



# Central Southeast Ohio Association, Ohio Conference July 18, 2019

## Clergy Openings



### First Congregational, Marietta

Accepting applications for  
Interim Pastor.

[More Information](#)

### David's UCC, Canal Winchester

Senior Pastor position is open.

[More Information](#)



### Grace United Church of Christ, Lancaster

Senior pastor position is open.

[More Information](#)



### United Church of Granville

Position is on hold.

[More Information](#)

## Position Openings

### Executive Director of Outdoor Ministries

**Application Deadline: July 31**

The Ohio Conference of the United Church of Christ is seeking a leader; a faith formation innovator; an entrepreneur; a deeply committed, progressive Christian who is focused and energized to rejuvenate an established Outdoor Ministries program, primarily at the Templed Hills location in Belleville, OH.



[More Information](#)

### Director of Youth Ministry

Westerville Community UCC

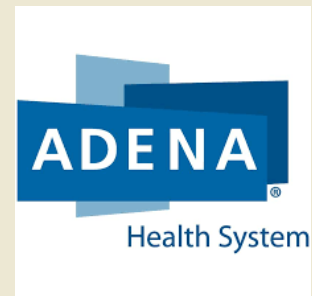
[Position Description](#)



### Full Time Staff Chaplain

Adena Regional Medical Center in Chillicothe, Ohio

Adena Health System is a regional hospital serving southern Ohio that was founded and is still corporately owned by nine local churches—including the local UCC church.



[Position Description](#)

## Tomorrow, July 19 – St. Michael's UCC Chicken Noodle Social

Miss your down-home cooking? Don't have time to make air-dried home made noodles? Ever wanted to taste locally grown chicken? Come on over to St. Michael's for a feast!

Time: 4-7 pm

Pre-orders available:



email [lmshell1960@gmail.com](mailto:lmshell1960@gmail.com)  
or call (740) 862-6263

Featuring:  
HOMEMADE chicken and noodles,  
sloppy joes, chicken sandwiches,  
potato salad, baked beans, pies, cake,  
lemonade, tea, and more.

2495 Bickel Church Rd, Baltimore  
Ohio. Rain or Shine. We have AC!  
Handicap accessible.

## Periodic Vocational Support

The Department of Church and Ministry is offering sessions for Periodic Vocational Support (PVS). The dates and locations are:

- Wednesday, August 7, 12 noon at St. John UCC, Newark,
- Saturday, September 7, 12 noon at Grace UCC, Lancaster or
- Wednesday, October 9, 7 p.m. at Zion UCC, Delaware

If you received an email or letter regarding PVS, then you need to register.

[Register](#) now for one of the available times.



## Ethical Boundaries & Anti-Racism Training

Disciples of Christ has multiple dates this fall for ethical boundaries and anti-racism training.

[Register](#)

| August 2019    |  |
|----------------|--|
| TR             | Ethical Boundaries Training<br>August 2, 2019                          |
| TR             | Anti-Racism Training<br>August 3, 2019                                 |
| TR             | Disciples Fellowship Retreat<br>August 10-11, 2019                     |
| September 2019 |  |
| TR             | Labour Day, RCO Closed<br>September 2, 2019                            |
| TR             | Commission on Ministry Team 1 Meeting<br>September 12, 2019 @ 09:00 AM |
| TR             | Ethical Boundaries Training<br>September 21, 2019                      |
| TR             | Commission on Ministry Team 2 Meeting<br>September 28, 2019 @ 09:30 AM |
| October 2019   |  |
| TR             | Commission on Ministry Team 1 Meeting<br>October 27, 2019 @ 09:00 AM   |
| TR             | Anti-Racism Training<br>October 30, 2019                               |

## Food Truck Round-Up

Celebrate the 56th year for Hope  
Homes Foundation  
Friday, August 9 from 5-9 p.m.  
Hope Center  
Stow, Ohio



[Details](#)

## Leading Faithfully: Mobilizing Clergy to Help Respond to Elder Abuse

As of February 2019, clergy are mandatory reporters of suspected abuse of older adults in the state of Ohio. Although

# Leading Faithfully

LeadingAge  
Ohio

## Mobilizing Clergy to Help Respond to Elder Abuse

Community clergy are often left out of discussions of elder justice, but may be the first individuals who may become aware of elder abuse or exploitation in their faith communities. This educational offering will help "connect the dots" for the faith leaders that serve communities across Ohio.

