



A Ministry of the West Ohio Conference
and the East Ohio Conference of
the United Methodist Church

DINNER & DISCUSSION

Support in the Midst of Justice-involved Experiences

Tuesday, May 27, 2025 from 5:00-6:30 P.M. in Ashtabula

Do you have family or church members who are currently incarcerated or have come home following incarceration?

Many of us do.

Does your congregation have a desire to restore hope and support healing among this often overlooked population through community ministries?

We hope so.

This All In Community Dinner & Discussion provides individuals an opportunity to understand better how to navigate Ohio's criminal justice system with loved ones, congregants, and neighbors. Family members, ministry servants, and pastors have an opportunity to learn how they can support people close to them who are incarcerated and returning. No family member or congregation can do it alone, so we will identify local resource partners that strengthen our supportive response as part of the reentry continuum of care. Through the All In Community ministry framework, participants will better understand both important direct tangible needs *and* spiritual, social, and emotional needs that restore hope and support healing during and following incarceration.

Guest Speaker



Dr. Mike Davis
Religious Services
Administrator, ODRC

Location:

Ashtabula UMC, 4506 Elm Ave, Ashtabula, OH, 44004

No cost, but please register in advance using these links:

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