

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

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Announcements Cont.

Quick and Nutritious Healthy Food for One or Two. Presenter Mona Lisa Hoffman from the OSU Extension Office will be held on March 27 at 10 am, at the Educational Service Center, Classroom 2. Seating is limited. Please register by March 20 to Council on Aging at 419-523-4121.

No Sunday School will be held on the Sundays of March 24 & 31st.

We have narrowed down some tee-shirt slogans and will have them on the hall bulletin board to vote. Please vote only once. Deadline is Easter. Victoria Otto has offered to use her talents to make the shirts and we will have a sign-up sheet for tee shirts when we decide the slogan.

More Announcements Cont. on Back

Spring Lunch, Bake Sale & Mini Bazaar
Ottawa Senior Center, Thursday – March 21, 2024
Lunch – 11:00 to 1:00; Bazaar – 9:00 to 1:00
Menu: Homemade Cheesy Potato Soup, Homemade Chicken Noodle Soup, Bar-b-que Pulled Pork Sandwich Platter, Hot Beef Sandwich Platter, Assorted Desserts. Carry outs are available by calling 419-523-5593. Our Bake Sale will offer homemade noodles, cakes, pies, cookies, candy and snacks.

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Ottawa Presbyterian Church
March 17, 2024
5th Sunday in Lent

150 N. Oak St.
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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.

We welcome Rev. Don Leckrone 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: Eternal God, you are the power behind all things: behind the energy of the storm, behind the heat of a million suns. Eternal God, you are the power behind all minds: behind the ability to think and reason, behind all understanding of the truth. Eternal God, you are the power behind the cross of Christ: behind the weakness, the torture and the death, behind unconquerable love. Eternal God, we worship and adore you.

All: Amen

*Hymn *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* #620

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence, or take your

Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #581

Prayer for Illumination

1st Scripture Reading Hebrews 5:5-10

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

THE WORD

Time with Kids Rev. Don Leckrone

2nd Scripture Reading John 12:20-33

One: The word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "And I, when I am lifted up"
Rev. Don Leckrone

RESPONSE

*Hymn *On Eagle's Wings* #43

Joys & Concerns

The Lord's Prayer hymnal pg. 35

Call to Offering

*The Doxology #606
Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn *The Lord Is God* #63

*Charge & Benediction

*The Peace

One: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please share the peace with one another.

Announcements

Please have the Easter Egg hunt candy to the church by tomorrow Monday, March 18, for the egg hunt on Sunday, March 24th. There is a box in the kitchen to put the candy in.

Choir will have practice on Thursday, March 21, at 7:30 pm.

Church Movie Night: Next Sunday, March 24 at 6:30 pm. Will be watching "Jesus Revolution". Popcorn and soda provided. All are welcome.

Signup sheets are now posted in the hallway for anyone willing to help/do the following:

Palm Sunday Breakfast: Next Sat. March 24 at 9 am.

Prayer Vigil: Thurs. Mar. 28 – Fri. Mar. 29

Easter flowers: Deadline to signup is on Monday, March 25th. Have to church by Sat. March 30

Expressions of Faith in Music and Art: Wednesdays at First Lutheran Church, in Leipsic. March 20:

Featured Musician will be The Rainbow Dulcimers from Bluffton. Featured Artist will be "The Bubbly Arts Club". Bruce Stowe, Mike Sarka, Gary Krouse, Heather Vennekotter, along with other artists displaying their art each week.