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Mayor's Report



Rich Regovich
Mayor/Safety Director

Here we are in the long dark nights of winter and in the mists of the 2021 holiday season. I hope your Thanksgiving was joyful and healthy, and that your Christmas season will be special and meaningful. We have all been through a lot of the previous twenty months. I am amazed at how fast the year has gone by. I wish all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I hold much hope that 2022 will be a good year as we recover from the pandemic.

I have asked our Service Director, Todd Shannon, and City Engineer, Tim McLaughlin to visit the traffic on East 305th again. We want to take an approach and see if we can relieve traffic on East 305 without a major reconstruction of the area. We will make the right lane onto State Route 2 westbound RIGHT TURN ONLY at all times when heading south on East 305. My hope is that this will keep as many

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Willowick Recreation Department: News & Notes

By Julie Kless
Recreation Director

12:00pm

THANK YOU – THANK YOU – THANK YOU to all Willowick residents who supported the Rec Renewal Levy. We appreciate your continued support. We are looking forward to enhancing our parks with many new amenities for you our residents.

Last day to sign up for youth basketball is Saturday Dec. 4. Registrations are at Manry: Monday thru Friday 8:00am to 4:00pm and Saturday 10:00am to

Come join us at our Holiday Craft Show Saturday December 4 held in Manry gym, from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Mark your calendar to stop by and look for some great deals for the Holiday.

We are excited to announce our NEW HOLIDAY EVENT this year “Winter Wonderland at Manty Park!” Activities will include a synthetic Ice skating rink, Build a bear(\$5), inflatables, mechanical snowboard, holiday train ride,

ornament decorating, hot cocoa bar with cookie decorating, letters to the North Pole, and of course a visit with Santa in his workshop! All activities begin at 2pm on December 12, concluding with a Tree Lighting at 6pm. This event is available to Willowick Residents for \$10/ per car. We look forward to seeing everyone for a fun day with your family and friends at our first “Winter Wonderland” event.

Our Holiday of Light Contest will take place on Thursday Dec. 16th from 6:00pm – 7:30pm.

Registration are available at Manry. All forms must be returned no later than 5:00p.m. Monday December 13th 2021. Good Luck to all applications. Don't forget to leave the lights on!!

Please feel free to contact me at jkless@cityofwillowick.com with any concerns, ideas or questions regarding our recreation programs.

From everyone here at the Recreation Department we like to wish you a safe and Happy Holiday!!!

Willoughby-Eastlake Public Library Programs & Events

During the month of December 2021, the following free programs will be offered at the Willoughby-Eastlake Public Library. Registration is required.

For a complete schedule of events or to register for one of our upcoming programs, visit www.we247.org.

Adult Programs:

Carryout Crafts for Adults

Prepackaged craft kits to do at home! Materials can be picked up at the Willoughby Library.

December-Jingle Bells Door Hanger

Willoughby Public Library, 30 Public Square, Willoughby, 440-942-3200

Learn How to Sew a Holiday

Quilted Pot-Holder

Sewing machines and all supplies provided. Limit 6 participants.

Thursday, December 2, 5:30-7 pm -Willoughby Hills Public Library, 35400 Chardon Rd., Willoughby Hills, 440-942-3362

Cleveland's Holiday Traditions

Join Chad Malkamaki of the Western Reserve Historical Society as he enlightens us on Cleveland's holiday traditions over the years. Share your memories of Mr. Jingeling and department store windows while learning about some of the lesser-known holiday traditions of Clevelanders.

Monday, December 6, 6:30 pm
Online via Zoom

Tarot Card Basics

A brief introduction to Tarot card meanings. Single card readings and question & answer session to follow.

Thursday, December 9, 6:30-7:30 pm -Willoughby Hills Public Library, 35400 Chardon Rd., Willoughby Hills, 440-942-3362

Next Chapter Book Club

The Next Chapter Book Club (NCBC) is a reading and discussion group that caters to adults with Down syndrome, autism and other developmental disabilities. Participants will continue to read and/or listen to passages from Shel Silverstein's Where the Sidewalk Ends. NCBC is now a hybrid program. Members can participate in-person or via Zoom.

