

Welcome to North Olmsted United Methodist Church!

Announcements for Sunday, March 6, 2022

Easter Flower Sale

Orders due by March 27

Our youth are selling Easter Lilies, Hyacinths, Martha Washington Geraniums, and Tulips to decorate our altar on Easter Sunday. Proceeds will benefit the Oxcart Food Pantry Sunday School Mission Project. Order forms are available in Fellowship Hall or can be found in the weekly e-newsletters. Please fold your payment into the order form and place it into the purple box. You can also send the form with your check to the church office, attention Wendy Cooper, or email her at sundayschool@noumc.org. Thank you for supporting our mission project!

Mission Trip to Kids' Book Bank

Tuesday, March 8, 1 pm – 3 pm; Meet in church parking lot at 12 pm

Join the Racial Justice Group for a mission trip to Kids' Book Bank. The mission of the Cleveland Kids' Book Bank is to foster literacy and a love of reading by distributing free books to children in need through collaboration with community partners. We will serve by sorting books; there are jobs for most physical abilities. Visit their website at <https://www.kidsbookbank.org/en/>: Space is limited; contact Janis at janisjar@yahoo.com if you are interested in joining us for this trip or for a future one.

You are invited to donate children's books in good condition with the latest copyright no earlier than 2000. We cannot accept textbooks, dictionaries, encyclopedias, or similar books. Books can be placed on the carts in Fellowship Hall, and we will take them with us on March 8.

Oxcart Pantry Collection

Collecting salad dressing and salad toppings until March 27

Please place donations in the collection box in Fellowship Hall. Thank you for your generosity!

Adult Sunday School Lenten Study

The God We Can Know: Exploring the "I Am" Sayings of Jesus

Sundays, 9 am, Classroom 4

We are exploring the "I am" sayings of Jesus found in the Gospel of John. Perfect for Lent, this series is helping us find and form an answer to the most essential question in the Christian faith, "Who do you say I am?" Contact Craig at cpa.mueller@sbcglobal.net for more information. It isn't too late to join us!

Frank and Dean Dinner Show

Wednesday, March 30, Dinner at 5:30 pm and Show at 7 pm, Matteo's Restaurant in Olmsted Falls

RSVP by March 15

Join us for dinner and a show at Matteo's Restaurant. You will have a choice of three entrees to be determined at a cost of \$35 plus gratuity. Please note that this will be held on the second floor of the restaurant, and there is not an elevator. Let Charlene Vas know if you are interested in this event so she can give you details. Contact her at 440.235.4056 or charvas@cox.net.

Lunch with Friends

Thursday, March 17, 11:30 am, Canary's Restaurant (28981 Lorain Rd., North Olmsted)

Lunch with Friends will be meeting in person this month!! A big welcome to all who would like to join us on Thursday, March 17 at one of our favorite places: Canary's Family Restaurant. To RSVP, call Carole at 440.234.3611.

This Week's Gatherings and Small Groups

Racial Justice Group: Monday, March 7, 12 pm – 1pm (during lunch hour), on Zoom

Kids' Book Bank Mission Trip: Tuesday, March 8, 1 pm – 3 pm

Weekday Lenten Study: Wednesday, March 9, 2 pm – 3:30 pm, on Zoom

Choir Rehearsal: Thursday, March 10, 7 pm, Choir Room

United Methodist Men: Saturday, March 12, 8:30 am, Canary's Restaurant

Adult Sunday School Lenten Study: Sunday, March 13, 9 am, Classroom 4

2nd Sunday in Lent: Sunday, March 13, 10:30 am, Sanctuary & Online

Daylight Saving Time begins/Spring Forward: Sunday, March 13

Our Guiding Principles

- We appreciate and invest in our youth.
- We actively serve our neighbors in the North Olmsted community and the wider world.
- We provide varied opportunities for people to grow in their faith.
- We welcome and nurture a diverse congregation who become extended family.
- We foster lasting personal relationships, which are especially important in a digital world.

***Our Faithful
Journey***

