



Welcome to North Olmsted United Methodist Church!

Announcements for Sunday, January 28, 2024

Current Sunday School Series

Craig Mueller began a new Sunday School series on January 7th! This is a 6 session series that will run through Sunday, February 11.

“The Difficult Words of Jesus,” by AJ Lavine is a beginner’s guide to Jesus’ most perplexing teachings. Amy-Jill Levine shows how the difficult teachings would have sounded to the people who first heard them, how they have been understood over time, and how we might interpret them in the context of the Gospel of love and reconciliation.

Come join us! All are welcome. AJ Lavine will challenge you in your understanding of the Good News!

“Souper” Bowl of Caring

February 11, 2023

On February 11th, our Christian Education and Youth Ministry Team will help fight hunger and poverty, joining a national effort to refocus Super Bowl weekend into a weekend of sharing God’s love with our neighbors in need by participating in the “Souper” Bowl of Caring. This effort helps us to be mindful of those who are without even a bowl of soup to eat as we enjoy our Super Bowl celebrations. During worship, large soup pots will be on the table in Fellowship hall for you to leave your donation. Or, you may send checks to the church office, to the attention of Wendy Cooper. Please make checks payable to NOUMC and write “Souper Bowl of Caring” in the memo. This year’s donations will be sent to the North Olmsted Food Pantry. Please consider donating to help us make a difference in our community!

Dining Around the World A-Z is TODAY!

12 noon-ish

Featured country - Albania!

We got everyone started with Afghanistan, but now everyone gets to join in the cooking adventure!! Look up an Albanian recipe online or use one of the ones we’ll provide and get cooking/baking!!

Sign-up sheet will be in Fellowship hall - let us know what you’re planning to make so we have a variety of dishes!! Have fun cooking/baking!! AND invite a friend for lunch! Find an interesting fact about Albania to share!

Lent Sunday School Kicks Off February 18!

Craig Mueller will be facilitator for the video, "Heaven, How I got Here: The Story of the Thief on the Cross" by Colin Smith. This is a powerful visual illustration of one Man's journey coming to accept Jesus as his savior and learning what it means to fear God. A beautiful, emotionally charged performance by Stephen Baldwin brings this timeless story to life for a new generation in a way that is both entertaining and uplifting.

Soup Potluck

Sunday, February 11th
After Worship

After you have donated \$\$ in the large soup pots for the **SOUPER BOWL OF CARING**, enjoy a potluck of soup after church before you head home for your super bowl festivities! Sign up Sunday and indicate the type of soup you will make!

The East Ohio Dorm at Africa University is OPEN!



90 female students moved into the dorm the week of Jan. 14 - a dream has become reality! The official dedication will be held in mid-February with 11 members of the East Ohio Conference attending. More pictures then. Thank you for giving!



This Week's Happenings

Dining Around the World: Sunday, January 28, 11:30am
Nehemiah Work Trip: Tuesday, January 30, 12-4:30pm
PM Bible Study: Tuesday, January 30, 7pm, Classroom 7
Worship Team Meeting: Wednesday, January 31, 7pm, Zoom
AM Bible Study: Thursday, February 1, 11am, Classroom 7
Chancel Choir: Thursday, February 1, 7pm, Choir Room
Sunday School: Sunday, February 4, 9am, Choir Room
5th Sunday after the Epiphany: Sunday, February 4, 10:30am