

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 Cont.

December is our month to help at the Food Pantry. Volunteers are needed for Mondays of December 8 & 15, and Tuesdays of December 9 & 16, to help with sorting food or helping customers with selecting their items. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board.

Advent Food Pantry Drive: Join OPC in collecting selected food items that the Food Pantry needs. If you wish to participate, bring your items to church each Sunday in Advent.

Today: Toilet Paper & bar soap

12/7: Boxed cereal and small oatmeal containers

12/14: Hamburger Helper, baked beans, and canned potatoes

12/21: Canned pineapple & canned peaches

Congregational Mtg will be held on Sunday, December 14, after worship.

Senior Citizen Gift Bags are due back to the church on Sunday, December 14th.

Pulpit Supply for December 7 is Leslee Kirkconnell.

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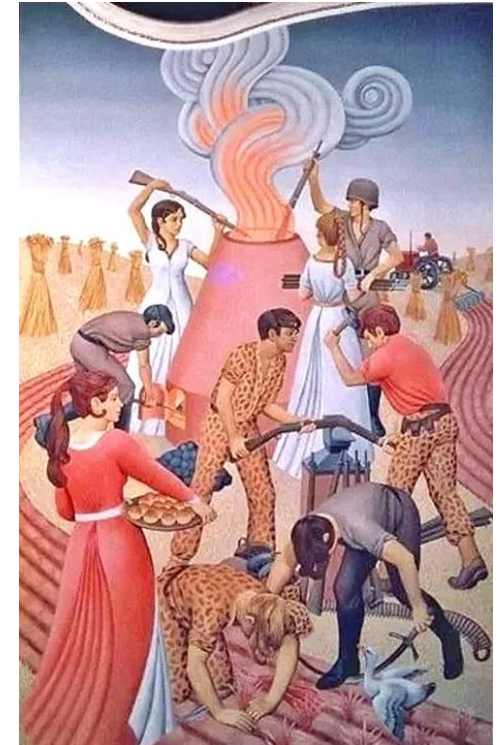
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1st Sunday of Advent
November 30, 2025

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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.
We welcome Leslee Kirkconnell this morning!

GATHERING

Welcome

One: Jesus says: I am coming soon.
All: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

Announcements

Call to Worship (from Isaiah 35)

One: Strengthen the weak hands and make firm
the feeble knees.
All: Say to those who are of a fearful heart, Be
strong, do not fear!
One: Here is your God.
All: He will come with vengeance, with terrible
recompense.
One: He will come and save you.
All: Come let us worship God!

Lighting of the Advent Wreath Becky R.
Lighting the Flame of Hope

*Hope: Oh, that You would rend the heavens and
come down, that the mountains would tremble
before You! Restore us, O God; make Your face
shine upon us, that we may be saved.*

*Hymn *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel* #88

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: God of the future: you are coming in power to
bring nations under your rule. We confess that we
have not expected your kingdom. We have lived
casual lives, and ignored your promised judgment.
Oh God we deserve your judgment for we have
been slow to serve you. Forgive us for the sake of

your faithful servant Jesus, our Savior, whose
triumph we want and eagerly await. Hear our silent
prayers of confession:

*Silent Prayer: Amen

*Words of Assurance

*Glory to God #582 & On screen

Choir Anthem *Comfort & Joy*

THE WORD

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 2:1-5
One: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids Leslee Kirkconnell

New Testament Reading Romans 13:11-14
One: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "We're Invited" Leslee Kirkconnell

RESPONSE

*Litany for Advent On screen

*Hymn *Savior of the Nations, Come* #102

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 forever.

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 #83
Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus

*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.

Announcements

Decorating the sanctuary for Advent/Christmas will
take place tonight at 5:30pm. Pizza included 😊

Choir practice will be held on Thursday, Dec. 4 at
7:30pm.

Decorate the sanctuary with poinsettias: If you
would like to provide a poinsettia for the Christmas
season, please sign up on the sheet on bulletin
board by December 4th. Please specify if it is In
Honor or if In Memory of someone. Have
poinsettias to the church by Friday, December 5th.

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