

Ontario United Methodist Church

Celebrating our Centennial Anniversary

1917 – 2017



Celebrating our first 100 years



October 15, 2017 ***

Worship Theme: Celebrate God's Presence 100 yrs

Preacher: Rev. Steve Court, Director of Connectional Ministries

Ontario Mayor Randy Hutchinson

Highlights: Recognition of 50 year Members

Presentation of Special Music

Presentation of 100th Anniversary Plaque

Presentation of the Cross Window

Celebration Banquet (Reservations Required)

November 11, 2017 (Saturday) 3:00 P.M.

Program: Fun Center Chordsmen - Singing

Theme: Recognition of our Veterans

All Veterans in the Community are invited

Refreshments will be provided

November 19, 2017 – (Fellowship Meal after Worship)

Speaker: Rev. Peg Welch

Theme: Thank God for blessings past, blessings present and future blessings

December 17, 2017 – (No Fellowship Meal)

Speaker:

Theme: Sending us into the next 100 years

*****To make event reservations, please call the church office Monday-Friday mornings: 419 529-4345.**

Calendar of Events for 2017

January 15, 2017

Preacher: Rev. Ash Welch – (Circuit Rider)
Luncheon Speaker: Sue Elliott Kisling as Maude Elliott
Theme: History of Ontario and Springfield Twp.
Dates to be highlighted: 1800-1915

February 19, 2017 – Fellowship Meal

Preacher: Rev. Peg Welch, “Weaving a Community”
Luncheon Speaker: Marge Cutnaw as Mrs. George Kent
Theme: Formation of the Ontario Community Church
Dates to be highlighted: 1916 - 1947

February 26, 2017

Preacher: Gloria Franta Loughman- Pastor

March 26, 2017 – Fellowship Meal

Preacher: Rev. Peg Welch, “Girls Can’t Do That!”
Theme: Mission Projects and Mission Experiences
Dates to be highlighted: 1948 – 1960

April 23, 2017

Preacher: Rev. Dennis Rinehart

April 30, 2017 – Fellowship Meal

Preacher: Rev. Jim Winkler
Theme: Confirmation Class Reunion Sunday
Dates to be highlighted: 1961 – 1979

May 21, 2017 (2:00 Tea for all Women – Reservations preferred by May 14) ***

Program:
Theme: All Daughters Tea
Dates to be highlighted: 1980 – 1995

June 18, 2017 – Father’s Day – Fellowship Meal

Luncheon Speaker:
Theme: Building Projects
Dates to be highlighted: 1995 – 2010

July 1, 2017 - Saturday

Theme: Float for the 4th of July Parade
Building Community

August 5, 2017 (Saturday – 4:00 to 7:00 P.M.)

Ice Cream Social for the Community

August 21, 2017 (Monday)

Ontario School Staff Appreciation Luncheon

August 27, 2017 - Fellowship Meal

Preacher: Rev. Dick Parks

Sept. 17, 2017 – Fellowship Meal

Preacher: Rev. Sondra Snode
Theme: Honoring our Church Staff and Sunday School Teachers Past and Present.
Dates to be highlighted: 2010- 2017