

Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News April 4, 2018

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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

Sunday, April 8 Self-Development of People (SDOP) Sunday See: <u>www.pcusa.org/sdop</u> for resources.

Monday, April 9

Overbrook Presbyterian Church 4131 N. High St., Col.

12:30 PSV Commission for Church Professionals (CCP)

2 pm Presbytery Special Called Meeting to address an overture to the 223rd General Assembly from the Presbytery of Cincinnati. (Information on the Presbytery Website: www.psvonline.org)

3 pm PSV Commission for Presbytery Operations

Meditation...

From: Seize The Day with Dietrich Bonhoeffer by Charles Ringma

"The safest place is not so much where we are but who is keeping us."

Congregational News and Events...

Columbus Covenant Presbyterian Church, 2070 Ridgecliff Rd., Upper Arlington...will offer a Christian Songwriters Workshop with Randy Cox, editor and publisher from Nashville, April 27 - 28. Cost is \$55. Randy Cox began his life as a publisher of Christian music in 1976, after years of music ministry in churches in Memphis, Orange County, CA and Nashville. Randy's recordings include Dove Award and Grammy Award winning records. As a composer and lyricist, his choral pieces are published by over a dozen print publishers including Oxford University Press. For more information, visit the church website: www.covenantpcusa.org, or call the church: 614-451-6677.



(CPO)

Wednesday, April 11 10 am PSV Older Adult Ministry Task Team

Tuesday, April 17 4 pm PSV Coordinating Team (CT)

Sunday, April 22 Earth Day www.pcusa.org/earthday

Tuesday, April 24 1 pm PSV Commission for Nurture and Outreach

Wednesday, April 25 9-4 First Presbyterian Church in Jackson Healthy Boundaries Training 101 To Sign up, Email: Dagmar@psvonline.org

Noon Hanging Rock Area Church Professionals Lunch Arch and Eddies, Jackson

Saturday, April 28 Central College PC Westerville

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

COMING IN MAY Tuesday, May 15 Presbytery Meeting 3:30 pm First Presbyterian Church, Fredericktown



Prayers of Gratitude... for the Life and Ministry of the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Prayers for...

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Eastminster Presbyterian Church...members and friends gathered to spend Easter morning celebrating our risen Lord and the congregation's years of faithful ministry and mission in their church building on East Broad St. The congregation, which sold their church building in 2017, will now be nesting in the Brookwood Presbyterian Church, 2685 East Livingston Ave., Columbus.

Columbus Indianola Presbyterian Church...The Miami University Collegiate Chorale will be presenting a FREE concert at Indianola Presbyterian Church, 1970 Waldeck Ave., Columbus at 7:30 pm on Friday, April 6.

Newark Woodside Presbyterian Church...is inviting all to a baked steak dinner on Friday, April 13, 4:30 pm-6:30 pm, at the Woodside Presbyterian Church, 295 Woods Avenue, Newark (740) 345-3742. The menu includes baked steak, homemade mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, coleslaw, bread, dessert, and a beverage. Carryout is available. \$9 minimum donation...Weather Permitting...

Outville Presbyterian Church... *Cyber-Security & What You Should Know...* Thursday, April 19, 7:00 pm, Outville Presbyterian Church, 6463 Outville Rd., Pataskala. Presenter: Cathy Ritchie. Participants will gain confidence in understanding how to best avoid being defrauded by cybercriminals. Questions- contact Alice Karen Hite at 740-587-1621, or email: <u>akhite@roadrunner.com</u>

Portsmouth Second Presbyterian Church, 801 Waller Street...Chancel Choir will join with the Shawnee State University Choir and Chorale for a concert to be presented in the church sanctuary on April 22nd, at 7 p.m. The choir of nearly 60 voices will be accompanied by a chamber orchestra, harp, percussion and organ, under the direction of Dr. Stanley Workman, Jr., director of music/organist of Second Presbyterian Church, and director of choirs at Shawnee State University. The concert is free and open to the public. All are welcome.

Worthington Presbyterian Church, 773 High St., will be featuring Dr. Linda Mercadante on Tuesday, April 10 at 7 pm. She will be addressing questions including why people do not claim any religious affiliation, and what is keeping people from a church? Dr. Mercadante, professor of Historical Theology at the Methodist Theological School, has studied and talked with the "spiritual but not religious" over many years. Cookies and coffee and book signing at 6:30 in the Fellowship Hall. Come and learn about how we can respond. RSVP to trice@worthingtonpresbyterian.com

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

The Central College Presbyterian Church, 975 S. Sunbury Rd., Westerville will host the Presbytery-wide PW Spring Gathering. Susan Jackson-Dowd, executive director of PW for the PC(USA) will be the keynote speaker and workshop leader addressing the theme "Walking in the Light" as we "Build an



the victims of the recent tornadoes and storms in the Grove City area and other parts of central and southern Ohio.

Prayers for Health and Healing... The Rev. Wayne Weiss,

honorably retired. The Reverend David Faulkner, who will be

having eye surgery. David is the pastor of the Harrisonville PC.

The Reverend Kristin Schutte, honorably retired. Kristin is recovering from surgery.

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Inclusive, Caring Community of Women". For further information, see the PW newsletter on the Presbytery website: <u>www.psvonline.org</u>

PSV Commission for Nurture and Outreach News... 2018 Congregational Mission Grant Applications Available

PSV congregations are invited to apply for neighborhood mission grants. Grant applications are now available on the presbytery website under the documents and resources tab.

Healthy Boundaries Training 101, Wednesday April 25 For Pastors and Church Professionals

The First Presbyterian Church, 225 Church Street, Jackson, will be hosting a Healthy Boundaries 101 class on Wednesday, April 25, 9 am to 4 pm. This training is required for all active pastors in the Presbytery. The cost is \$30. To register, email: <u>Dagmar@psvonline.org</u>, or call the Presbytery Office, 614-847-0565.

2018 Per Capita for our Presbytery...

Per capita is the way we financially support our connectedness as 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. **Goal, #14, Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources 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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