



# THE LEGAL ADVISOR

The official newsletter of Scranton Road Legal Clinic



## Join Us for Wills and Grills

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The Scranton Road Legal Clinic's past fundraiser, Wills and Waffles, was met with so much enthusiasm. Now, after a hiatus due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Clinic is bringing back a wills event. This time, people who want a will and other end of life documents can sign up for Wills and Grills. People who wish to sign up for the program can use the URL below to sign up using their web browser or call the office.

Scranton Road  
MINISTRIES C.D.C.

JOIN US FOR

**WILLS & GRILLS**

GET END OF LIFE DOCUMENTS PREPARED AND EXECUTED INCLUDING:

- SIMPLE WILL
- DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY
- HEALTHCARE DIRECTIVES

PLUS GET SOME DELICIOUS GRILLED FAVORITES LIKE HOTDOGS AND HAMBURGERS!

ALL WHILE SUPPORTING AN AMAZING NON-PROFIT!

**THURSDAY, JULY 21 2022**  
5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

@ SCRANTON ROAD BIBLE CHURCH  
3095 SCRANTON RD. CLEVELAND OH 44113

**COST \$100 PER PERSON OR \$150 PER COUPLE**  
REGISTER ONLINE @ [HTTPS://BIT.LY/WILLSANDGRILLS](https://bit.ly/willsandgrills)

## Why do I need a will?

There are many reasons why you should consider having a will.

For people with young children, a will can name guardians for the children, in the event that their parents predecease the children.

A will makes clear a person's end-of-life wishes, such as burial instructions, division of assets and property, and donations to charities upon death.

Other end of life documents, including powers of attorney and healthcare directives, inform others of your wishes with regard to healthcare (if you are ill) and legal decisions.

## Property Tax Assistance

Property owners who are having trouble paying their property taxes may qualify for a payment plan offered by the Cuyahoga County Treasurer's Office.

EasyPay allows you to make monthly property tax payments over the course of the year. If you owe back taxes, you can apply for the Delinquent Tax Payment Plan, which halts the accrual of interest on your debt. It can also prevent a foreclosure action against your home. The Homestead Exemption lowers property taxes, in some instances.

Contact the Treasurer's Office for details at 216-443-7420. You can also visit Cuyahoga Consumer Affairs online at [consumeraffairs.cuyahogacounty.us](http://consumeraffairs.cuyahogacounty.us) for more information.

## Moment of Silence and Prayer

May was wrought with innocent deaths due to violence where our brothers and sisters shop, pray, and go to school.

May we have a moment of silence in remembrance of the lives that were lost and in love for those who are mourning.



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## UNUSUAL LAWS

### *Strange Laws Around the US (Ohio)*

- The installation and usage of slot machines in outhouses is prohibited in Bexley.
- Posting signs at swimming pools is illegal in Akron.
- It's illegal to honk your horn "excessively" in Fairview Park.



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**IN-PERSON FAMILY LAW ADVICE CLINIC/WORKSHOP CONTINUES IN 2022!  
CONTACT US AT 216.861.5323 TO SIGN UP NOW! SPACE IS LIMITED.  
Also, Check our our self study workshops on our website!**

Formed in 2012, Scranton Road Legal Clinic educates and empowers our neighbors to make educated and prudent legal decisions, while providing the holistic support for the spiritual, emotional and relational problems that often accompany legal concerns. We offer brief advice via our brief advice telephone line at 216.861.5323 or via our online intake form at [www.scrantonroadministries.org/legal](http://www.scrantonroadministries.org/legal). Contact us today to discuss your legal need.