

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

Kirkmont Sunday, worship by the youth, will be on 11/24. We will be doing worship in Fellowship Hall. Everyone is encouraged to bring a lawn chair and dress comfy/casual as if they were at church camp. We want everyone to experience a Kirkmont worship service, so we are bringing one to the congregation! Also, if anyone has old Kirkmont shirts and want to wear those that Sunday are welcome to. This summer's theme was "Linked by Love". A small snack after the service will be provided just like they would at camp. Please note: there will not be FaceBook live that day.

December newsletter article deadline is Monday, November 25th.

A poinsettias signup sheet is on the bulletin board if you would like to provide one to decorate the sanctuary. Please signup by Dec. 4th.

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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: Center us, O God, to worship you today.

All: Be our stronghold, grant us calm.

One: Give us joyful hearts and ready minds, that we may be open to your grace.

All: Amen.

*Hymn *Great is Thy Faithfulness* #39

*Prayer of Confession

All: Merciful God, when lashed by life's windstorms we often lash out in return. Forgive us when we blame you or others for our troubles. Teach us to find you in the eye of the storm. Show us the calm center that comes from your word of peace.

*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 1 Samuel 1:4-11 (NIV)

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids Rev. Amy

2nd Scripture Reading Mark 13

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Watch" Rev. Amy

RESPONSE

*Hymn *In an Age of Twisted Values* #345

Prayers of Joy & Concern

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

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come; your will be done on earth as it is heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation and deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever.

Call to Offering

We thank our God for the many ways that gifts are bestowed upon us, and we ask for God's guidance as we offer our gifts in God's service. Let us offer our gifts to God.

*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 #353

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

*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.

Announcements

A congregational meeting/conversation (questions in newsletter and on hallway table) will be held today. A harvest/stewardship potluck will be following the congregational meeting.

Choir practice will begin on Monday, Nov. 18, from 7:30-8:30pm. Please see Chas if you're interested in singing.

If you would like to help decorate the sanctuary for Advent/Christmas, please join us on Tuesday, Nov. 26 at 6 pm. We will also have a soup meal, so if you are able, please bring some chili (to add to the master pot) or vegetable soup. More information is in the November newsletter that was emailed out.

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