



Andover UMC

# The Messenger

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June  
2022

To create and nurture a passionate faith community through open doorways to Christ.

# FOOD TRUCK PARTY

Join us Sundays @ 9:30am (Modern) @ Andover UMC, 10:30am (Drive In) @ Wildwood Acres Campground  
(Memorial Day through Labor Day)

1st Sunday of each month @ 11am in the sanctuary - Traditional Communion Service (See page 6)

Website: [www.andoverfirstumc.org](http://www.andoverfirstumc.org) (watch past services anytime) / Follow us on Facebook: andoverfirstumc

Email: [receptionist@andoverfirstumc.org](mailto:receptionist@andoverfirstumc.org) / Phone: (440) 293-6290

Pastoral Team: Rev. Paige Boyer & Pastor Jason Hockran



Happy June friends!

June is a busy month at Andover UMC - and for many of you too!

From graduations and weddings to swimming lessons and summer vacations, we're all likely all feeling at least emotionally ready for summer in Andover.

For your pastoral team and several leaders from the church, this June means a return to our first in person Annual Conference since 2019. During Annual Conference, clergy and laity from around East Ohio will worship together, review and update the rules governing our work, discuss issues facing the church and world, and learn from one another. While there is business to be done, **I am looking forward to seeing clergy colleagues and friends who I haven't seen in awhile. We ask that from June 7 to 11 you hold Jason, Margaret Harvey, Bunky Jordan and I in prayer while we participate in this work of our church.**

When we get back, the real summer excitement begins as we prepare for our VBS program this summer. During Food Truck Party, **we'll be looking at just a few of the stories about eating together, sharing food and celebrating God's goodness around meals.**

People eat a lot in the Bible - just like we do today. Anyone else feel like they plan their days around meals and snacks? **If you're hungry to help kids know the Love of God and Jesus Christ, we'd love to have you volunteer with us and invite the kids in your life to join us from June 20 to 24.**

Hope to see you there!

Happy Summer friends!

Rev. Paige





## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please submit prayer requests by calling the church office (440) 293-6290 or visit our website: [www.andoverfirstumc.org](http://www.andoverfirstumc.org) (Contact tab)

You can also email: [receptionist@andoverfirstumc.org](mailto:receptionist@andoverfirstumc.org)

Please provide first name, last name and reason for prayer.

If confidential, let us know & it will be given to our prayer team only on Tuesdays.

Please update us every 2 weeks.

**If you would like a "We Prayed for You" card sent, please provide their address.**

## June 2022 Prayer List

When we join the United Methodist Church, we take a vow that we will be, loyal to the United Methodist Church and uphold it by Our Prayers, Our Presence, Our Gifts, Our Service and by Our Witness. Scriptures call us to celebrate with those who celebrate and to grieve with those who grieve. We grow in connection with one another as we know the praises and concerns of the individual churches and respond in a manner of praise and/or prayer.

Please feel free to share your news that we may share especially the prayer concerns to the faith community.

### Prayers and Concerns:

Carol Baumgardner	health concerns
Ruth Clute	health concerns
Eukie Diday	health concerns
Skip Eidam	cancer treatments
Gary Graves	health concerns
Steve Graves	health concerns
Ruth Jones	health concerns
Kevin Kovach	health concerns
Zelda Kovach	healing/health concerns
Ashley Limestoll	healing
Henry & Linda Lipps	health concerns
Richard Martin	healing
Terry McClave	healing
Shaun McClure	health concerns
Sherie McClure	healing
Sis Ogram	healing
Ray Smith	health concerns
Cindy Thompson	health concerns
Marlene Waters	cancer

### Grief of Families and Friends:

Bob McGann

### Service Men, Women and families:

Cristian Aguinaga  
 Tyler Bean  
 Zak Hazen  
 Jake Hilliard  
 Lucas Hitchcock  
 John Johnson  
 Andrew Kirby  
 Kevin Kovach  
 Trenton Krueger  
 Austin Limestoll  
 Andre McCoy  
 Gavin Meeker  
 Ron Slater  
 Jennifer White



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Presents

# PEOPLE IN THE PARK 2022

7:00 pm

“On The Square” in Andover, Ohio

Sat., May 28.....	PV JAZZ
Sat., June 4..... Stephan Ault.....	Acoustic
Sat., June 11 .....	Sound Witness
Sat., June 18 .....	Alissa ..... Neo-Celtic Harp
Sat., June 25..... Roy Orbison & Patsy Cline.....	Steve Dorsey & Jan
Sat., July 2..... The Sounds of Elvis .....	Jim Felix
Sat., July 9..... Brett Allen Morgan.....	Country
Sat., July 16..... Phido .....	Richard Sesko
Sat., July 23..... Remember Then.....	Doo-Wop
Sat., July 30..... Dan Schall Ministries .....	Christian
FRI., Aug. 5..... Neil Diamond .....	Chris Denem
Sat., Aug. 13..... Firmly Grounded .....	Christian
Sat., Aug. 20..... Humber Music.....	Country/Oldies/Gospel
Sat., Aug. 27 .....	The King Pins ..... Old Time Rock and Roll
Sat., Sept. 3..... The Everly Sisters.....	Doo-Wop

There will be a “Pass The Hat” Donation with  
all proceeds going to the performers.

