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 Continued

Bible Study will continue March 10, at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall or by Zoom.

Your invited! 90th Birthday Party for Janice Gordon at Sycamore Lake Winery, Columbus Grove, on her birthday, Saturday, March 15, Noon till 2. Some of their snacks will be

provided and some bottles of their wine, but otherwise buy your own. No gifts please – just cards in BIG letters. This is not a surprise.

Putnam Pet Pals will be holding their annual Quarter Auction on Friday, March 28 starting at 7 PM at the Ottawa VFW. The VFW will also be serving fish dinners that evening, so bring your quarters and support two local organizations in one night! The money raised from the quarter auction helps fund PPP's many missions, which include supporting local dog and cat spay/neuter procedures, supplying dog and cat food to the Ottawa Food Pantry, and fostering homeless dogs. Talk to Lynne for more information.

Summer Camp Info

It's not too early to start planning for Kirkmont!
Information on summer camps can be found on the kirkmontcenter.org website or by clicking on this link: https://www.kirkmontcenter.org/summer-camps/

Also, this is the year for the Presbyterian USA Triennium for youth entering high school next fall through youth completing their senior year of high school. This is an amazing experience and one that is sure to make an impact on all attendees. More information can be found at:

https://presbyterianyouthtriennium.org/.

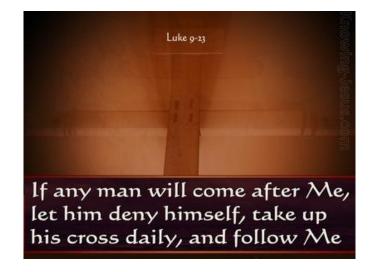
Any youth from OPC that would like to attend either or both of these opportunities can apply for a scholarship through our Sewell Scholarship Fund. Scholarship forms can be found under the tab "Presby Papers" on the ottawapresby.org website, or by clicking on this link: https://ottawapresby.org/wp-

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Scholarship applications are due on April 27. Applications can be scanned and emailed to Lynne Hirzel at hirzel506@gmail.com, or given to her at church.

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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.

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord our God and King! Glorious and powerful is the God of all creation!

All: In reverent awe, we gather to worship our God.

One: The Lord our God is king and the just judge of all things for all eternity, people, and places.

All: In reverent awe, we gather to praise our God.

One: The Lord our God is king and the forgiving God! *Fairness* and *justice* are the names of our God. All: In reverent awe, we gather to worship our God. Amen.

*Hymn Lord, the Light of Your Love is Shining #192

*Prayer of Confession

One: We thank God for God's written word and the glories it contains. However, there are times when we become complacent and fail to listen deeply or act according to the lessons God has for us. Let us confess the ways in which we have fallen short of God's calling.

All: God, sometimes we think we are so smart. We are so familiar with you and the truths you have stored for us in your written word and in our lived

experiences that we fail to listen well, fail to look with your eyes, fail to feel with your heart. Help us to try anew to read your word written in Scripture and hear your word proclaimed in our daily lives with childlike expectation and deep-seated sense of awe. May we increasingly see the beauty of Jesus; may we gaze upon his loveliness; and may we be transformed by his glory.

*Silent Prayer: Amen

*Words of Assurance

*Glory to God

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THE WORD

1st Scripture Reading Exodus 34:29-35

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids Pastor Amy

2nd Scripture Reading Luke 9:22-36

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "The Glory of God" Pastor Amy

RESPONSE

*Hymn #193

Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain (vs. 1 − 3, 5)

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 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

*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 Be Thou My Vision #450

*Benediction & Charge

*Sharing the Peace

One: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Let us share signs of peace.

Announcements

A liturgist is needed for March 9th.

Pastor Amy's Spring break is this week. She will be available by phone and here on Sunday.

We will start Lent with a very short service here in the sanctuary today, following our regular Sunday worship. There is no Ash Wednesday service.

World Day of Prayer service will be held at St. John Catholic Church in Glandorf, on Friday, March 7 at 11 am. A light luncheon will follow.

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