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Better Kenmore Announces New Executive Director

Better Kenmore CDC, located at 1028 Kenmore Boulevard, is pleased to announce the selection of Eleni Manousogiannakis as its new Executive Director. Eleni has enjoyed strong success as Development Director for the last two years and is poised to use her talents and experience to drive future success for Better Kenmore. Eleni brings a wealth of leadership experience including roles as Health Center Executive Director at Medina County Health Department, COO of Axess Pointe Community Health Centers, and organizations in the greater Los Angeles area.

Eleni's professional journey has come full circle after returning to Akron and Kenmore in 2016. She is a Kenmore native, having spent her childhood in Kenmore, attended Pfeiffer Elementary School, and is a Kenmore High School alumna. Her parents still live in Kenmore.



Eleni Manousogiannakis

Kenmore's Annual Easter Event is April 12th

The Annual Kenmore Easter Craft & Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday April 12th this year. Beginning at the Kenmore Community Center (880 Kenmore Boulevard) with the Children's Craft Party, there will be refreshments, craft projects, and prizes (donated by Kenmore Komics). And special guest appearances by the Easter Bunny and the Easter Ducky, who will spend most of their time taking pictures with the excited children.

Doors at the Community Center will open at 9:30 am for the craft events. At around 10:45 am there will be prize drawings to be won by several lucky children, then the children, adults, volunteers, and the Easter Bunny & the Easter Ducky will "stroll" to where the eggs are placed. All refreshments and eggs will be donated by the Kenmore Chamber of Commerce.+

So mark your calendars and please plan to bring your children to this year's Annual Kenmore Craft & Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday April 12th!



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Auto Central, Located at 2401 Manchester Road

Kenmore Author to Attend Akron Book Fest

by Dianne Darr Coutts

Author Dianne Darr Coutts has deep roots in Kenmore. On Saturday, March 8th, she will be one of the featured authors at the 2025 Akron Book Fest at the Main Branch of the Akron-Summit County Library from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Dianne's memoir, "Things Fell Apart, But the Center Held" includes over 60 references to places and personalities in Kenmore from the early 1900s to more recent years. Dianne's story is not easy to read in some places but her experiences growing up in Kenmore were ones of affirmation and stability and, for that, she is very grateful.



Dianne Darr Coutts' Book "Things Fell Apart, But the Center Held"

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McCutchan Award Presented to Nick Korora

On Thursday December 5th the Kenmore Chamber of Commerce presented the 2024 McCutchan Award to Nick Korora for his contributions to the Kenmore community. The Kenmore Chamber of Commerce presents this award yearly (since 1997) in honor of Lee & Jasper McCutchan, who's dedication & contribution to the Kenmore Community will always be remembered. Nick exemplified the attitude of service that is the spirit of the McCutchan Award. His work on creating, coordinating and running last year's Kenmore Cowbell 7K Race was truly amazing, and his efforts made this community event a pleasure to participate in for all.

The objective of the Kenmore Chamber of Commerce is to promote the civic activities of the community which will not only be beneficial to its own local community from a moral, physical, material and business standpoint, but to Greater Akron as well, and to foster, develop, and protect Akron commercial, manufacturing, and civic interests. The Kenmore Chamber of Commerce offers many cost-saving benefits to our local business community, and we invite all interested businesses and community organizations to join and take advantage of these benefits. For more information, please contact John Buntin Jr at 330-304-9598.



Josh Gippin (right) Presents McCutchan Award to Nick Korora (left)

New Drama Program Looking for Members

If you have an interest in the arts, we are looking for you!

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by Nick Korora

Grandma Benn's cowbell will be ringing again at the second annual Kenmore Cowbell 7K on Saturday June 7th. The success of last year's race was way more than any of us could've imagined. The Kenmore and Running community combined on Kenmore Boulevard to create an unforgettable experience in 2024!

The Kenmore Cowbell 7K Race is in honor of Kenmore legend Grandma Benn. Grandma Benn was a giver who loved anything that involved Kenmore. It was impossible not to feel good after interacting with her.

Last year's race was able to provide scholarships to Akron Promise students. Akron Promise is an organization that helps Akron Public School students with financial aid and entrance fees to college. We're also very excited to partner with Ainsley's Angels and Fit After Pink.

