



WELCOME TO CHURCH OF THE OPEN DOOR

November 10, 2024

WHAT'S HAPPENING?



ADULT MINISTRY CHRISTMAS DINNER | DECEMBER 20 | 5:30-7:30 PM | ELYRIA, RNC

Cost: \$18 per person, reservations are accepted now. Payment must be submitted by December 5.

Join us for a cherished tradition as we come together for our annual Christmas dinner. This special evening, exclusively for adults, is a time to celebrate the birth of Christ in the warm embrace of fellowship and joy. Amidst the glow of festive decorations, we'll share a delectable catered meal that will surely add to the holiday cheer.

To register, ask questions, or get more information, contact Pastor Bob Wickens at 440.326.2329 or email bob@opendoor.tv.

MARY: CHOSEN FOR A PURPOSE | WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS BRUNCH | DECEMBER 14

Where and when? December 14 at 10am-12pm, Elyria Campus.

This festive event will feature joyful worship, an inspiring message from our very own Charis Eschweiler, and an opportunity to fellowship with other women. Enjoy a delicious catered brunch, exciting giveaways, and leave encouraged as we celebrate together what it means to live with purpose in Christ. Come share in this special time of reflection, connection, and celebration!

The deadline to register is December 4. To register, text "BRUNCH" to 440.323.4644 or visit opendoor.tv/events for more info!



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD | DROP OFF BY NOVEMBER 17

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world. Through this project, Samaritan's Purse partners with the local church worldwide to share the Good News of Jesus Christ and make disciples of the nations.

We're excited to partner again with Samaritan's Purse. If you're unfamiliar with this ministry, feel free to ask the volunteer at the table for more information.

Pick up your shoebox this Sunday after service in the CrossRoads!

SAVE OUR PHONE NUMBER

440.323.4644

to call, text, & register for events!

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FEAR Not

SERMON NOTES

Fear? Not! "What Does Faith Look Like?" Luke 8:22-25

What does faith look like?

1. Trusting _____ instead of _____

Indications of independence:

- _____ over _____
- _____
- _____ -sufficiency
- _____ -second plea

2. Trusting God even when we are feeling _____

- Fear often comes from loss of _____
- Fear eventually manifests itself in _____ ways

3. Trusting God _____ and _____

- Faith is _____ what Jesus says
- Faith is _____ in total dependence on Jesus Christ
- Living in dependence is living _____

Core CHRISTlike Characteristic: Living Surrendered