering collected at its Christmas Eve services to an organization or cause whose program or goal would be significantly impacted by this generous gift.

We look for an organization whose specific goals are to improve the lives of those in need, in turn enriching our world. The Christmas Eve offering is just the beginning of what we hope will be a year-long partnership of mission engagement with the recipient. Recent recipients include:

2024 Re:Source Cleveland— **NEED**

2021 A Place 4 Me- \$31,000

2023 Humble Design- \$31,049

2020 Federated Mission Partners—\$49,230

2022 Thea Bowman Center- \$22,000

2019 St. Paul's Community Church—\$33,041

A Special Thank You

Thank you to the artists who brought our nativity characters to life this evening:

Mary Ann Boysen and Toni Foster who traced and cut out the silhouettes

Joan Reike, Dan Allen and Mari Hageman who cut out the silhouettes

The following people created and dressed the characters you see tonight:

Mary – Linda Zelazny and Sue Sullivan * Joseph – Dan Kershner * Donkey – Lena Wright

Camel – Oliver Mason * Angel – The Antil Family * Sheep – Toni Foster

Shepherds #1 – Rose Brown and Wendy Duncan * Shepherd #2 – Joan Reike and Dan Allen

Wise People – Joy Wyatt, Kristen Walenga and Carol King-Shaw

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