We are currently working on finalizing some very exciting new additions to the race (more details in the next issue of the Kenmore Connection). If you don't run or walk, that is OK, for we need spectators and have spectator packages also available. We really want to see a huge crowd of spectators at the finish line. We are also inducting seven new people into the Kenmore Cowbell Ring of Honor, and we highly encourage you to bring your dogs to attend the race. Hope to see you on the Boulevard on June 7th!

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For more information contact **Charlie Shook** at **330-697-6971**

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Councilperson's Corner

Happy New Year! I hope you had a safe and happy holidays. While we didn't get the white Christmas some of us had hoped for, January sure made up for it.

Thanks to the city crews for getting our streets cleared and passable during the first two snow events of 2025. Have you ever wondered why certain streets get plowed and salted and others don't? Here's a primer for Akron's Snow and Ice Operations.

Snow and ice routes are broken down into three basic groups:

- * Primary (expressways and high-traffic streets, usually along school, hospital and bus routes)
- * Secondary (heavily traveled collector and residential streets, hills, and streets where there is only one way in/out)
- * Residential (the vast majority of roads)

Generally, all Primary streets will be continuously serviced until a bare pavement condition exists. Next, Secondary streets will be continuously serviced until a bare pavement condition exists. The city's standard is to not address the Residential category of streets until an event reaches five inches of snowfall. However, if you need your street plowed or salted, you can always call 3-1-1, go online to www.akronohio.gov/311, or download the Akron311 app to place a service request, which will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

When snowfall exceeds two inches, a parking ban automatically goes into effect on Primary streets. Generally, the City of Akron only issues a complete street parking ban when snowfall exceeds five inches. In the event of a full parking ban, owners and operators have full responsibility to remove parked motor vehicles off of the street. Removing vehicles during and prior to snow and ice events makes it much easier for crews to perform curb to curb salting and plowing of streets. Plowing curb to curb allows melted snow and ice to flow to the nearest inlet without "ponding", refreezing or flooding the roadway.

Which category is your street? Visit Snow and Ice Operations on www.akronohio.gov to find out.

Thank you for allowing me to serve!

Tina Boyes, Ward 9 Councilperson, City of Akron, 330-283-7582

Ward 9

Councilperson's Meetings

Councilperson Boyes holds a public meeting on the first Tuesday of every month at the Kenmore Community Center, starting at 6:30 pm. Please join her at 880 Kenmore Boulevard to discuss your community and your city!
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March 13, April 10,
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Tuesday, April 15,
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February 22, May 3

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Winter Kids Camp at Kenmore Community Center

by Alice Incorvia, Kenmore Community Center Supervisor

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Cookie Decorating By Myia Hanner-Walker

In December, before winter break we had a cookie decorating party. My favorite teacher, Mr. Tompkins, put this activity together for all 3rd and 4th grade students. Parents and guardians donated cookies, sprinkles, and icing. I bought strawberry icing. We each decorated 7 cookies. We were allowed to eat one cookie with our classmates and we brought the other cookies home to our families. I was able to bring our favorite counselor a strawberry cookie. I liked being able to do an activity with the 3rd and 4th grade class. I helped the third-graders decorate their cookies.



Photographed:: Aubrey Shallenberger & Coryon Wesley- Little (Left photo) Jaydan Heckaman, Leyonna Gray, Bobbi Gattis & Kristiona Williamson (Right photo)



Grinch Day By Megan Latchic

In Kindergarten, we wore Grinch attire and had Grinchy snacks. We watched *The Grinch* and answered comprehension questions along the way. We also got to visit with the Grinch.



By: Lauren Schneider, Pfeiffer Elementary School Counselor

Pfeiffer Christmas Toy Drive By Shanan Painter

The 2nd annual Pfeiffer Christmas Toy Drive was a HUGE success! We were able to help 99 children for Christmas! Donations came in many ways and we are truly thankful for everyone that helped make this Christmas special. Serra Subaru, Tansations, Akron Rubber Development, Roma's Bar and Grill, City of Akron Sewer Dept and VIO Med Spa all hosted drop off boxes for toys. Some people adopted families while others dropped off toys to Pfeiffer. Next year we hope to help even more children.



