

## 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](mailto:prayercircle@ottawapresby.org) or [amyremaklus@yahoo.com](mailto:amyremaklus@yahoo.com).

### Announcements

Our congregational meeting and conversation will be held today, following worship.

February newsletter articles are due to the office by tomorrow, Monday, January 27<sup>th</sup>.

Rev. Amy will be in the office tomorrow, January 27, to continue the use of the building for prayer and conversations from 4 -7 pm.

Bible Study, tomorrow, January 27, at 6:30 pm on Zoom or in Fellowship Hall.

A liturgist is needed for next Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>.

A new directory will be forthcoming in late January/early February. Please get any corrections to the office by January 29<sup>th</sup>.

Beach Party in Fellowship Hall – Saturday, February 22, from 6-8 pm. Come dressed in your favorite beach/Hawaiian attire for games, food and fun! Bring your beach towel. A signup sheet for snacks will be posted on the bulletin board. Please see Robyn or Becky with questions.

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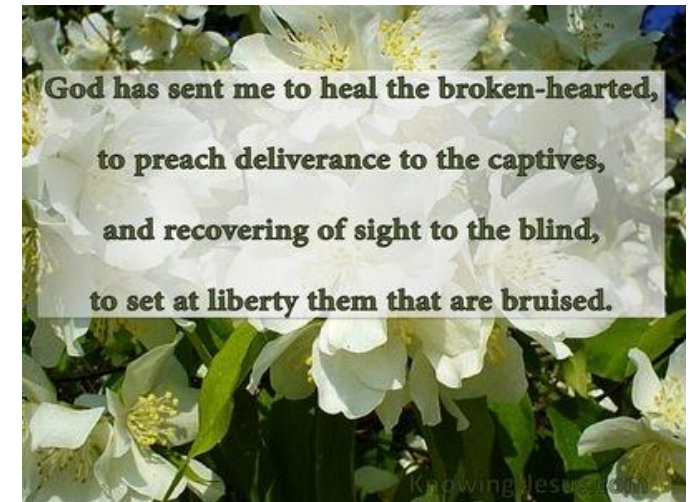
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Welcome to OPC!

\*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: Our wondrous God, on this holy day, has gathered us together once again to celebrate God's presence among us.

All: We gather to praise and thank our God for all God has given us!

One: May this time of worship strengthen and refresh us,

All: and fill us with such joy that we cannot help but share it with everyone around us!

One: Though we are very different people, with many different talents and gifts,

All: we are one in God's Spirit, united as ministers of God's word to the world. Amen.

\*Hymn *God of Great and God of Small* #19

\*Invitation to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession

All: Ever present God, you call us to be your presence, your body in this world, but too often we get caught up in being a hand or a foot, and lose sight of the overarching mission you set before us. We fracture into pieces. We go our separate ways, forgetting we need each other to be whole. O God of liberation and justice, help us work together to be faithful witnesses to your love and unity that transcends all divisions.

\*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

1<sup>st</sup> Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 12:12-31 (NIV)

One: This is the Word of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids Rev. Amy

2<sup>nd</sup> Scripture Reading Luke 4:14-21 (NRSVUE)

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Jesus' Ministry" Rev. Amy

## RESPONSE

\*Hymn *We Are One in the Spirit* #300

Prayers of Joy & Concern

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

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin

against us. Lead us not into temptation and deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever.

Call to Offering

*God distributes gifts to each of us just as God determines. And just as a body has many parts, so, too, does the church, which is the body of Christ. We thank God for the gifts that help this body work effectively. Let us share our gifts of thanksgiving, praise, and service with our God. If you're a guest, do not feel obligated to give. Your gift of your presence today is gift enough.*

\*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 #852

*When the Lord Redeems the Very Least*

\*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.