

Welcome to North Olmsted United Methodist Church!

Announcements for Sunday, August 28, 2022

Adult Sunday School is Back!

New study begins Sunday, September 11, 9 am, Classroom 4

Craig will once again be teaching our adult class, which will kick off on September 11 at 9 am. The class will meet in Room 4 off of Fellowship Hall. Craig will be starting the year off with the DVD Series, "Becoming A Contagious Christian," by Bill Hybels, Mark Mittelberg, and Lee Strobel. This goal of this study is to help us identify our God-given personality and to develop ways to share our faith. All are welcome to join the adult class! Contact Craig Mueller if you are planning to join us or for more information.

Volunteer in the Nursery

Sunday School Learning Opportunities Also Available

The nursery is opening on Rally Day: Sunday, September 11

Our nursery and toddler rooms will be ready and open beginning on Rally Day. We want to be able to offer the nursery for our families with small children, as well as any families who might visit our church and be in need of a safe place for their child during worship. Toys and games are available to keep our children busy. We would also like to offer Sunday School Bible learning activities for our children during their visit to our nursery rooms. In order to have our rooms open, we will need two people to help out each week. Volunteer according to your availability. There is a TV in the room so you may still participate in worship. If no children attend on your day, you are welcome to join the congregation in the sanctuary. Please consider joining our nursery staff! A staffed nursery is one of the main things young families look for when searching for a church home. Contact Wendy Cooper to ask questions or to be added to the list!

Join the NOUMC Social Justice Challenge!

September 14 – October 5

Sign up to receive a daily email with links to online social justice resources. View the links that interest you and expand your social justice awareness. Details can be found in the upcoming September Agape or see the sign-up sheet on the office door. For more information, contact one of the following: Pastor Hoyte, Sharon Werner, Janis Jarvis, or the church office at noumc@noumc.org.

Community Bonfire and Service Project

Sunday, October 2, 4:30 pm, Church Yard; RSVP by September 30

All youth and their families, our congregation, and our community are invited to join us for a Hot Dog and S'more's Bonfire and Service Project Night! The price of admission will be one package of paper products (which will be donated afterwards to the North Olmsted Oxcart Food Pantry), and one long roasting stick.

There will be music and games and lots of fun as we share the love of Jesus with our neighbors and friends. Please be sure to RSVP to Wendy Cooper by September 30!

Decorate Your Trunk for Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 30, 2 pm – 4 pm, Church Parking Lot

We are hosting a Trunk or Treat for the community! We are in need of volunteers who are willing to decorate their trunks and hand out candy to the families that attend. If you would like to volunteer your trunk, please see Wendy Cooper.

Support Oxcart Pantry

Today is the last day to donate summer side dishes

Our next donation item is food for school lunches

In September we are collecting food for school lunches. These include **peanut butter, jelly, macaroni and cheese, canned tuna and chicken, and individually packaged snacks**. Please put donations in the Oxcart Pantry container in Fellowship Hall. Thank you for your continued generosity!

This Week's Gatherings and Small Groups

Homecoming Festival: Sunday, August 28, 12 pm – 5 pm

Racial Justice Group: Monday, August 29, 12 pm – 1 pm, on Zoom, email Janis Jarvis for information

"All Invite" Workshop with Beth Ortiz: August 31, 9 am – 11:30 am, Fellowship Hall

13th Sunday after Pentecost: Sunday, September 4, 10:30 am, Sanctuary & Online

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***