Photographed:
Serra Subaru toy donations

Character Strong Breakfast from a Parent Perspective By Angelica Meeks

My experience of the character strong breakfast was amazing, having breakfast with them had me so proud. Having two of my beautiful daughters getting this award for two separate awards was even shocking. I'm beyond proud, me and their father work so hard to make sure we put that much work into them being respectful and kind because that's exactly how we were raised. I tell them when you're like that nothing in this world can keep you from being who you are and that is a one of a kind person. I want them to be able to pass that down, to give others healing.



Photographed: Ahmari Meeks (Top Left) & Aleyson Brown (Bottom Middle) awarded for Respect. Aleyson Brown (Top Right) awarded for Empathy.

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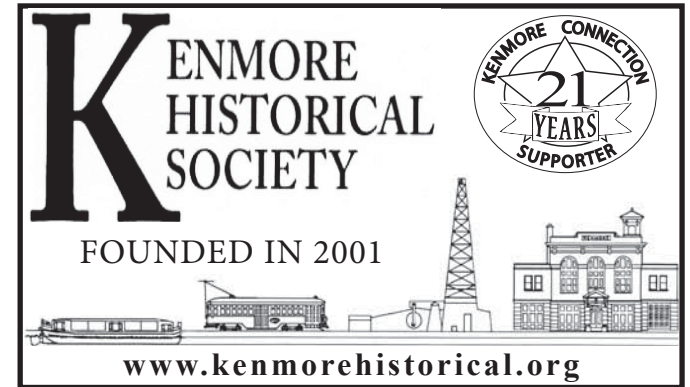
Kenmore Historical Society News

by Sean Blake, President Kenmore Historical Society

Hey Kenmore!

I've seen the neighborhood map of Akron before, but I was caught off guard when someone asked me if we have a neighborhood map of Kenmore. The short answer is no, but I think it is something that could be worth drawing up. It's very unique how our neighborhood is made up of smaller neighborhoods and that is a testament to how Kenmore was its own city at one time. How many Kenmore neighborhoods can you name? Off the top of my head I can come up with Allenside, Castle Homes, Highland Park, Rolling Acres, Mud Run, Lawndale, Downtown, Halo, Summit Hill, and Summit Lake. Did I miss any? Let us know by reaching out on the website at www.kenmorehistorical.org or the Facebook Group.

Speaking of the website, we are going to have some changes and improvements coming to it soon, thanks to our awesome treasurer Kellie Brown! I want to thank Kellie for all of the time she selflessly commits to our organization. We are also getting ready to kick off our meeting schedule for the year. We meet on the last Monday of each month (excluding January, May, and December) at 6:30 pm in the Kenmore Branch Library. Our first meeting is February 24th and local author and comedian Don Ake will be our presenter, and we will be also voting on leadership for 2025-2026. Our second meeting will be March 31st and we will have Lee Chutas from the Cargill plant presenting on the history of salt in Kenmore. As I line up more presenters for the rest of the year, they will be announced on the Facebook group.



The Kenmore neighborhood's Akron Bicentennial Celebration on June 7th is shaping up to be a fun day! Some of the events that I want to highlight that are currently in the works for that day are the Cowbell 7K run (even if you don't run - come on out and cheer them on), a parade (registration will be opening soon on Better Kenmore's website, and I want to see all Kenmore organizations in this parade), a storytelling session at The Rialto Theatre (even if you no longer live here, I want to hear your stories about growing up here), and a historical bus tour of the Kenmore and Summit Lake neighborhoods (accessible to all). So definitely mark your calendars because June 7th is going to be a fun day!

Think warm Kenmore, spring will be here soon!



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Allenside Presbyterian Church

410 Rexford Street
330-753-6405

Find us on FaceBook @ allenside presbyterian church

Pastor Lisa Machar

Hours of Service

Every Sunday 10:30 am

1st & 3rd Sundays: Allenside Church Building

2nd & 4th Sundays: Firestone Park Presbyterian Building, 275 S. Firestone Boulevard

All services broadcast via Zoom.

See Facebook for Zoom Link and Worship Times/Locations
Church Office Open on Request – Please Call or E-mail

Community Services Offered

Community Meetings – 6:00 pm, 3rd Tuesday of the Month (excluding July, August and December) in the Fellowship Hall of the Church.

