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Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News August 9, 2017

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The Presbytery OF SCIOTO VALLEY

Presbytery Mission and Vision Statement

God calls us through the Holy Spirit to connect with each other to plant, grow and nurture vital, faithful communities of Christ for service and ministry.

*In response we build partnerships,
communicate with and support congregations,
leaders and individuals,
and embody Christ's transforming love in the world.*

Presbytery Calendar

AUGUST

Sunday, August 13

2-4 pm

Session Record Reviews
Jackson First PC

Monday, August 14

3 pm

PSV Commission for
Presbytery Operations
(CPO)

Tuesday, August 15

4 pm

PSV Coordinating Team
(CT)

Wednesday, August 16

9 am

Inquirers/Candidates
Care Task Team

10 am

PSV Older Adult
Ministry
Task Team

Sunday, August 20

Marysville First
Presbyterian Church
4 pm

Oromia Evangelical Presbyterian Fellowship..... This week's congregation lifted up in prayer



Zegeye
Hambissa

The Oromia Presbyterian Ethiopian Faith Fellowship, under the pastoral leadership of Commissioned pastor Zegeye Hambissa, was formed by the Presbytery over seven years ago to reach out to immigrant populations in Columbus and the surrounding area, while encouraging the Oromia members to grow and develop as Christians. Pastor Zegeye is a graduate of Trinity Lutheran Seminary and an

Inquirer in the ordination process in Scioto Valley. This small community of faithful Christians continues to worship and carry forward their mission to serve as the hands of God.

Presbytery-wide Fall Youth Rally in New Setting! Saturday, September 30, Noon-3 pm Pickerington Prince of Peace Presbyterian Church

Join youth groups from central and southern Ohio as presbytery youth come together for an afternoon of food, fun and fellowship to kick off the 2017-18 program year. Cost \$10 per person.



Play: There will be group games, inflatables and a video game truck where you can play w/20+ friends!

Watch: OSU v. Rutgers on a big outdoor screen.

Installation of
The Reverend
Jeffrey A. Schooley
as Pastor

Monday, August 21
1 pm
PSV Nominating
Committee

Tuesday, August 22
11:30 am
Partners in Education
(PIE) Planning Team
meeting

1 pm
PSV Commission for
Nurture and Outreach

**Wednesday,
August 23**
Noon
Hanging Rock Area
Church Professionals
Lunch Gathering
"Arch and Eddie's"
Jackson

**Saturday,
August 26**
10 am
Presbyterian Women
(PW) in Scioto Valley
Lancaster First
Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 27
3 pm
PSV Older Adult
Rally Day Event
Overbrook
Presbyterian Church

Monday, August 28
12:30
PSV Commission for
Church Professionals

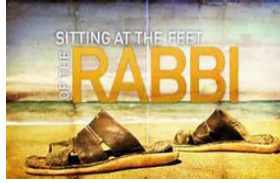
Biblical Book Sets Available!

Anchor Bible:
Old Testament (51
volumes),
Apocrypha (8 volumes),
New Testament (27
volumes).

*Ancient Christian
Commentary on*

Where: Pickerington Prince of Peace Presbyterian Church,
895 Diley Road, Pickerington.

PSV Older Adult Rally, Sunday, August 27, 3-6 pm
Sponsored by the Older Adult Ministry Team



All are invited to gather at Overbrook Presbyterian Church, 4131 N. High St., Columbus, OH. Cost: \$5 per person (includes refreshments.) Registration begins at 2:30 p.m. - All Ages are Welcome! Guest leader, Rabbi Cary Kozberg, is a very captivating speaker. He is the former Director of Religious Life at Wexner Heritage Village, a senior residential care facility in Columbus. Rabbi Kozberg is also a past chair of the Forum on Religion, Spirituality and Aging, a constituent group of the American Society on Aging. Flyer and registration information are available on the presbytery website: www.psvonline.org

Presbyterian Women (PW) in PSV
Summer Gathering, August 26, 10 am

Lancaster First Presbyterian Church will be hosting the Summer Gathering of PW in the Presbytery. The featured speaker will be Melissa Bane Sevier, author of the new Horizons Bible Study, *Cloud of Witnesses: The Community of Christ in Hebrews*. Melissa will also lead a workshop on study helps for leaders. For questions, or further information, contact: Louise Davidson, PWPSV Newsletter Editor/Communicator, 5823 Rushwood Drive, Dublin, OH 43017-8698, 614-792-1289 or L.davidson@sbcglobal.net

News from around the Presbytery...

The Shandas move to Kentucky...

Farewell and best wishes to Ginny and Mark Shanda. Ginny, Past Moderator of the Presbytery, and a recent graduate of the certified ruling elder program, and husband Mark will be moving to Lexington, Kentucky where Mark will be the Dean of the College of Fine Arts at the University of Kentucky. The Shandas, elders in the St. Andrew Presbyterian Church in Columbus, have faithfully served the Presbytery of Scioto Valley in many ways over the past 30 years. We will surely miss them!



CRE Ginny Shanda

Wilkesville First Presbyterian Church... will have the honor of welcoming the three teachers of the "Fairfield County Strings and Keyboards (FCSK)" to their service this Sunday, August 13 at 10 am. FCSK is a 501-C3 nonprofit foundation dedicated to providing stringed musical instruction to Fairfield County children, now serving 130 students per week. They have acquired numerous donated instruments, written grants for a free lending library of music, and provide musical scholarships to those unable to pay for lessons. The three teachers will be playing a variety of music - both religious and classical. All are cordially invited to attend the service this Sunday, August

Scripture
(Old Testament,
Apocrypha, New
Testament), Thomas
Oden, ed., InterVarsity
Press, (29 volumes)

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13, 10 am at the Wilkesville Presbyterian Church, 107
South High Street, Wilkesville.

Columbus Brookwood Presbyterian Church News...

The Brookwood Academy, a school focused on serving special needs students in grades 4-12, is in need of a part-time English teacher. An individual with English credits and a bachelors degree may be able to become a licensed teacher while serving as a long term substitute teacher. For more information, contact Ellen Wristen by email: ellen_wristen@yahoo.com.

All New Presbytery Website will be Live August 15!

A new, user-friendly website, designed to meet the many and diverse needs of our congregations, members and pastors, is in the final stages of development and updating by the website work team, under the leadership of Lorel Au, presbytery staff and volunteers. For needed forms and information, visit the presbytery's temporary website: www.psvonline.org.

The Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Weekly Email News...

News is normally sent out mid-week. If you would like to share information about your congregation and its mission and ministry activities, please email them by Wednesday morning to: jeannie@psvonline.org. Items are included and edited as space allows.

For the latest news and information from the Presbytery of Scioto Valley and its churches, visit www.psvonline.org. Telephone: 614-847-0565 or 800-244-7207; Fax: 614-847-4359

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