Monday, December 13
10-11 am
Willoughby Public Library, 30
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Mayor

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vehicles moving and not sitting at the traffic light. I have had many people tell me, and have seen it myself, that a vehicle waiting at the light to continue south on East 305 will pull away and the following ten or more vehicles will turn right onto SR 2. We will change this to a right turn only eliminating the time restriction. If there is a need to modify traffic we will do so in the next step if necessary. Please be patient and be aware of the change. We will put signage up well in advance of the intersection and post the official date on social media and our web site.

Please take some time to make sure you remember home safety. This is a good time of year to check batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. It is also a good idea to have fire

extinguishers on each floor of your house, and in your garage. Make sure that you check the operation of your detectors and check their expiration date. Some have an eight to ten year life span. Also make sure that your extinguishers are charged and checked by a reputable fire service company. Also, talk about what to do if a fire happens to break out in your house with your family, and make sure everyone is aware where the extinguishers are kept. These safety devices would make a great Christmas gift for all. Please stay safe.

This is the time of year that the Service Department will be getting the fleet ready for snow plowing. Please remember there is no parking on city streets when snow is over two inches. If we have a major storm and need to keep up with heavy snow, a snow emergency could be declared.

Vehicles parked in the street could be towed at owner's expense. Please be considerate and not park in the street while our crews are out plowing. Most times they're working beyond their normal hours to keep the streets clear for travel, and so that our Police and Fire Departments can respond safely. Also, slow down when driving. We only salt the main routes and intersections. Make sure you have the ability to stop safely.

Bring the family to Winter Wonderland at Manry Park on Sunday, December 12th and enjoy holiday fun for all ages. There will be a skating rink, build-a-bear, train ride, polar bear slide, bounce house, as well as treats and goodies. Activities start at 2:00 PM and ends with the tree lighting at 6:00 PM. The cost is \$10 per car for Willowick residents. This looks to be a fun event for all.

City of Willowick Council Reports



Charlie Malta
Ward 3 Councilman

Dear Wonderful Residents of Willowick,

KRISTA BAIR:

Congratulations to Krista Bair, Ward 3 resident who was top vote getter in the Willoughby-Eastlake School Board race.

THANKFUL: Yes, during the month of Thanksgiving there's so much to be thankful for...lets start with being very thankful and humbled to be your Councilman each and every day. I am thankful for to be part of a Council that works together with always acting what's best for our great city.

I am thankful for my wonderful family. I am thankful for Mary Palumbo, from Palumbo's Cafe & Deli, I am thankful for Paolo from Alesci's & Dan Sterk from Papa Joes. When I needed anything for Eastlake North Ranger Football, you came through. I am thankful for all of you who volunteer and do not expect anything in

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Natalie Antosh
Ward 2 Councilwoman

Hi Everyone,

Our great recreation department will be having the following events at Manry, so mark your calendar.

Dec 4 Saturday 9:00-3:00pm The Annual Holiday Craft Event

Free admission and concessions will be open. Enjoy walking around and seeing all the different craft items that people have made that are for sale. Jennifer Boresz Engelking, Author of "Hidden History of Lake County" will be selling & signing books from 9:00-11:00am; with a portion of her proceeds donated to Toys for Tots!

Dec 6 Monday (All Day) – Pick up your sand for your holiday luminary which is a Willowick tradition. Sand will be located by the storage building to the left as you enter the park.

Dec 12 Sunday 2:00-6:00pm NEW this year for Willowick Residents! Visit our Winter Wonderland at Manry Park.

Enjoy the many different holiday themed activities for the whole family. Visit with Santa, Iceless rink, Holiday Train Ride, Polar Bear Slide, Gingerbread Bounce, Mechanical Snowboard, Stuff a Plush – Build a Bear for \$5.00 fee per bear, Decorate Christmas Ordainment, Hot Coco Bar, and Letters to the North Pole. Willowick Residents Cost is \$10.00 per car.

Dec 16 Thursday 6:00-7:00pm Holiday Of Lights.

Judging will take place that evening as they drive through Willowick to find the house with the best holiday light display. Applications are available at the Recreation Dept. located in the Activities Center at Manry Park. Deadline to register is 12:00pm on Wednesday, December 15th.

If you have a senior or a neighbor that is unable to go outside, ask them if you can move

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Theresa Bisbee
Ward 2 Councilwoman

To everyone that participated by voting and everyone that worked the election -Thank you!