“Mad Hatters” Knitting Group meets at the church Wednesdays 1:00 to 3:00 pm.

Join us to knit hats and make blankets for those in need.
Donations of yarn and fleece gratefully accepted.

First Baptist Church of Kenmore

2330 East Avenue
330-745-3619

church@fbcok.com
www.fbcok.com

Pastor Joe Grimaldi

Hours of Service

Sunday School 10:00 am

Sunday Morning Service 11:00 am

Sunday Afternoon Service 1:30 pm

Wednesday Evening Service 7:00 pm

Community Services Offered

Free Bus Transportation on Sunday

Goss Memorial Church

2247 11th Street SW
330-745-5038

www.gosschurch.org

Pastor: Currently interim pastor
Youth Leaders: Aaron & Jen Hurd,
and Derek & Bre Boyes

Hours of Service

Sunday School 9:15 am

Sunday Morning Service 10:30 am

(also available online on the Goss Memorial Facebook page)

Mid-Week Ministries (ages 4-12th grade)

Wednesdays 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm.

Hope Church

2650 Cory Avenue
330-753-2303

officehopechurchakron@gmail.com

Pastor John M. Tsironis

Hours of Service

Sunday School 9:30 am

Sunday Morning Service 10:30 am

Monday Christian Service Brigade 6:30 pm

Tuesday Ladies Bible Study 10:00 am

Immaculate Conception

of Mary Parish

2101 17th Street SW
330-753-8429

ickenmore@yahoo.com

www.ickenmore.org

Melissa N. Keegan, Parish Life Coordinator

Hours of Service

Holy Eucharist:

Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:00 pm

Sunday Mass at 10:00 am

Sacrament of Confession:

St. Augustine, Barberton - Saturdays at 3:00 pm
and Mondays at 6:00 pm.

St. Francis de Sales, Coventry - Saturdays from 9:00
to 9:45 am and Thursdays from 5:30 to 6:15 pm.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA):
Mondays 7:00 pm (September thru May).

Community Services Offered

Food Pantry (at Maher Hall)

Thursday afternoons 12 noon to 2 pm -
requires referral from InfoLine (330-376-4850).
Kenmore A.A. (at Hitch Hall) Mondays 8:00 pm.

Kenmore A.A. Big Book Study

(at Hitch Hall) Thursdays 8:00 pm.

Kenmore A.A. Saturday Nite

(at Hitch Hall) Saturdays 8:00 pm.

Kenmore Community Meal - Free take-out meal
available the last Tuesday of the month beginning at 4:30
until we run out. Pick-up in front of 2126 16th Street SW
(partnership with Park United Methodist Church).

Kenmore Free Store at 2128 16th Street,
enter back door off 17th and Battles Avenue
(partnership with Park United Methodist Church)
Tuesdays 4:00-7:00 pm, and Saturdays 9:30 am to Noon.

Bingo (at Waldeisen Hall) Wednesdays,
doors open at 9:30 am, games start at 11:00 am.

For questions please call 330-753-8429
between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm weekdays.

Participating member of Kenmore Ministerial Association

Kenmore Community Church the of Nazarene

2025 12th Street SW

330-745-7720

kenmorenazarene@gmail.com

www.kenmorenaz.org

Facebook - Kenmore Community Church of the Nazarene

Hours of Service

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 am

Wednesday Evening Children & Youth Services

6:00 to 7:00 pm

Office Hours - By Appointment Only.

King's Way Church

2500 Kingsport Way

330-848-1403

www.kwachurch.org

Hours of Service

Sunday School 9:30 am

Sunday Worship Service 10:45 am

Koinonia Apostolic Faith Church

814 Carnegie Avenue

330-745-5242

www.Koinonia5111@yahoo.com

Pastor Gary L. Foreman

Hours of Service

Sunday School 9:30 am to 11:00 am

Sunday Worship Service 11:30 am

God is Good Testimony Tuesdays 7:00 pm via Facebook

Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 pm

Thursday Intercessory Prayer 7:00 pm via Zoom

Email koinonia5111@yahoo.com for the Zoom Link

Community Services Offered

Food Pantry 3rd Tuesday of the month via
appointment only - Call Prayer Line at 330-999-2398

Grief Recovery Classes

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New Life Pentecostals of Akron

859 Witner Avenue
330-208-5441
pastorsmj@gmail.com
www.newlifeofakron.com

Pastor Scott Johnson

Hours of Service

Sunday Worship Service 10:30 am

Wednesday Life Bible Study 7:00 pm

Follow us on Facebook for livestreaming @ New Life POA

Community Services Offered

Personal home Bible Studies upon request.

