

ANNUAL MEETING 2019



RESTORE



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SATURDAY
**NOV
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REGISTRATION

@ 8:30AM

Bath United Church of Christ
3980 W Bath Rd, Akron, OH 44333

Call to Living Water Association Ohio NorthEast

Ohio Conference United Church of Christ

Annual Meeting 2019 • Saturday, Nov 2

Bath UCC, 3980 W Bath Rd, Akron, OH 44333



ON THE MOVE is the theme of our Annual Meeting to which the Association Council invites you on Nov. 2, at Bath United Church of Christ.

We have indeed been on the move! We have moved into living our new name - **Living Water**, and into our calling to **Refresh** our hearts and lives, to **Renew** our congregations and ministries, and to **Restore** the World to what God intended it to be.

We have moved into living our purpose and calling more intentionally—to be a resource and support for the health and wellbeing of our congregations, that we may grow into communities of healing and grace and embody Christ in the world.

We have been acutely aware that our ministry needs to address the needs and aspirations of our congregations, as we offer opportunities for development, growth and learning. For the next few years we will offer two major gatherings a year—a spring festival and an annual fall meeting. The spring theme will be followed by regional practicums in the fall.

We have been on the move welcoming the Rev. Michael A. Howard as our Minister of Faith in Action, a new staff position to guide our Association to *Restore* and heal our world. Through Michael's expertise in the area of community engagement we continue to enrich the life of our Association as we embody Christ in the world and create the Beloved Community God intends for us.

We have been on the move as we bid farewell to Cheryl McGraw, Registrar, Admin and

Communication Specialist as she joined the “witnesses who have gone before us.” We also welcomed Daniel Roland as our Search and Call Coordinator and Registrar. We are in a consulting relationship with the Rev. Cheryl Lindsay for Communications and Website Management.

Please come prepared to celebrate the ministry of our Association *ON THE MOVE*, to experience the Spirit moving among us and to meet your covenant and mission partners in ministry!

PS: You are invited to read the Annual meeting reports which will be posted online, on our website.

The AGENDA of the Day

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| 8:30 am | Registration/Gathering |
| 9:00 am | Opening Ritual |
| 9:10 am | Worship |
| 10:00 am | Workshops with our ministry partners |
| 11:15 am | Celebrating the Ministry of our Association |
| 12:15 pm | Sharing Bread for body and spirit |
| 1:00 pm | Communion and closing ritual around the tables |
| 1:30 pm | Adjourn. |

REGISTER ONLINE

On our website: www.livingwaterone.org/annual-meeting

ANNUAL MEETING REPORTS WILL BE POSTED ONLINE ON OUR WEBSITE, ON THE REGISTRATION PAGE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.

OR, PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

and return this completed form and payment to
The Living Water Association, 960 Portage Trail, Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221

EARLY REGISTRATION is \$25 per person, due by SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26.

Registrations received following Oct. 26, and for Walk-Ins at the event is \$35 per person.



Name _____ Phone _____

Church/Organization and City _____

Please indicate your voting Status

- Association Council Officer or Member
- Church Lay Delegate
- Authorized Minister (including dual standing)
- Guest (non-voting)

Retired UCC Clergy, Members in Discernment and past Council Moderators are our guests.

We invite you to register but there is no registration fee.

MEALS:

A light continental breakfast will be available during registration.
A variety of options will be available for lunch.

- Please check here if you wish to be excluded from photos taken for publicity purposes.
- Check here if you need child care. Write the children's names and ages on the back of this form. Child care will be available only with advance notice.
- Do you have any special needs?

Amount enclosed _____

Please make copies of this form to register more than one person. Thank you!

How Many Delegates from our church?

Church Membership	Lay Delegate	Church Membership	Lay Delegates
400 or less	2	401-800	3
801-1200	4	1201 and up	5

I NEED CHILDCARE DURING THE MEETING

Here are their names and ages

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____

HOTELS NEAR BATH UCC

398 W Bath Rd, Akron, OH 44333 in case you'd like to arrive the night prior.

Courtyard by Marriot Akron Fairlawn

100 Springside Dr, Akron, OH 44333 • (330) 668-9090 • <https://www.radissonhotels.com>

Radisson Akron Fairlawn

200 Montrose W Ave, Akron, OH 44321 • (330) 666-9300 • <https://www.marriott.com>

Fairfield Inn and Suites by Marriott Akron Fairlawn

208 Springside Dr, Akron, OH 44333 • (330) 665-0641 • <https://www.marriott.com>

Holiday Inn Akron West Fairlawn

4073 Medina Rd, Akron, OH 44333 • (330) 666-4131 • <https://www.ihg.com>

Radisson Hotel Akron Fairlawn

200 Montrose W Ave, Akron, OH 44321 • (330) 666-9300 • <https://www.radissonhotels.com>

Hampton Inn Akron Fairlawn

80 Springside Dr, Akron, OH 44333 • (330) 666-7361 • <https://www.hilton.com/>