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.

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Sermon Notes

The Story of Shrek the Sheep



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Ottawa Presbyterian Church July 7, 2024

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Welcome to OPC! Flowers are provided by the Hirzels this morning. *The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit. *We welcome Mary Herman 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: Sing praises to the Lord, O faithful ones. Give thanks to God's holy name.
- All: God has turned our mourning into dancing, our weeping into shouts of joy.
- One: Rejoice and be glad, O people of God. Extol God's holy name.
- All: God's anger may last a moment, but God's favor endures a lifetime.
- One: Sing praises forever, O treasured ones. Proclaim the good news of God's favor.
- All: God has taken off our sackcloth and clothed us with joy.
- *Hymn Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us #187

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: Mysterious One, you send us into the world, like lambs into the midst of wolves, to proclaim your peace; you move within our hearts, stirring us to seek the welfare of those who have done us harm; you instruct us to reach out in gentleness to those who have gone astray.

Sometimes, O God, we do not feel up to it. It is hard to love our nation's enemy. It is difficult to heal those who have advocated violence. It is humbling to learn of your love for those we have been taught to despise. Forgive us. Teach us anew to follow your ways, that we too may be made whole. Amen.

- *Silent Prayer
- One: Amen

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

THE WORD

#581

Prayer for Illumination

1 st Scripture Reading One: This is the Word of the Lord All: Thanks be to God.	Psalm 23 d.	
Time with the Kids	Mary Herman	
2nd Scripture ReadingJohn 10:1-1One:The word of God for the people of God.All:Thanks be to God.		
Sermon "Sheep Tales"	Mary Herman	
RESPONSE		
Joys & Concerns		

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Call to Offering	
*The Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	#606
*Prayer of Dedication	

SENDING

*Hymn *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* #475 *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

The PNC has formalized a terms of call for Amy Remaklus to become our part time Pastor starting in August, and there is a congregational meeting planned for today, after worship, to vote on this.

A liturgist is needed for July 14th.

A volunteer is needed to provide a simple breakfast next Sunday, July 14th.

There is a t-shirt design on the bulletin board, please vote for your favorite by July 14th. Once we have the votes in we will have a t-shirt sign up to order.

The Ottawa Senior Citizens Center would like to invite you to: Lunch in the Park, July 18, 2024, 11:00am– 1:00pm. Menu includes choice of: Smoked Pork Chop Dinner (includes green beans, baked potato, and roll), Hot Beef Sandwich Tray Brats Tray, Hot Dog (regular or southern style) Tray (Trays include potato chips, Apple Sauce and dessert). Also available: Drinks & dessert. Carry outs are available by calling 419-523-5593.