In the event of rain the concert will be moved  
one block east to the First Congregational Church  
170 East Main Street • Andover, Ohio



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### Jesus Girls

Small Group Study  
@ Andover UMC  
Thursdays @ 10:15am  
All are welcome!



## Community Center

Andover Community Center  
10am-2pm Tues/Wed/Thurs.  
More details,  
call Debbie 440-689-0026



Giving Online at  
[www.andoverfirstumc.org](http://www.andoverfirstumc.org)  
For one time or recurring gifts, visit  
[www.andoverfirstumc.org/give](http://www.andoverfirstumc.org/give)  
on your phone or tablet.



YMCA Silver Sneakers Classes  
@ Andover UMC  
Yoga Stretch:  
Mon.- 10am & Wed. - 10am  
Silver Sneakers Classic:  
Tues. & Thurs. - 10am

Download the  
NEW Vanco Mobile App  
which has replaced the  
GivePlus+ App. Your  
Log-in & recurring gifts  
transfer over. Search for  
Andover UMC in the app.



Call the church office if you need assistance.

Would you like to serve in our  
Worship & Discipleship Ministry  
through the Nursery or  
**Children's Church?**

Or maybe you'd like to help out with  
one of our Food Ministries?  
(Food Bank or Pantry)  
Inquire today - call the office.  
440-293-6290 or talk to the Pastors.



### Lose to Win Weight Loss Challenge

Runs through June 19.

Cost is \$5 to join and \$1 each week for loss  
and \$2 per pound for gain. Weigh in will be available  
after 9:30 service & before 11:00 service.

**If it doesn't challenge you, it doesn't change you!**



### UNIT 1: Spirit

Bible verse: Galatians 5:22-23  
Pentecost - Acts 2:1-41

Philip and the Ethiopian - Acts 8:26-40  
Spiritual Gifts - 1 Corinthians 12:1-11  
Fruit of the Spirit - Galatians 5:22-23

For free resources for the kids, check out:  
[cokesburykids.com/free-resource-categories](http://cokesburykids.com/free-resource-categories)

### Coffee, Tea and Jesus

Saturday, June 11th  
8:30-10am  
(2nd Saturday of each month)  
Andover UMC Library  
All are welcome - open to anyone!





We are excitedly preparing for  
Food Truck Party VBS  
on June 20th through the 24th.  
5pm Dinner, 6-8:30pm Program  
Pre-K through 8th grade

# VBS

We are still looking for volunteers!  
If you are interested in volunteering please contact  
Megan at (814)795-4516 or Wendy in the church office or  
you can register at the link provided below.

Parents, please register your kids online now,  
so that we can plan accordingly, at:  
<https://andoverumc.mycokesburyvbs.com>

I can't wait to see everyone  
and have a great time at VBS this year!  
-Megan



June 5 is  
Graduation Sunday!

Join us  
during the  
9:30am service  
as we honor  
our graduates!

# GRADUATION SUNDAY

WE HONOR YOU



### *THANK YOU!*

A big thanks to Ken Rudy,  
a volunteer with the  
Andover Food Pantry  
& Food Bank,  
for giving their little  
red wagon a total makeover!  
Wagons are used to haul  
pre-bagged food around  
for distribution days  
& this wagon had seen  
**it's better days.**



# Summer Worship at Andover UMC

9:30a - Modern Worship

10:30a - Drive-In Worship

*at Wildwood Campground*

11a on June 5, July 3, August 7 and September 4 -

*Traditional Communion Service in the Sanctuary*

Youth Annual Conference 2022  
June 17-19  
@ Walsh University  
2020 E. Maple St.  
North Canton, OH 44720  
*Youth and Youth Leaders,  
see Pastor Jason if interested.*

# Relentless

2022 OHIO YOUTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Let Us Live   
**LOVE** 

1 John 4:7-13 (NIV)

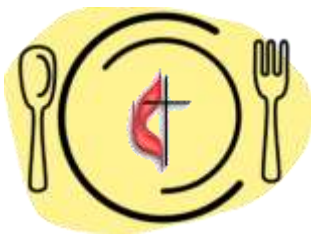
Annual Conference 2022  
June 9 to 11  
John S. Knight Center in Akron

The 2016-2020 quadrennium continues to be extended due to the ongoing postponement of General Conference 2020. In 2021 the Annual Conference theme *Christ Alive in Us!* was designed as an extension of the quadrennial theme *Bearing Fruit that Lasts: Called, Committed, Connected*. **This year's theme** *Let Us Live Love* is designed to continue the message that we bear lasting fruit by carrying Christ in us and living His love in the world.

Sent with a prayer to:

Andover United Methodist Church  
181 South Main St  
P.O. Box 207  
Andover, OH 44003

## No Free Dinner Friday in June



*Join us again  
on July 29th*

## Outdoor Food Pantry June 10th, 10am-Noon @ Andover UMC

Open to all of those in need  
in the PV School District

Fighting  
hunger.  
Delivering  
hope.



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Deb Somerville: 440-689-0026



Outdoor Cleveland Foodbank  
June 24th, 10am-Noon  
@ Andover UMC  
Open to all of those in need  
in Ashtabula County

