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## Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News April 25, 2018

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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**

#### **APRIL**

#### Thursday, April 26

11:30 am
Rusty Bucket in Clintonville
Gathering of Christian
Educators

in Scioto Valley Presbytery RSVP to Mary Gause mgause@overbrookchurch.org

#### Saturday, April 28 Central College PC Westerville

9:30 am Registration 10 am Program Presbyterian Women in PSV Spring Gathering

### MAY

#### Thursday, May 3 National Day of Prayer

worlddayofprayer.net

Sunday, May 6

#### Prayer for the Day...



Life-giving God, you have made us in your image and asked us to carry it well, mirroring your love for the world. Make us good neighbors who recognize your image in all people. Amen.

(The Green Bible Devotional: A Book of Daily Readings by Carla Barnhill)

## PSV Commission for Nurture and Outreach (CNO) Announces a new "PSV Global Missions Network"

Is your congregation already engaged in global missions, wanting to become more involved with global missions, or willing to help others learn about and become involved in global missions?

If so, plans are unfolding for a new "PSV Global Missions Network" of representatives from all congregations in our presbytery that wish to support, encourage, and inform one another about opportunities and healthy models of mission involvement.



Global Missions Network Meeting in Worthington
On March 12, fourteen people from across the presbytery,
met at the Worthington Presbyterian Church to begin
planning for a larger "gathering" of congregational

Older Adult Week Begins

#### Monday, May 7

12:30

PSV Commission for Church Professionals (CCP)

3 pm PSV Commission for Congregational Life (CCL)

#### Tuesday, May 8

12:30 PSV Staff Meeting

#### Monday, May 14

3 pm

PSV Commission for Presbytery Operations (CPO)

#### Tuesday, May 15 Stated Meeting The Presbytery of Scioto Valley

3:30 pm First Presbyterian Church, Fredericktown

#### Thursday, May 17

10 am

PSV Certified Ruling Elder (CRE) Task Team

#### Tuesday, May 22

1 pm

PSV Commission for Nurture and Outreach (CNO)

#### Wednesday, May 23

Noon

Hanging Rock Area Church Professionals Lunch and Conversation Arch and Eddies in Jackson

Presbyterian Women (PW)
in the Presbytery of
Scioto Valley
SPRING GATHERING
Saturday, April 28

Central College Presbyterian Church, 975 S. Sunbury Rd., Westerville, will host the Presbyterian Women's Spring Gathering. For further information, see the PW newsletter on the Presbytery website: <a href="https://www.psvonline.org">www.psvonline.org</a>

Prayers and warm thoughts...

representatives to meet ahead of the November 27 meeting of the Presbytery in Logan. The planning process for this "PSV Global Missions Network" will continue on May 15, 1:15 pm, on the day of the Presbytery Meeting in Fredericktown. If your congregation/missions committee would like to join in a focus on Global Missions, come and join us at 1:15 p.m. at the Fredericktown First Presbyterian Church on May 15. For additional information, contact Rev. Bruce Kreutzer at <a href="mailto:kreutzerbruce@gmail.com">kreutzerbruce@gmail.com</a>, Rev. Ginny Teitt, Co-Leaders of the PSV Global Missions Network, or Rev. Les Sauer, CNO liaison.

## Congregational News and Events around the Presbytery...

**Grandview Heights Boulevard Presbyterian Church,** 1235 Northwest Boulevard, Grandview... is having a rummage sale on May 4, from 3-7 and Saturday 8-3. 100% of the profits will be used for our 2019 international mission trip. Food will be available. Please come and support our ability to serve all of God's children.

**Delaware West Berlin Presbyterian Church,** 2911 Berlin Station Road...invites all to come and join them for a Free Chicken Noodle Dinner this Friday, April 27, 4:30 - 7 pm. There is no charge, but donations are accepted to help support the church's mission ministries.

Jackson First Presbyterian Church Hosts Healthy Boundaries Training for Pastors...

Ministry Colleagues in Photo (Left to Right)... James Shuman, Randy Terry, Annie Melick, Kay Puckett, Charlsie Ramsey, Rob Martin, Dorothy Faulkner, Allison Bauer, Carson Hunt, Sally Robinson, Mark Johnson, David Faulkner, Joe Fields Pastors in the Hanging Rock area of the Presbytery gathered in Jackson for a day of training and a time of fellowship. The Healthy Boundaries Training, a requirement for all pastors in active ministry,

provides an opportunity to discover the importance of maintaining appropriate and respectful boundaries.

#### **Pentecost Offering on May 20**

Your gift to the Pentecost Offering helps the church encourage, develop, and support its young people, and address the needs of at-risk children. 40% of the Pentecost offering can be retained by individual congregations wanting to make an impact in the lives of young people within their own community. The remaining 60% is used to support ministries of the Presbyterian Mission Agency, which include Young Adult Volunteers, Ministries for Youth, Children-at-Risk and Pentecost Offering Financials. Pentecost resources can be found at: <a href="https://www.presbyterianmission.org">https://www.presbyterianmission.org</a>.



The Rev. Wayne Weiss, honorably retired pastor, who is experiencing medical challenges.

#### 2018-2019 PC(USA) Planning Calendars Order Now!

This 19-month calendar contains many planning aids for pastors and other church leaders, including lectionary information for Sundays and special days, liturgical days, liturgical colors, resource information for PC(USA) programmatic emphases, updated synod, presbytery and General Assembly Presbyterian staff directories, and synod/presbytery maps. Cost: \$8.50. To order, email: dagmar@psvonline.org, or call the Presbytery Office, 614-847-0565.

#### 2018 Annual Fall Church Professionals Retreat

#### Mark your calendars...

This year's retreat for church professionals will feature the Reverend Dr. Kenneth McFayden, Professor of Ministry and Leadership at the Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, Virginia. Ken will lead the retreat on the topic of "Strategic Leadership in Times"



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of Change". This is about our everyday lives! Plan now to attend this popular retreat at Deer Creek State Park Lodge, November 4-6, 2018.

## **Feasting on the Word** Online Store is Moving to... **The Thoughtful Christian...**

The 2018-2019 Season of Curriculum is now available to purchase at <u>The Thoughtful Christian</u> website.

## **Covenant Gathering at Geneva Center in Indiana** A Summer Program for all ages...

This annual gathering for families and persons of all ages will be held July 8-13 at the Geneva Center near Rochester, Indiana. This year's theme will be "Rooted and Grounded in Love". For more information and registration information, see the website: <a href="https://www.covenantgathering.com">www.covenantgathering.com</a>

#### 2018 Per Capita for our Presbytery...

Per capita is the way we financially support and strengthen the connections of our work with congregations, maintain our theological identity and further the mission of the church in our communities and around the world. The 2018 per capita is \$33 per member. This \$33 is made up of:

- Presbytery of Scioto Valley \$22.02
- General Assembly of the PC(USA) \$7.73
- Synod of the Covenant \$3.25

#### Sustainable Development Goals to Transform our World for the Future...

Seventeen global goals were adopted in September 2015 by the member states of the United Nations to work for dignity and equality for all in a healthy environment.

Final Goal, #17, Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development!



The Presbytery of Scioto Valley(PSV) Stated Meetings for 2018
May 15, 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - First Presbyterian Church, Fredericktown
September 18, 3:30 p.m. -7:30 p.m. - First Presbyterian Church, Grove City
November 27, 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - First Presbyterian Church, Logan

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