

On Thursday, September 22, 2016 12:24 PM, Rose Dannelly <rose.dannelly@columbusfumc.com> wrote:

Outreach Center Dedication/ Fall Family Festival/ Ignite on Sunday Night!

On **Sunday, September 25**, help us to celebrate our new Outreach Center:

3 PM – Dedication of the Building with District Superintendent Rev. Lance Clay preaching, special music & presentations featuring our church choirs and an MYTT drama.

4 to 6 PM – Fall Family Festival with games & activities, craft projects, bouncy house, hotdog supper & cookies!!!

6 PM – Ignite on Sunday Night! Alternative Praise Service will *ignite* with music, message & more!

Last Chance for shirt orders! Here is your last chance to order your shirts! Order forms are available in the church office and will be at the Outreach Center for the dedication on September 25. Orders are due September 25 with payment, checks payable to First UMC. (It's never too early for Christmas shopping!)

Opal Greene will be featured on "Lance's Journal" Channel 10/11. It will be aired on **Monday, September 26** during the 6:00 PM newscast.

Treasured Recipes: The Salad Edition Cookbook! We are in need of a SECOND run of cookbooks. Please call the church office (402) 564-8463 and reserve yours today for only \$12.00 each. "In-house" costs were estimated around \$5 each – that leaves \$7 per cookbook for Disaster Relief! Be generous & remember that these cookbooks make great gifts for birthdays, anniversaries & Christmas!

YOUTH & CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Craft Fair Vendors Needed! For the second year, there will be a Craft Fair for the youth on Sat. Nov. 12 from 10 to 2 PM at our new Outreach Center – more space & more opportunities! For more info, talk to Sarah Borgman!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE / KIDS KORNER – As we continue to grow our Wednesday evening programming, check out the 7-Week Kid's Bible Study starting October 5th – November 16th. Kids in 1st – 4th Grade are invited to join the fun. Please register by October 3rd.

MUSIC & WORSHIP:

Chancel Choir has started on Wednesday nights at 7 PM - come, make a joyful noise! Chancel Choir sings on the first and third Sundays at the 10:30 AM service. Talk to Sarah Cunningham for more info!

As the **Ignite, Alternative Praise Gathering** begins on Sunday, September 25 at 6 PM at our Outreach Center, we are inviting church family members to participate with your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service AND your witness. Share this news with others & INVITE people that you know to check it out!

MISSION & MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION:

Car Decals are for sale in the church office by the Evangelism committee; stop and see if you would like to purchase one for \$7.00. This is another great way to get our name out in the public.

“LOST & FOUND.” Please come to the office and check out the **“LOST & FOUND.”** See if anything in the basket is yours? There are also coats by the elevator – retrieve ASAP or they will be donated by Oct. 1.

The first orders of aprons have arrived and several people have expressed a desire they wish they had gotten one. Jackie Pope has contacted the Syracuse UMC and they will continue to take orders for a short while. Therefore Jackie will be glad to collect additional orders until noon on **Thursday, September 29th**. If you would like to place an order, please fill out the form in the church office and attach your check or money to your order.

Community Connection!

Habitat for Humanity Dedication! On Saturday, September 24 at 11:00 AM we will be celebrating the dedication of house #5 at 1454 45th Avenue.

Celebrity Bowl-A-Rama! Sunday, September 25 from 1-6 pm at Westbrook Lanes. For more information and to sign up contact Jamie Snyder 402-910-4182 or rsnyder4@neb.rr.com

RECYCLE ELECTRONICS HERE! Saturday, October 1st from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm in the First UMC West Parking Lot. Charges for TV's are as follows: 19 inch or smaller is \$10, 20 inch and larger \$20. All other electronics is FREE to recycle.

Taste of Columbus ~ Sunday, October 9 from 4:30 – 8:00 pm at Ramada-Columbus & River's Edge Convention Center, 265 33rd Ave. Contact Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce to buy your tickets today.

13th Annual Diabetes Awareness Day ~ Tuesday, October 11 from 3:30 pm – 7:30 pm. Please come to the Columbus Wellness Center 3912 38th Street. For more information about this event, call 402-562-4462.

6th Annual We Can Run, Walk & Roll!!!! On Saturday, October 15 @ 10 AM at Memorial Stadium, Pawnee Park. 5 K & 1 Mile Event.

Sponsored by Columbus Community Hospital, Columbus Wellness Center & Wiggles & Giggles. Register online:

<https://register.chronotrack.com/r/20738>

“Worship In The Barn” Saturday, October 15, 7:30 – 9:30 PM

Crabtree Family Farm (15 minutes from Columbus)

An evening of worship for women from across the community. Live Music-Testimonies-Fellowship-Sip Espresso coffee and cider. For more information search “Worship in the Barn” on Facebook or call Hanna 367-8410.

Precious H.E.A.R.T.S. Interfaith Memorial Service will be on Sunday, October 16 @ 1:30 on the 3rd floor at Columbus Community Hospital.

POWER OF PREVENTION- Tuesday, October 18th on the 3rd floor at Columbus Community Hospital. Register before October 5 @ 1-877-348-4329 or www.bluehealthadvantageNE.com