

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, or you may also email prayer requests to prayercircle@ottawapresby.org or amyremaklus@yahoo.com.

Announcements

Quarter Auction is this Thursday, October 3rd. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Nancy has tickets to sell.

World Communion Sunday and Food Pantry Sunday is next Sunday, October 6th.

Save the Date: Hayride, Saturday, October 26 at 6pm at the Riepenhoff's, 12503 Road G12, Ottawa Ohio. Bring a pumpkin to decorate. Chili and hot dogs provided. Bring a blanket to sit on the straw bales on the wagon if desired. Invite people! Friends and kids all welcome.

GIFT OF GRAIN: Area farmers your gift of grain to LifeWise Academy Ottawa-Glandorf will help support Bible Education for Public School Students during school hours. Gifting grain permits you to donate without being personally taxed on the income, allowing you to give and save! Notify your local grain elevator at time of delivery a dollar

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amount or number of bushels you would like to donate and specify your donation to LifeWise Academy Ottawa-Glandorf(P.O. Box 492, Ottawa, OH 45875). A receipt will be mailed to each farmer acknowledging their donation to LifeWise Academy Ottawa-Glandorf.

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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.

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: The invitation from Jesus is to "Come! Follow me! Be my disciples!"

All: We come to this place and time at the invitation of Jesus Christ.

One: In the name of Christ, we accept the invitation to discipleship.

All: In the name of Christ, we worship and praise God.

One: In the midst of a world where cruelty and despair abound, we proclaim the God of compassion and hope.

All: In the midst of difference and apathy, we proclaim the God of love.

One: Come, let us worship together and share our witness of God's compassion, hope, love, and living presence in the world.

*Hymn *God is Calling Through the Whisper* #410

*Prayer of Confession

One: O God, we have been indifferent to those you have placed in our life journeys.

All: Forgive us and help us to demonstrate your compassion in the world.

One: O God, we have despaired over local, political, familial, relational, and other concerns.

All: Forgive us and lead us with your hope in

places where all seems hopeless.

One: O God, our hearts are hardened by life's challenges and despair.

All: Forgive us, soften our hearts, and open us to your graceful presence during our everyday lives.

One: Our lives are not our own, we know.

All: Let us live and move and have our being in you, O God.

One: With faith and trust, we make this communal confession to God. Let us continue now in a moment of silent prayer.

*Silent Prayer: Amen

*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

1st Scripture Reading Psalm 24

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids Rev. Amy Remaklus

2nd Scripture Reading Luke 5:1-11

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. Amy

"What Will Our Stewardship Look Like at OPC"

RESPONSE

*Hymn *From the Nets of Our Labor* #751

Prayers of Joy & Concern

All: To God be all the praise and glory!
Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Lord's Prayer

On screen

Call to Offering

We have reflected on the calling of the first disciples, and we have been challenged to examine our own lives and responses to God's invitation. Let us now make our offerings to God in response to God's invitation.

*The Doxology #606
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here below. Praise God above, ye heavenly host. Praise the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Closing Hymn #726
Will You Come and Follow Me

*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.