

# Welcome to North Olmsted United Methodist Church!

Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost/Laity Sunday/Anti-Racism Sunday  
October 20, 2024

## Penny Sunday is Today: Ohio Guidestone

Do you remember the old Berea Children's Home? It has slowly transformed into Ohio Guidestone which offers services in 27 counties in Ohio. These services include early childhood, youth, teen and adult mental health treatment and prevention, psychiatric services, job training, Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics and telehealth. The goal is to tailor a plan for each client including assessment, counseling, recovery and prevention. Go to [ohioguidestone.org](http://ohioguidestone.org) to learn more. PLEASE BE GENEROUS IN SUPPORTING THIS WORTHWHILE OUTREACH!

## Oxcart October Giving



**Prayer Request**

Please check one: Joy  Concern

Requested By (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Prayers For: \_\_\_\_\_

Joy/Concern: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please Add to Bulletin Prayer List \_\_\_\_\_

Please Add to Email Prayer List \_\_\_\_\_

## A Few Notes About our Prayer Requests

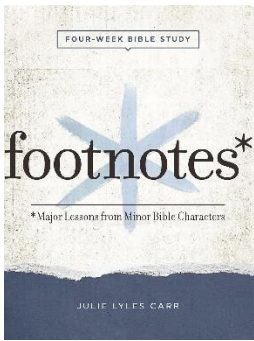
We would like to offer clarity about prayer requests and how they get processed.

Prayer Cards: Please fill out and check the appropriate box so that it can be added to the bulletin prayer list and email prayer list if requested.

Prayer Chain Email Requests: Please contact Terri if you would like these to be added to the bulletin and/or general church email list. Thanks for your help in response to these clarifications.

## Senior Center Program

The Nurture Ministry Team is pleased to announce that on Tuesday, October 22nd, Erica Miller, Outreach Coordinator, City of North Olmsted Senior Center, will be our guest for an informational session on what the Senior Center offers older adults in North Olmsted and surrounding communities. Attendees will learn about services available locally and at the state and federal level. We will meet in Fellowship Hall at 10AM and a continental breakfast will be served. A sign-up sheet will be at the table inside the main entrance to the church. We hope to see you there!



## New Adult Sunday School Series Starts November 3rd!

The Adult Sunday School class will study "Footnotes: Major Lessons from Minor Bible Characters," presented by Julie Lyles Carr. She says minor characters never get top billing. But...have you noticed how their roles can be a key to the purpose of the story? It's the same in the Bible. The very characters who are mere blips on the biblical radar screen have major lessons to teach. The characters she will talk about include: Tychirus, Joanna, Ephaphras, and Quirinius. I'll bet you never heard of them. Neither had I but, their names are in the Bible. Julie will unpack why.

Julie Lyles Carr is a best-selling author, popular speaker, business owner, media talent, and content consultant. Receiving her Bachelor of Science in Pre-Med/Psychology and her Bachelor of Arts in English Literature from Abilene Christian University, Julie began her career in radio and television as an anchor and reporter. A popular speaker and teacher, Julie speaks on a variety of platforms in both business and faith settings.

## Bishop Jung to Host All-Ohio Day of Thanksgiving and Unity on November 23

On November 23, 2024, Bishop Hee-Soo Jung invites all Ohio United Methodists to come together for an inspiring day of prayer, worship, and learning. "Hearts Strangely Warmed," is the theme for the day that will begin at 10:00 a.m. and conclude at 3:30 p.m. inside Worthington United Methodist Church located at 600 High Street in Worthington.

The event, centered around Romans 5:1-5, will focus on hope, endurance, and the transformative power of God's love. Attendees will explore how these principles align with the core mission of The United Methodist Church (UMC) to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. The guest speaker for the day is Rev. Dr. Paul W. Chilcote, a renowned scholar in Wesleyan theology and Christian discipleship.

For more information, see <https://www.ecumc.com/eventregistration/index.html>.

### This Week's Happenings

Nurture Ministry Team Meeting: Monday, October 21, 4pm, Classroom 7

Matchless Bible Study: Tuesday, October 22, 7:30 pm, Classroom 7

Lay Leadership Team Meeting: Wednesday, October 23, 6:30 pm, Classroom 7

Isaiah Bible Study: Thursday, October 24, 11 am, Classroom 7

Chancel Choir: Thursday, October 24, 7:00 pm, Choir Room

Sunday School: Sunday, October 27, 9 am, Choir Room

23rd Sunday after Pentecost: Sunday, October 27, 10:30 am, Sanctuary

Chair Yoga: Sunday, October 27, 11:30 am, Fellowship Hall