Park United Methodist Church

2308 24th Street SW
330-745-3714
parkchurch@sbcglobal.net
www.akronparkumc.org

Pastor Dave Haydu

Hours of Service

Sunday Traditional Worship 9:00 am

Children's Church 9:00 am

Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study 1:00 pm

Wednesday Morning Bible Study 9:00 am

Community Services Offered

Cub Scout/Boy Scouts

Check out our weekly service on line via Facebook
(Akron Park United Methodist Church)
and/or YouTube ([akron park um church](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwVBXqHG0mI9IDm31qSLlr)).

Praise Chapel Assembly of God

1204 McIntosh Avenue
330-745-4107
www.netministry.com

Pastor Robert Shank

Hours of Service

Sunday Morning Service 10:30 am

Wednesday Evening Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Redeemed Christian Church of God

966 Kenmore Boulevard
330-776-5196
jesushouseakron@ymail.com
www.jesushouseakron.org

Pastor Enoch A. Adeboye (General Overseer)

Pastor Yisa Sunmonu (Parish Pastor)

Hours of Service

Sunday Workers Prayer Meeting 10:00 am to 10:30 am

Sunday School 10:30 am to 11:00 am

Sunday Service 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Thursday Bible Study 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm
(virtual).

Saturday House Fellowship 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm
(virtual).

Community Services Offered

Non perishable food items are accepted for food
baskets that are distributed to needy families
and schools during the holidays.

Shoreline Community Church

790 Carnegie Avenue
330-753-9241

office@shorelinechurchakron.com

www.shorelinechurchakron.com

View Live Stream Messages at:

<https://www.youtube.com/@shorelineeccakron>

Dr. Scott Campbell

Hours of Service

Sunday Praise & Worship 11:00 am

Sunday Live Stream message begins at 11:35 am

Wednesday Live Stream Bible Study 7:00 pm

View Live Stream Messages at:

www.shorelinechurchakron.com

or

<https://www.shorelinechurchakron.com/Watch-Live>

Community Services Offered

Drive Thru Food Pantry Service every Friday
Check-in is 10:00 to 10:15 am to receive food.

Streetlight Community Church

Streetlight Community Church
943 Kenmore Boulevard
330-221-2781
<https://streetlight.life/>
<https://www.facebook.com/streetlightcc>
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Pastor: Ben White

Hours of Service

Coffee, Donuts & Conversation 9:30 am
Worship Gatherings inside October to April
at 943 Kenmore Boulevard,
First Glance's building, 10:30 am.
Just follow the Streetlight signs.
Visit our Facebook, Instagram and Youtube
to see our video content!

Community Services Offered

We partner with various allies in our city who are
highly active in the neighborhood and beyond,
see <https://streetlight.life/allies/> to learn more.

The Church on the Boulevard

754 Kenmore Boulevard
330-745-8634

www.thechurchontheboulevard.wordpress.com

www.facebook.com/kenmorechurchblvd

The Church on the Boulevard is a Christian church with
a heart for the city of Akron and the neighborhood of
Kenmore. Our vision is to be a Biblical community
where the Gospel of Jesus Christ transforms lives,
renews the city and impacts the world.

Hours of Service

Sunday Morning Service 10:00 am

Community Services Offered

Serving Christmas Dinner,
December 25th, 1:00 to 6:00 pm.

Outreach Food Pantries

1st & 3rd Mondays at 5:30 to 7:30 pm.

