

## 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](mailto:prayercircle@ottawapresby.org).

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Welcome to OPC!

\*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.

### GATHERING

Welcome

One: We belong to God.

All: Whom alone we worship and serve!

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear?

All: The Lord is the stronghold of my life: of whom shall I be afraid?

One: One thing I asked of the Lord, to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

All: "Come," my heart says, "seek the face of the Lord." Your face, Lord, do I seek. Let us worship God together!

\*Hymn *Christ, Be Our Light* #314

\*Call to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession

All: If we claim to have fellowship with Christ, yet walk in darkness, we are liars. If we claim to possess the light, but hide it under a bushel, of what use is such wisdom to the world? If we rest secure in our abundance, while others around us go hungry and their lives are imperiled, what has become of our call to share the good news? You know our inmost selves, O God. We cannot hide from you. Forgive our betrayal of your Son, and restore us to fellowship with Him.

\*Silent Prayer: Amen

\*Words of Assurance

\*Glory to God

#582 & On screen

### THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 9:1-4 & Psalm 27:1, 4-9

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with Kids

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New Testament Reading

Matthew 4:12-23

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *"Nothing Ordinary about Ordinary Time"*

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### RESPONSE

\*Affirmation of Faith

On screen

\*Hymn

*Arise, Your Light Is Come*

#744

Prayers of the People/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

#662

*Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies*

\*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

February newsletter articles are due to the office on Monday, January 26<sup>th</sup>.

Congregational meeting will take place after church on Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.

The church directory will be updated this month. Please get any updates (name change, email, taken out, etc.) to the office. Thanks!

Posted on the bulletin board is a paper with birthdays/anniversaries on it. Please take the time to verify your birthday/anniversary, your family's name are on it, a change needs to be made, or if you want taken off or a family member taken off.

Save the Date: Soup and games time after church on Sunday March 1<sup>st</sup>. Bring games to play. Sign up if you want to bring soup or crackers.

Leslee Kirkconnell is happy to be here as your Lay Pastor. To contact her with pastoral concerns, desire for a visit, prayer, feel free to email [pastor@ottawapresby.org](mailto:pastor@ottawapresby.org) or call/text 352-339-1950 (please leave a message). She is also generally in the office on Monday and Wednesday.