Below are a few of the events happening this month.

Breakfast with Santa Dec 12th 8am-12:30pm at the Community Center. This is sponsored this year by Willowick Rec Football. Come out and see Santa and support the league.

Winter Wonderland at Manry Park! Dec 12th, 2p-6p. With the Tree Lighting at pm. Admission for Willowick Residents-\$10/ per car. Check out the City of Willowick Recreation Dept. Facebook page for more details.

Register for the Winter Break Camp at Manry Park! It is available for children ages 5-10 and spots are limited!

Check out the City of Willowick Recreation Dept. Facebook page for more details.

Remember to take time to spend with family and friends during the holidays.

With Winter weather beginning, stay safe on the roads.

Check on neighbors who may need help with shoveling walks or drives.

If you have any questions or need additional info please reach out.

If you would like to contact me with any questions or concerns, please do so at:
tbisbee@cityofwillowick.com or (440) 299-8795.

"Winter is the time for comfort, for good food and warmth, for the touch of a friendly hand and for a talk beside the fire: it is the time for home."

- Edith Sitwell



Mike Vanni
Ward 1 Councilman

The City began leaf pick-up on Monday November 15th starting on the eastern section of the City and moving west with an expected completion date of Friday December 3rd.

Just like last year, we will be going through the City one time and will provide daily updates on the website as this timeline may be extended due to inclement weather. Kimble will continue to pick-up yard waste until December 31st.

I hope everyone has a safe Holiday Season and a Happy New Year!

Please do not hesitate to call me with any questions or concerns at 440-346-3227.

Michael Vanni
Ward 1

"The Sunny Boutique" Now Open in Eastlake

The Sunny Boutique located at 34510 Lakeshore Blvd., Eastlake, OH in the Eastlake Plaza is a unique clothing boutique for women's fashions size 0-24+. Brand new and gently used clothing along with purses, shoes, jewelry, soap, lotion, and bath bombs fill this delightful boutique. You may find Coach and Kate Spade to drop a few designer names, hanging out as well but you won't pay their prices!

Hours of operation: Tuesday 11-5, Wednesday 11-8, Thursday-Sunday 11-5.

Malta

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return. I am thankful for all of our Directors and everyone under them. I am thankful for Lake County Treasurer Mike Zuren & Willow Praise Church for feeding thousands upon thousands of our Willoughby-Eastlake School Children their lunch.

ELECTION DAY It's quite a long day 6:30am to 7:30 pm - thanks to those who worked the polls & Dunkin Donuts for donating donuts.

HEARTS & HAMMERS

BASKET: If you have the time to donate a Chinese Auction Basket, our fundraiser is Saturday, January 29th. We need it about a week before. Please call me.

HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR:

Saturday, Dec.4th 9:00-3:00 @ Manry!!!!

WELCOMETOWILLOWICK CHIPOTLE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

God Bless,

Have a Safe and Happy Holiday!!

Charlie Malta,
440-488-1757

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the trash can to the curb and back, clean the snow off their front steps for the mailperson or in the event emergency personnel must access the home. If you have a snow blower, take a few minutes to clean heavy snow from their apron and make a path to their door. If there are storms that come through, check in on them to make sure they are ok and have power and heat.

Have a happy and save holiday! Remember to be kind and thoughtful to your neighbors. Watch out for each other. Help each other out.

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December 5th, 2021 | Winter Wonderland | 10am - 3pm

For photo sessions on this date, families will be offered the opportunity to take their photo sessions WITHOUT Santa. Pets will be set upon a lovely backdrop

that is winter wonderland themed for the most perfect holiday photo. There will only be 30 sessions available on December 5th and families MUST book in advance. Each session will be offered in 5-minute increments and the rooms will be sanitized and cleaned between sessions. *Santa will NOT be present on the 5th.*


December 12th, 2021 | Sessions with Santa | 10am - 3pm

For photo sessions on this date, families will be offered the opportunity to have photo sessions WITH Santa. Jolly old St. Nicholas will make for the perfect addition to pets holiday

photo. There will only be 30 sessions available on December 12th and families MUST book in advance. Each session will be offered in 5-minute increments and the rooms will be sanitized and cleaned between sessions.

