



Hope For Renewal seeks to serve, build relationships and to share the love of Christ for those living in the Glenwood Corridor in Youngstown, Ohio.

PLAYGROUND MINISTRY SUMMER 2025

REVEREND GARY KOERTH

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As of this week, we have been blessed to have our fifth playground ministry picnic of the summer of 2025. Most weeks have been very hot and humid with a couple of weeks with rain and thunderstorms. But during all of the picnics we have seen God's love be poured out to our neighborhood. The number of people attending has been incredible but what is most amazing is the sense of real community and fellowship taking place each week. There is peace among all who attend, and many are sitting together and sharing and laughing and eating together. The Gospel is being shared through growing relationships and our weekly children's Bible time and craft. We have also seen more families

coming to the picnic because of rising food prices and the struggle to feed their families. The rainbow reminds us of God's promises are very real as we are sent into all the world and proclaim the name of Jesus!



More updates next month about all that God is doing in Community Worship and the Café Ministry!

Blessings, Gary and Cindy Koerth
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