Presented by:

Kim Vesey  
RN, BSN, MS, CHPN  
Chief Mission Officer  
Ohio's Hospice

Rev. Beth Long-Higgins  
M.Div  
Executive Director  
Ruth Parker Center  
for Abundant Aging

Plan to attend a regional workshop near you!

August 21, 2019  
Mid-Ohio Foodbank  
3960 Brookham Drive  
Grove City, OH 43123

September 11, 2019  
Ray & Joan Kroc  
Corps Community Center  
1000 North Keowee Street  
Dayton, OH 45404

September 18, 2019  
Toledo Botanical Garden  
5403 Elmer Drive  
Toledo, OH 43615

September 25, 2019  
Benjamin Rose Institute  
11890 Fairhill Road  
Cleveland, OH 44120

most clergy have had training about child abuse or domestic violence, there are similarities alongside unique aspects of abuse that is targeted toward older adults. This workshop is to provide clergy with the tools to help recognize the risk factors and to know how to respond when abuse is suspected.

[Register](#)

## Nollau to You

Nollau to You program brings the basics of serving leadership development directly to our member ministries, our partners and the Wider Church. Sponsored by the Ohio Conference and The Council for Health & Human Service Ministries

Thursday, August 22 Northwest Association Office  
8:30 AM to 5 PM 416 Wentz Street  
Tiffin, Ohio 44883

[Details & Registration](#)

## Hot Topics for Religious Professionals and Youth: Suicide, Cannabis, Sexuality/Gender

An interfaith conference for religious leaders of all faiths who work with young people. Its purpose is to help equip religious leaders for conversations in the areas of youth suicide, cannabis and its implications, and LGBTQI and Transgender youth.

September 13, from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

[More Information](#)

[Register](#)



## Ohio Conference Annual Gathering

Caring For Our  
Common Ground

September 27-28, 2019

[Annual Gathering Planning Team Video](#)

## CSE Quick Links

Authorized Clergy and MID  
Directory

Calendar of Prayer

Church Directory

COM Online Training

Constitution and By Laws,  
adopted 10-27-18

Departments, Council and  
Committees

Manual on Ministry

Member In Discernment Manual,  
rev 7, 10-9-13

Pulpit Supply List

Visit Our Website

## 2019 Calendar of Events

### Female Clergy Lunch

Female clergy in the Ohio Conference are invited to meet monthly for lunch, fellowship, sharing of resources and support.

We meet on the 4th Tuesday of each month in the Columbus area.

Our next gathering is:

July 23, 2019, 11:30 a.m.

at the Ikea restaurant (I 71 - Gemini Exit).

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### Calendar of Prayer

**July 21, 2019**

Mt. Carmel UCC, Clearport

**July 28, 2019**

North Congregational UCC,  
Columbus

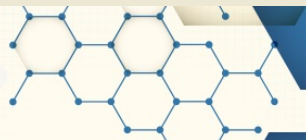
**August 4, 2019**

The Oasis, a Faith Community of the  
UCC, Pataskala/Reynoldsburg

**August 11, 2019**

CSEOA Department for  
Church and Authorized Ministry

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God is still speaking.  
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OF CHRIST



[June Newsletter](#)

**THE PARISH PAPER**  
IDEAS AND INSIGHTS FOR ACTIVE CONGREGATIONS  
EDITOR: CYNTHIA WOOLEVER—WWW.THEPARISHPAPER.COM

**July** – Team Talk Can Strengthen  
Volunteer Ministry

**August** – Learn More About Your  
Congregation Through Focus  
Groups



[How do I transfer my  
standing?](#)

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OF CHRIST**  
God is still speaking,

**Calendar of Events  
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2019**  
[News and Events](#)

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the calendar, please submit to  
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Monday at 5:00 p.m.  
Submit photos in jpeg, png format.

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