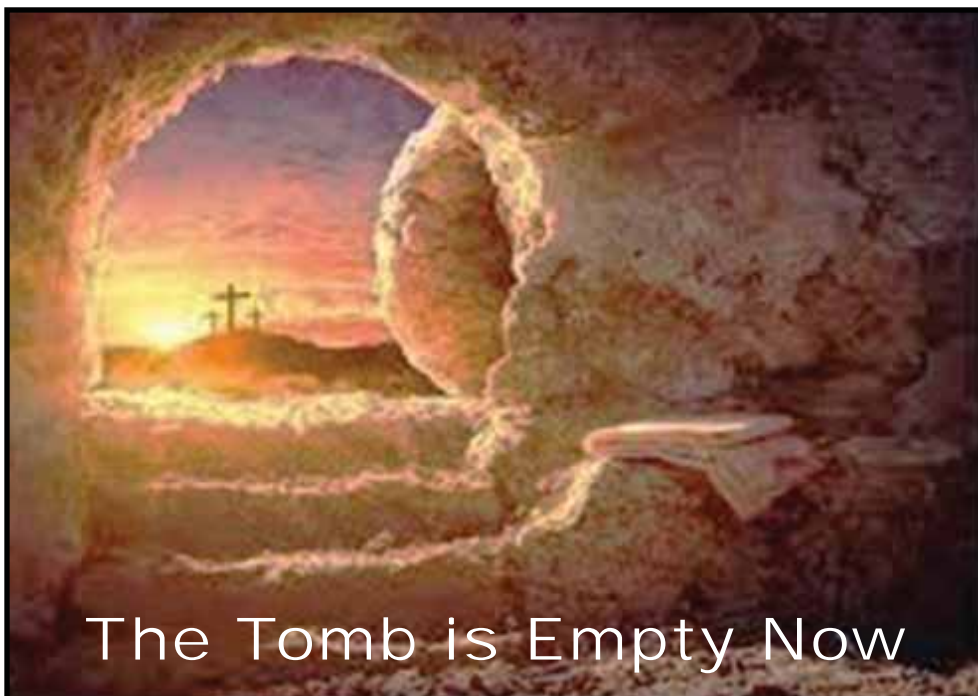
Grab-and-Go Carryout Dinners

2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 5:00 to 6:30 pm.

“Celebrate Recovery” Meetings Vary.

“Alcoholics Anonymous” and “Narcotics Anonymous”
meetings can be found online.

“New Generation Youth” and “Kids In Action”
both meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays 6:45 to 8:00 pm.



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Where: Goss Memorial Church, 2247 11th Street, Akron

This is an interactive dining experience sharing The Passion of Christ.
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Date: Sunday, March 30, 2025

Time: 11:00 am

Venue: Jesus House Akron

966 Kenmore Blvd, Akron, OH



Guest Speaker: Michael Obi
President/CEO, UBIZ Venture Capital,
and Spectrum Global Solution

Live Streaming available on   [@Jesus House Akron](https://www.facebook.com/JesusHouseAkron)



Kenmore Free Store News

by Mary Ann Gesaman, Managing Director, KFS



Hello Kenmore Connection People

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We have been busy at the Free Store this past year. We have added 655 households this past year. We have been able to help many families with 55,407 items of clothing, 3371 pairs of shoes, 4570 toy items, and many other household and kitchen items. We have helped many families with sack lunches, hygiene bags, and laundry soap.

We see God moving among our ministry partners, the families we serve and those who donate to the store. We are so very grateful for each person who comes to our Free Store. Maybe you come to get clothing or toys you need, or maybe you are one of the ministry partners, or are you one of the many people who donate to our store. If you are, know that you are a blessing to so very many people.

As you can see, we are busy each time we are open---Tuesdays from 4:00 to 7:00 pm and Saturdays from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon. We would like you to consider donating to our store any items you are no longer using. It should be working and in fairly good shape. This time of year COATS, BOOTS AND GLOVES for all sizes are especially in demand.

We can use new ministry partners (volunteers) who could help us sort clothing and items donated to the store. We have several students who complete their community service hours at the store. Consider volunteering if you need hours and bring your parent along with you. This is something that you could do together. Do you belong to a club that could use a community activity? Bring your members to our store during open hours and we will gladly get you started serving.

God's blessings to each of you.

Do you have a reunion, fundraiser, or event to promote in Kenmore? Please contact John at 330-304-9598 for information on how to get your event in the next issue!

Mary Ann Gesaman, Managing Director, phone: 330-606-2878
2101 17th Street SW, Akron, Ohio 44314

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