Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than on this "online" bulletin.

You may contact the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

Church phone: (419) 523-3964 prayercircle@ottawapresby.org

The congregation extends their sympathy to Carrie J. on the death of her mother, Linda C..

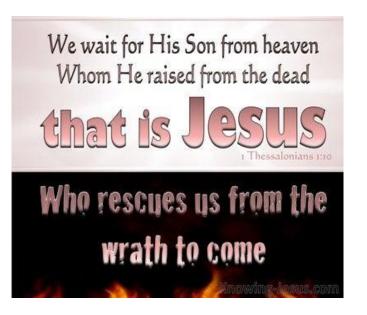
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Ottawa Presbyterian Church October 22, 2023

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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit. We welcome Rev. Amy Remaklus this morning!

GATHERING

Welcome

One: This is the day that the Lord has made.

All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: Friends gathered here on this day, the love of God our Maker is poured over you!

All: We feel our thirsting souls quenched by God's mercy and grace.

One: We are called to share God's love by our words.

All: We are called to share God's love by our compassionate actions.

One: Let us bow and proclaim God's goodness. *(pause)*

All: Let us recommit ourselves to God's work in and through us! *(pause)*

All: Amen!

*Hymn God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending #716

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: Patient God, we are so easily distracted from what you would have us be and what you would have us do. We allow ourselves to be claimed by the angry and hurting world as though we bear a stamp reflecting the hostility. You remind us that, from the beginning, your love has been available to us. Forgive us when we turn toward ignorance and

greed as ways of living in the world. Heal our wounded souls. Challenge us to be your people – strengthened and empowered to be those who bring hope through our words and actions. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #581

Prayer for Illumination

1st Scripture Reading 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE WORD

Time with the Kids

2nd Scripture Reading Matthew 22:15-22 One: The word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Your Faith in God is Known"

Rev. Amy Remaklus

RESPONSE

*Hymn Give Thanks, O Christian People #644

Joys & Concerns

The Lord's Prayer pg. 35

Call to Offering

*The Doxology #606

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

Sharing the Peace

SENDING

*Hymn #300 They Will Know We are Christians by Our Love

*Charge & Benediction

Announcements

A liturgist is needed for next Sunday, October 29, and for all of November and December.

Be the first to pick your favorite Sunday to read

A new signup sheet is posted for the nursery. Please help take a turn and sign up ©

Looking ahead:

November newsletter articles are due on Monday, October 30, by 8 am.

Please bring Food Pantry items for the month of November to decorate the pulpit with. By the end of the month, it will all be donated to the Food Pantry. In the next few weeks, there will be a basket or wagon to put these items in upstairs.

A congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, November 19, for the purpose of electing officers, and a potluck will follow.