

Welcome to North Olmsted United Methodist Church!

Announcements for Sunday, December 25, 2022

New Adult Sunday School Study!

“Catch: Attracting and Connecting Visitors”

Begins Sunday, January 8, Classroom 4

Craig Mueller will lead us in this new study as a part of our “A Year of Invitation” at North Olmsted United Methodist Church. It is a comprehensive program filled with practical ideas to help churches guide visitors to becoming thriving members. The CATCH program, from Church of the Resurrection, teaches churches how to go on “fishing expeditions” in their communities and connect with unchurched people or those who may have drifted away from a church. All are welcome! Please join us!

Updated Safe Sanctuary Guidelines Training

Wednesday, January 11, 6 pm, Classroom 7

Our Safe Sanctuary Guidelines have recently been updated! The Christian Education and Youth Ministry Team will be holding a Safe Sanctuary Training meeting on January 11. Gary Jones, Spiritual Formation Director for the East Ohio Conference, will be joining us to give us a refresher on the guidelines and to go over changes to the policy. Anyone who volunteers with our children and youth are required to know our Safe Sanctuary guidelines and should plan on attending this meeting, but anyone may join us. The meeting should last about an hour. Please contact Wendy Cooper if you have questions or can join us.

Altar Flowers in 2023

You are invited to provide the altar flowers for our Sunday worship service. Flowers may be dedicated in honor or in memory of a loved one or to the Glory of God. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the entryway, or contact the church office with a specific date. You can provide flowers from your garden, your own arrangement, or we can order an arrangement for you. Contact the church office to make any special flower or color requests and to provide the dedication for the bulletin.

An arrangement ordered through the church office costs \$30; *make checks payable to NOUMC and write altar flowers in the memo.* Payment can be made by putting your check in the offering plate on Sunday or by sending your check to the church office, attention Financial Secretary.

Oxcart Pantry Collection

Collecting cleaning supplies, especially laundry detergent, until January 1

This Week’s Gatherings

Epiphany Sunday: Sunday, January 1, 10:30 am, Sanctuary & Online

Office Hours Note: *The church office will be closed Monday, January 2.*