All sessions are \$30 each and include 2 electronic photos, holiday frame, treats and a festive pet stocking full of goodies (while supplies last). Printed photos may be purchased at the event for an additional \$5 each.


Registration is now open and all attendees MUST register in advance. For more information, please visit lakehumane.org.



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Bankruptcy 101:

Peace of Mind for the Holidays

It's that time of the year that we all love and dread at the same time. The increased financial pressure of the holidays often dampens a time that should be remembered as exciting and joyous whether we have that much money or not. This little article is specifically for people

who are being bothered and harassed by creditors and how to end that now so you do not have to deal with it over the holidays or ever.

When you retain (hire) a bankruptcy lawyer you are now a "represented individual" which gives you certain rights and powers that you did not have before. First and foremost, it gives you the power to direct

the debt collectors to talk to your attorney. If they disregard this and continue to call you or harass you in any way- you may be able to sue. You also have an attorney available to advise you when legal problems with creditors arise. You have a legal professional who concentrates in the area of bankruptcy on your side.

Currently, as a holiday promotion we are offering to start your case for only \$100.00. Our retainer is regularly \$300.00. This means you will have retained us as your attorneys and ALL COLLECTION CALLS MUST BE STOPPED. If the creditors do not stop calling we will intervene aggressively on

your behalf.

You can rest assured you and your family will not be bothered during the holiday season. We will handle the creditor calls for you. When the New Year arrives you are put on a liberal payment plan that is affordable to you and we continue to monitor your case. When your fee is paid in full we file the case. We are available to help you whenever needed.

I hope that no one needs this service but if you do please feel free to set up a free initial consultation with our bankruptcy attorney. The consultation is entirely free and there is no obligation to make any type of commitment or decision. We will not recommend bankruptcy unless absolutely necessary for

your financial survival based on your specific circumstance. Your case will be evaluated and you will be advised as to what is in your best interest.

Since this promotion is geared to provide individuals and families with peace of mind throughout the holiday season this promotion will expire on midnight December 31, 2021.

We also practice in the areas of divorce and custody, criminal defense, OVI/DUI, personal injury, and wills, trusts and estate planning. If you ever have a legal question please feel free to call or e-mail me at bob@rcbiales.com. I will do my best to answer your questions.

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- Membership in Lakeland's honors societies

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Holiday Handyman: First Come, First Serve

The holidays are coming that means every toilet needs to be in working order. The family will be there - probably judging each and every imperfection of your home. The good news is Willowick's favorite handyman is getting homes ready for the holidays. Leaving only your cooking to be judged by your family.

There is no better time than now to get items repaired before the holidays. Making sure your home is in tip-top shape for guests.

Willowick's handyman company keeps hearing from customers "we planned on getting this done anyway, so it just makes sense to do it now."

They have staff working tirelessly to get Willowick residents serviced before the holidays. Some common service this time of year

are toilet mainentence calls and mailbox repairs. Monthly Upkeep Handyman also offers assembly services on furniture and other ready to assemble items.

They currently have customers booking into the into of next year for kitchen and bathroom remodels. These customers understand that by locking in the price now they are making sure they are getting the best price with prices on the rise. They also understand the sooner they get the planning started the smoother the project will go.

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Audubon Seeks Counters for Christmas Bird Census

Blackbrook Audubon Society invites everyone to add their observations to the 122nd annual Christmas Bird Count Sunday, December 26. Blackbrook encourages birders of all skill levels to join the CBC in one of two ways: in the field or from the comfort of your own home. Everyone will bird safely following the current Covid-19 guidelines.

The object of the CBC is to count all the bird species and number of birds in a 15-mile diameter circle in one 24-hour period between December 14 and January 5. Anyone living within the circle can also report birds at their feeder.

To be assigned to a team covering a specific area on foot or in a vehicle, or to report backyard feeder counts, contact Dan Donaldson, the compiler for Blackbrook's circle, at danook057@yahoo.com. He will provide details on how to join the virtual gathering later in the day, rather than the traditional lunch at noon, where everyone can share

stories of the day's census.

Blackbrook's CBC circle extends from Lost Nation Airport to Western Perry, Lake Erie south to Holden Arboretum and Big Creek Park in Geauga County.

