

**As Offered**

**133rd General Assembly  
Regular Session  
2019-2020**

**H. R. No. 278**

**Representative Wiggam**

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**A RESOLUTION**

Honoring Trinity United Church of Christ on its Two  
Hundredth Anniversary.

WHEREAS, The members of the House of Representatives of the 1  
133rd General Assembly of Ohio are pleased to extend special 2  
recognition to Trinity United Church of Christ on the hallowed 3  
occasion of its Bicentennial; and 4

WHEREAS, Since its inception in 1819, Trinity United Church 5  
of Christ has offered its members the pathway to a more meaningful 6  
life by illuminating and demonstrating the precepts on which the 7  
church was founded. The spirit of love and Christian fellowship 8  
that exists among the parishioners prevails not only within the 9  
church edifice itself but also extends beyond those sacred walls 10  
to touch the lives of everyone encountered by these devout 11  
disciples; and 12

WHEREAS, Under the capable leadership of its current pastor, 13  
the Reverend Kevan Franklin, and his predecessors, Trinity United 14  
Church of Christ has provided a source of moral guidance and 15  
spiritual motivation for each of its members. Over the years, the 16  
church has enhanced the quality of life within the surrounding 17  
area, and through its generous efforts, it has earned the 18  
gratitude and respect of the many citizens it has so capably 19  
served; and 20

WHEREAS, An occasion such as this is an important milestone 21  
that represents dedication, commitment, and enduring faith. For 22  
two centuries, the members of Trinity United Church of Christ have 23  
kept their faith alive in the Wooster community, and on this 24  
special anniversary, the congregation has accepted the challenge 25  
of carrying its beliefs into the future; therefore be it 26

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 27  
Representatives of the 133rd General Assembly of Ohio, in adopting 28  
this Resolution, congratulate Trinity United Church of Christ on 29  
its Two Hundredth Anniversary and pay tribute to all those joining 30  
in the celebration of this joyous event; and be it further 31

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 32  
transmit a duly authenticated copy of this Resolution to Trinity 33  
United Church of Christ. 34