

**New Announcements**

**One Great Hour of Sharing Offering:** Thank you to everyone who contributed to the One Great Hour of Sharing Offering that was received on Sunday, March 15th. The total amount received so far is \$915.66.

**The Faith Reading Group** will meet on Wednesday, April 15th, to discuss Ari Shavit's *My Promised Land: The Triumph and Tragedy of Israel* (originally scheduled for February 4th but cancelled due to weather). We'll discuss the rest of this year's schedule at the April meeting. Coffee in the kitchen at 7:00 p.m. followed by discussion in the parlor at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

**Bread for the World 2015 Offering of Letters April 26th and May 3rd after Worship.** In the Gospels we see Jesus engaging with vulnerable people—teaching, touching, talking, healing, feeding. As followers of Jesus we are called and empowered to imitate his solidarity with vulnerable people in our world. Stagnant wages as well as persistent poverty have resulted in one out of five American children living in a family that struggles to put food on the table. For these children, access to nutritious food throughout the year is essential to their health, learning and growth. Congress must “reauthorize” child nutrition programs like school lunch and breakfast, summer meals, and WIC this year. With help from Bread for the World, we will write Congress and urge them to **“Feed Our Children.”**

**The April Movie Group** will attend *Deliciously Wicked: A Broadway Revue* performed by the North Coast Men's Chorus on Saturday, April 11th at 8:00 p.m. at Regina Auditorium in South Euclid. We will meet at the church and go to dinner before the show. Tickets can be purchased on line <http://www.ncmchorus.org> or contact Jill Dugovics at 440-449-7832 and she will purchase your ticket. Ticket prices range from \$10-\$35. All are welcome.

**Girl Scout cookie orders are here!** We want to again thank you for your generosity. Your orders and donations make a big difference to Kathryn, Dakota, and Danika as well as their troops. This group donated 41 boxes of cookies that will be delivered to Ronald McDonald House! Your purchased cookies help the troops fund events such as camping experiences or service events. We will be distributing cookies over the next few weeks. If you didn't have a chance to place an order or would like additional cookies, please contact either Cynthia Mahoney or Amy Schaum.

**Faith Seniors** on Tuesday, April 14th, at 1:00 p.m. will welcome the eighteen voices of the Northcoast Women's Ensemble. These ladies will perform a special spring concert for us. Dessert will be served in the Social Hall following the show. Please sign the sheet located on the bulletin board across from the kitchen. Planning ahead, on Tuesday, May 12th, we will meet at Holden Arboretum for lunch and a tram ride through the gardens. Bring your lunch and we will eat before the ride which is at 1:00 p.m. The trams will accommodate 15 people. Cost is \$10.00 for admission and ride. On Sunday, June 7th, at 2:00 p.m. we will see Mel Brooks *The Producers*, the musical at the Fine Arts Association, 38660 Mentor Avenue, Willoughby. We have reserved a block of 15 seats. Cost is \$18.00 per person. Please make your payment as soon as possible. Additional seats may be available if needed. For further information please contact Sally Templar or Barbara Garris.

**Ryan Jacquet's Boy Scout Troop 195** is hosting a spaghetti dinner and bake sale. It is Saturday, April 18th, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Chesterland Baptist Church at Mayfield Road and Route 306. Tickets are \$7.00 for adults and \$4.00 for ages 3-11. Please see Ryan or Ed Jacquet if you are interested in purchasing tickets.