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We're so glad you've joined us today—whether it's your first time or you've been with us for years, you are family here. The Bible reminds us in Psalm 122:1, "I was glad when they said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the LORD!'"

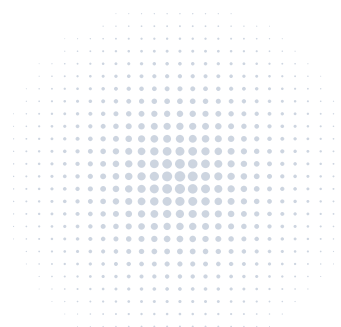
What a joy it is to gather in God's Presence!

As we gather together in worship, may our hearts be open to His voice and our souls lifted in unity. Like Jesus says in Matthew 18:20, "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them." We believe God is here with us now, ready to meet every need, speak peace into every heart, and transform our lives!

Don't forget to fill out one of our "Welcome Cards!"

Welcome home!

Pastor Greg Smith



Happening This Week...

Monday, November 17th | Refuge of Hope | 4:15-6:15pm

Contact Danielle Faulkner at 330-437-5575 if you would like to serve.

Wednesday, November 19th | Wednesday Night Discipleship Groups | 6:30-8:00pm

Join a Discipleship Group on Wednesday nights! We have groups for men, women, youth, and kids.

Thursday, November 20th | Thursday Night Discipleship Group | 6:00-7:00pm

Continuing our study in the book of John. All are welcome to join!

Office Hours

Monday- 1:00-5:00pm

Tuesday- 9:00-4:00pm

Thursday- 1:00-5:00pm

Friday- 9:00-1:00pm

Messages are checked Monday-Friday, please leave a message if the office is closed.

Christmas Card Post Office

The Christmas Card Post Office is a way for you to share Christmas greetings with your church family without having to rely on snail mail. Simply put the first and last name of the recipient on the front of the envelope and drop it in the box located in Schaffter Hall from Nov 23rd-Dec 21st. Cards will be ready for pickup beginning Nov 30th. Donations are welcome and the Thursday Discipleship Group will choose a project they can bless with the donations.

Upcoming Events...

Sunday, November 23rd | The Kitchen Table | Immediately after service

If you are new to East Canton Church of God over the past year, please plan to join us at The Kitchen Table. This is an opportunity for you to learn more about the church, our beliefs, our staff, and how you can become a part of all that is happening here in East Canton.

Sunday, November 23rd | Annual Business Meeting Q&A

Do you have questions about our annual budget? Stop by room 208 immediately following service. Our Church Board and Council will be available to answer any questions you may have.

Christmas Poinsettia Orders- Due 11/23

Christmas poinsettias will again be available this year. Order forms can be found outside the church office. Orders and payment must be received by 11/23. Poinsettias will decorate the Sanctuary on 12/21 and can be picked up after service on 12/21 or 12/24. COST: \$12.00 each

Sunday, November 30th | Annual Business Meeting

Make plans to stay after service to participate in our annual business meeting. Information packets are available outside of the Sanctuary and in the Welcome Center.

Sunday, November 30th | Friendsgiving | 3:00-7:00pm

Young adults are invited to Heartland On Heritage for games and a Thanksgiving meal together!

Wednesday, December 10th | Wednesday Night Dinner | 5:30-6:15pm

Bring your family and friends for dinner before Wednesday Night Discipleship Groups. Our Youth will be preparing the meal while learning valuable life skills. Meals are by donation and help cover the cost of supplies. Bring a dessert to share! MAIN COURSE: Tacos!

Opportunities To Give...

Adopt-A-Family for Christmas

We have several families from the community that need a little extra help this Christmas season. Tags have been placed on the tree in the Welcome Center. Please return the gifts to the church office by Sunday, December 14th. Gifts can be wrapped or unwrapped.

Sunday, November 30th | Special Offering for Jamaica

To help support the Church of God in Jamaica after the destruction from Hurricane Melissa, we will be taking a special offering. We have many ties to Jamaica through Pastor Fabian White from Cleveland CoG, and through our Family Camp speaker this past summer, Rev. Courtney Gordon. Funds will be passed along to the Church of God in Jamaica through COGO (Church of God Ohio) Ministries.