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

Announcements

A volunteer(s) is needed for Operation PPP on Thursday, July 25, during the Rex. Please sign up if you can help.

Ottawa Food Pantry needs items: cereal, jelly, graham crackers, saltine/club/townhouse crackers, cooking oil & spray, pancake mix, all kinds of canned beans and juice.

August newsletter articles are due to the office by Monday, July 29th.

Just a heads up that I will be out of the office from 8/1 - 8/9. Any announcements for the bulletins for 8/3 and 8/11/August newsletter articles, please have them to me by Sunday, 7/28 or Monday, 7/29. Thanks, Andrea

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Welcome to OPC! Flowers are provided by Mike & Nancy Kaufman. *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. Let us rejoice and be glad in it. All:

Announcements

Call to Worship

- One: Can you hear the voice of God?
- We hear God calling us by name. All:
- One: Are you troubled or distressed?
- All: We come here to find a place to rest for a while
- One: Come and find a guide who knows these lands
- All: We come to praise our Shepherding God, whose pathways and doors lead to life.

*Hymn Here in This Place #401

*Prayer of Confession

One: The Lord is our shepherd....in silent prayer. (silent confession)

All: O God, though we know and trust that you are our Shepherd, we are at times consumed with our own selfish desires and wants and do not follow you; though we know and trust that you are our Provider, we are at times untrusting of your provisions and seek our own paths; though we know and trust that you are Merciful, we are at times hoarders of your mercy and dole out unmerciful words and thoughts toward others. God our Shepherd, help us to put aside our own selfish desires for wealth, resources, and power so that we

may follow you without complaint; God our Provider, help us put our trust in you and seek your path of justice, mercy, and humility; God of Mercy, help us recognize your grace, presence, comfort, and forgiveness as gifts to be shared with all whom we meet. Forgive us, O God, and lead us onward.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Glory to God

#582

Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me, and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Rev. Amy Remaklus Time with Kids Prayer/All: When the world around us is hurting, we are called by God to be the church, to care about things that God cares about. If we are the church, let us weep with those who are mourning or mistreated, let us seek justice, and let us learn to do right. Amen.

2nd Scripture Reading Mark 6:30-34 (Contemporary English Version) One: The word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God. All:

Sermon "Together in Christ" Rev. Amy Remaklus

RESPONSE

There Is Now a New Creation *Hymn #774

Prayers of Joys & Concern One: Lord, in your mercy,

All: hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Call to Offering

We are created in Christ Jesus for good works, and this is his gift to us. Let us now do the loving, good work of giving our gifts back to him. Let us bring our gifts of thanksgiving to celebrate his deeds and his wonderful works to humankind.

*The Doxology

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*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn #761 Called as Partners in Christ's Service (vs 1, 2, & 4) *Benediction & Charge *Sharing the Peace One: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you. All: And also with you. One: Please share signs of peace.

1st Scripture Reading (Disciples' Literal New Testament)

Ephesians 2:11-22