

February 21<sup>st</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022

### This Week at MCCC

- Mon 2/21:
- Tues 2/22:
- Wed 2/23:
- Thu 2/24: Loaves & Fishes Free Dinner 5-6:30pm Gathering Team Meeting at MCCC -
- Fri 2/25:
- Sat 2/26:
- Sun 2/27: Worship in the Church, or YouTube 9:30am
   Sunday School Chat following worship
   Chi-Rho & CYF Ice Skating Event 12:30-2:30pm, \$5 each

Whichever way you choose to worship, we wish you a very blessed and meaningful service!

## **Upcoming Meetings & Community Events:**

- Week of Compassion: Donation deadline extended to March 20th
- Covenant Bible Fellowship Church: Free Dinner Tues. March 1st 5:30-7pm



**DON'T FORGET** to fill out the survey request Chad recently sent out. In case you missed it, the link is: MCCC Survey - Feb 2022

It is VERY IMPORTANT that you honestly fill out this anonymous survey. It is the only way the Gathering Team will be able to assess what the pulse of the congregation really feels.

Please take just a few moments to fill out this survey as soon as possible!



Mark your calendars for our next FREE Loaves & Fishes Dinner on Thursday, February 24th from 5-6:30pm!

The Menu will be:

Chili with Crackers,
Tossed Salad,
A variety of cakes for dessert
Beverage of choice

This is a FREE community dinner for ANYONE so please pass the word!

Donations are gratefully accepted.

#### ATTENTION ALL CHI-RHO & CYF MEMBERS!

You are invited to attend our next event for ice skating from 12:30-2:30pm on Sunday, Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>! This event is \$5 per person as the church and Chi-Rho fund will pick up the rest. It will be held at: The Pond, 9999 E. Washington Street, Chagrin Falls, Oh 44023.

Bring your families and friends for a fun afternoon!

February 27<sup>th</sup> is our next "4<sup>th</sup> for the 4C's."The items needed for February are:

\* Noodles \* Shampoo \*Laundry Detergent

Please help those in our community with these supplies if you are able! Thank you!

# New Free Community Dinner Starting Soon!

The Covenant Bible Fellowship Church (8146 High Street, Garrettsville, Oh) will be re-starting their FREE Community Meal mission!

Dinner's will be held on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month starting March 1<sup>st</sup>, and will serve dinner from 5:30-7pm.

This is a FREE dinner offered to ANYONE!

Week of Compassion is the relief, refugee, and development mission fund of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).



When you support Week of Compassion, you put your faith into action! Help us provide disaster relief and sustainable development work around the world.

The **best way** to make sure your donation gets credited to MCCC is to donate in one (or more!) of the following ways:

- 1) Our website at mantuacentercc.org click "Give Online", and select Week of Compassion in the drop-down box.
- 2) Put your offering envelope (marked WOC) in the collection basket (checks made payable to <u>MCCC with WOC in the memo line</u>).
- 3) Turn in your coin boxes before or after the church services by placing on the communion table.

The deadline for collecting donations has been extended to Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup>.

## FREE CLOTHING GIVEAWAY IS COMING BACK!!

The Free Clothing Giveaway that was run by Nancy Tafel for several years is re-opening on March 12<sup>th</sup> under the direction of Joe Dacsko and Lynn Kelley and with assistance from Nancy Tafel! The new location will be at St. Joseph's Church on Pioneer Trail in Mantua.

Nancy has offered to collect and sort all clothes (Linens and shoes too) from <u>Only MCCC Members</u>. (You can leave your bagged items outside her garage door at 12310 Abbott Rd., Hiram, Oh 44234. <u>No need to call or make arrangements - just drop off!</u>) Donations from all other individuals may continue to be dropped off at the clothing shed on the south side of the church.

Joe, Lynn, and Nancy are asking for donations of HANGERS and LARGE TRASH BAGS (30 gal. size) which can also be dropped off at Nancy's house.