Blackbrook Audubon's territory covers Ashtabula, Geauga and Lake counties. The Burton CBC held in Geauga County will be Sunday, January 2, 2022. Linda Gilbert, the primary compiler and a naturalist with Geauga Park District, can be reached at lgilbert@geaugaparkdistrict.org. Dan Best will assist with the compiling of lists for the Burton count.

The Ashtabula CBC, centered just east of Kingsville, will be Tuesday, January 4, 2022. Marc Hanneman compiles this count which covers both Ashtabula and Conneaut Harbors, as well as several Ashtabula County Metroparks. Contact Marc at marchanneman@embarqmail.com to help with that count.

Circles for the count stretch from Arctic Bay, Baffin Island in Canada to a NOAA research vessel in the Drake Passage at the southern-

most tip of South America; as far west as Guam in the Pacific to the eastern tip of Brazil. Census takers in the NEO circles share the same mission and may count on the same day as birders in some of these far-off places.

View a map of active CBC circles at <https://www.audubon.org/conservation/join-christmas-bird-count>.

For more information on the local Audubon chapter, visit blackbrookaudubon.org.

The Christmas Bird Count is the longest-running community science project in North America

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How to Locate a Missing Life Insurance Policy

Locating life insurance documents for a deceased person can be challenging. Insurance companies are not required to let beneficiaries know that they are mentioned in a policy so many people are not even aware that someone left them money. This is one of the reasons why, more than \$2 billion in insurance proceeds remains unclaimed.

Searching for a policy will take some investigative skills on your part. Here are some ideas to help you begin your search:

Take advantage of policy locators. While there is no national data base for insurance policies, the National Association of Insurance Commissioners provides a free website that is a good place to begin. Go to <https://eapps.naic.org/life-policy-locator/> to use the policy finder

tool. If you think the policy may have been purchased in Canada, try contacting the Canadian Ombudsman for Life and Health Insurance for information.

Search reputable websites. Insurance companies are supposed to reach out to beneficiaries when the policyholder dies, but sometimes they cannot track down the right people. After a period, they turn the benefits over to the state's unclaimed property program. Missingmoney.com or unclaimed.org may provide some answers. Both organizations match people up with money that may be owed to them from various sources.

Comb through old paperwork and email files. Look through old records for billing statements, account summaries and other communications from any

insurance companies if you have access to these records.

Contact past employers and groups. Contact old employer/s, fraternal organizations, labor union, credit union, and pension plans.

Contact professionals. Talk to the deceased's attorneys, accountants, investment advisors, bankers, business insurance agents/brokers and other financial professionals who may be able to help with the search.

Privacy regulations control who can request information about another person's finances. In general, the only ones who will be able to access a deceased's financial information including

insurance policy documents include:

- The executor of a person's estate
- The deceased's next of kin
- Named beneficiaries to any life insurance policies

This is a good reminder for you to always keep important documents in a safe place and prepare a paper trail of all your investments and insurance policies. In this way, you can make sure your estate, no matter how big or small, goes to the people you choose.

If you would like more information on the various types of life insurance for yourself or members of your family, please

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Library Programs

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Public Square, Willoughby, 440-942-3200

Health Insurance Marketplace Special Event

If you're uninsured, or just want to explore your choices, join us to learn more about the Health Insurance Marketplace and find coverage that fits your budget and meets your needs.

Monday, December 14, 9 am-4 pm -Willoughby Public Library, 30 Public Square, Willoughby, 440-942-3200

Still Beating: The Story Behind the Tell-Tale Heart

Edgar Allan Poe's chilling terror tale The Tell-Tale Heart is an enduring favorite. We will take a closer look at the true stories that inspired it, the story's impact on today's horror fiction & film and Poe's efforts to find a magazine willing to print it. Presenter will be live via Zoom and attendees will gather in the meeting room to watch, listen and ask questions.

Tuesday, Dec. 14, 6:30 pm
Willowick Public Library, Willowick, 440-943-4151

De-Stress with Adult Coloring

Need a break from last minute holiday tasks? The Willoughby Library is hosting a relaxing morning of Yule-themed coloring.

Tuesday, December 21, 11 am
Willoughby Public Library, 30 Public Square, Willoughby, 440-942-3200

Children & Teen Programs:

Carryout Crafts for Teens

Each month we will have an activity kit for you to pick up at the Willoughby Library and complete at home.

