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Joyful Collaboration Brings Holiday Celebration

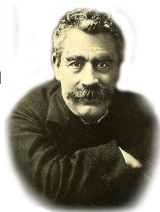
The Workmen's Circle was blessed this past holiday season thanks to a last minute collaboration with our friend Pastor Wiggins and his organization, "The Friends Church", which has been working very closely with the Workmen's Circle Ohio District by volunteering and donating to our Mitzvah Food Pantry.

We all know that love and fulfillment during the holiday season is as essential to life as laughter, and after a discussion between Workmen's Circle Chair, Jack Greminger and Pastor Anthony Wiggins, we all decided to come together to host a collaborative and interfaith celebration for the community. With the help of our Pantry volunteers, Pastor Wiggins, as well as many members of the his Church, we were able to pull together a grand event.

A delicious dinner was graciously donated and catered by our good friends at Jerry's Catering, along with entertaining and seasonally inspired music performed by our own Lori Cahan-Simon, Norman Tischler, and Jeannie Greminger, as well as many musical pieces by the very talented vocalists with the Friends Church.

During the gathering, Jack Greminger and Pastor Wiggins said prayers together, along with our guests, while lighting the Chanukkah menorah. Proceeding the prayers and candle lighting was an awards ceremony to recognize those that volunteer with the two organizations as well as those who helped to make our Holiday Celebration a fun and memorable experience.

We hope to continue these celebrations yearly, creating a new tradition that all can enjoy, regardless of religious background.



Our Seamlessly Musical Friend Amy Roth

You may know her as the talented violinist in the Workmen's Circle Klezmer Orchestra, or maybe you know her as the lovable and bubbly personality that has greeted you at their performances all around Cleveland for the past 12 years, but SOME of us know her as the kind woman who works magic as our go-to need an alteration.

Well, this is the side of Amy we want to spotlight today.

Amy owns her own business, "Amy Roth & Co.", which specializes in Fabric Mending, Alterations, Tailoring, Designing and Style. One might call her an all-around sewing professional. Her business has been housed in an office above Geraci's pizza in University Heights for the past seven years but has recently relocated to a bigger and more beautiful location across from the new Super Target in University Square. Amy invites you to come down and check out her new spot, and support a small local business (which is a rare find these days). She is online at www.amyrothandcompany.com. We congratulate her and wish her the best of luck in her new location.



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