Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than in 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.

Announcements

Liturgists are needed for July 20 & 27th.

Ottawa Senior Expo will be held on Friday, August 1, from 8:30am – 11:30am at Ottawa Elementary. It is a free community event featuring: Complimentary breakfast, Door prizes and Live entertainment.

The Friends of the Putnam County Library are sponsoring a bus trip September 18 to La Comedia dinner theater. We will be seeing Legally Blonde, the Musical. Cost is \$115 and includes transportation, buffet, show, and tips. For information or to sign up, call/text Nancy Ruhe at 419.231.0531.

Angels in the Attic – Hosted by PC Habitat for Humanity, Apostle Build Partner Churches: Pick up a cut-out angel, from the table in fellowship hall, and add your own blessing, drawing, or scripture to it. It will be placed in the attic and other locations of the partner family's new home! Please return to the Habitat office.

Pulpit Supply for Sunday, July 13 is Rev. Ann Wasson.



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Welcome to OPC!

Flowers this morning are provided by the Doepkers. *The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit. We welcome Leslee Kirkconnell this morning and her daughter, Heather, who is playing the music!

GATHERING

Welcome

One: In Christ we are no longer strangers,

All: We are members of the household of God!

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: With what shall we come before the Holy

One,

All: and bow ourselves before God on high?

One: God has shown us what is good.

All: What does the Holy One require of us,

One: but to do justice,

All: and to love kindness,

One: and to walk humbly with our God?

All: Let us worship God together!

*Hymn Let Us Build a House #301

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: We confess to you, Lord, what we are: we are not the people we like others to think we are; we are afraid to admit even to ourselves what lies in the depths of our souls. But we do not want to hide our true selves from you. We believe that you know us as we are, and yet you still love us. Help us not to shrink from self-knowledge; teach us to respect ourselves for your sake; give us the courage to put our trust in your guiding power. Raise us out of the paralysis of guilt and fear and take us into the

freedom and energy of forgiven people. Through Jesus Christ we pray, Amen.

*Silent Prayer: Amen

*Words of Assurance

*Glory to God #582 & On screen

THE WORD

Old Testament Reading Psalm 66:1-9

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids Leslee Kirkconnell

New Testament Reading Galatians 6:1-16

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Between Paradox & Faith"

Leslee Kirkconnell

RESPONSE

*Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles Creed All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of the saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Hymn This Is My Song #340

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

*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 Go to the World! #295

*Benediction & Charge

The Peace

One: May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be

with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Let us share signs of peace.

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