Month of December – Origami

Star Wreath

Willoughby Public Library, 30 Public Square, Willoughby, 440-942-3200

Homeschool Research

The average Google search can yield millions of results, but which one will give you the information you need? In this class, children ages 8-12 will learn how to find, evaluate and use information.

Thursday, December 2, 2 pm
Online via Zoom

The Grinch and the Mayor of Whoville

Help the Mayor of Whoville find the missing presents and save Christmas! This retelling of the Dr. Seuss's classic How the Grinch Stole Christmas will feature live performers and be presented virtually.

Thursday, December 2
6:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Stories of the Season

Enjoy favorite holiday stories, sing songs and share seasonal traditions!

Monday, December 6, 6:30 pm
Online via Zoom

Sensory Family Storytime

Children of all ages & abilities are welcomed to this interactive, inclusive storytime specifically designed to support the developmental needs of those with sensory challenges.

Tuesday, December 7, 6:30 pm
Online via Zoom

Teen Art Club

Do you love to create art but never get the chance? Join other art-loving teens for Art Club where we will focus on a different artist or style. Grades 6-12 (Ages 11-18).

Thursday, December 9, 6:30-8:30 pm -Eastlake Public Library, 36706 Lakeshore Blvd., Eastlake, 440-942-7880

Saturday with Santa

Have a holly, jolly time with Santa! Each child will get a chance to share their gift wish list and get a virtual photo with Santa.

Saturday, December 11
2 pm or 3 pm • Online via Zoom

Lego Club

Join us to discuss and show off your amazing LEGO creations. All ages welcome.

Saturday, December 11, 2 pm
Online via Zoom

Homeschool Writers Club

Each month, we'll use the amazing Playing with a Purpose videos from our partners Lake Erie Ink to inspire young writers ages 7-12. Classes will be facilitated by a librarian.

Monday, December 13
1:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Homeschool Travelers

Take a trip around the world without leaving your house! Each month features a different location, complete with facts & fun activities!

Wednesday, December 15, 2 pm • Online via Zoom

Family Holiday Celebration

We'll read stories about Christmas, Hanukkah and Kwanzaa! Learn about the different holiday celebrations held during the month of December.

Monday, December 20, 6:30 pm • Online via Zoom

Gingerbread House Decorating

Design and construct your own gingerbread house for the holidays. Grades 6-12 (Ages 11-18).

Tuesday, December 21, 6:30-8 pm • Willowick

Noon Year's Eve

WE can't wait to ring in 2022 together! We'll read, dance and craft to celebrate the end of 2021.

Friday, December 31, 11:15 am
Online via Zoom

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Sunday School for Children/Youth at 10:00 am – Adults at 7:00 pm via Zoom
Sunday Worship at 9:00 and 11:00 am – in person or online

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Advent Worship – Sundays Nov 28, Dec 5, 12, and 19 at 9 & 11 am
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All programs begin at 11:00 a.m. at The Fine Arts Association, 38660 Mentor Avenue, Willoughby, followed by the luncheon at noon in the lobby. Covid protocols will be respected.

The menu is Hungarian Chicken Paprikash over egg noodles, garden salad, rolls with lemon squares for dessert.

Women's Committee members Paul Holm, CEO of The Fine Arts, and Roy Smith, Board President of The Fine Arts will be host servers.

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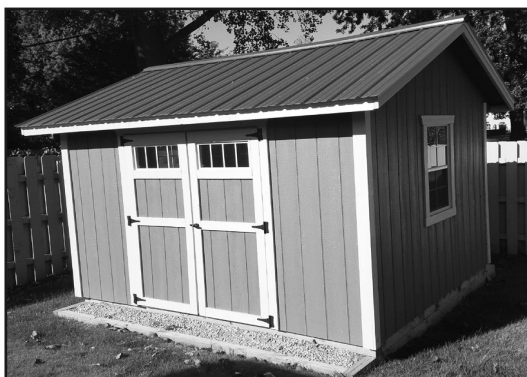
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Reduce Holiday Stress

Make sure everyone understands your caregiving situation and has realistic expectations about what

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2. Our kids Twigbee shop (registration & payment for the

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