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Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News June 27, 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

JUNE

Saturday, June 30

1 pm Delaware Old Stone Presbyterian Church Ordination and Installation Service of Adam Anderson as **Pastor**

JULY

Sunday, July 1

3 pm First Presbyterian Church, Middleport 165 N. Fourth Street Commissioning of Certified Ruling Elder Ann S. Moody

Immigration Sunday

Wednesday, July 4

Independence Day Presbytery Office Closed

Thursday, July 5 Presbytery Office

11:30 am

Highlights from the 223rd General Assembly St. Louis, June 16-23 "Kindom" Building for the 21st Century



"O God, you are the giver of life. We pray for the church in the whole world. Sanctify its life, renew its worship, give power to its witnessing, and restore its unity. (A prayer from the General Assembly worship booklet.)

For over one week, 538 commissioners and 183 advisory delegates from 170 presbyteries across the PC(USA) gathered together in downtown St. Louis to pray, worship, study, listen, advocate, make business decisions and discern the future visions for our denomination. During this biennial Assembly, the Way Forward offered fresh visions regarding power, control, decision-making and managing assets and resources. After discussion and careful consideration by the commissioners, a modest increase in General Assembly Per Capita was approved at \$8.95 for 2019 and 2020. This increase will continue to support our connections to our sisters and brothers across the country and around the globe. For more information about the 223rd General Assembly, visit the PCUSA.org website, or order bulletin inserts through the Presbytery Office. Mark your calendars for the 225th General Assembly, which will be hosted by Scioto Valley in Columbus, Ohio, June 25-July 2, 2022.

Words of Thanks and Gratitude... To Scioto Valley Commissioners to General Assembly

Thanks to Roger Au,

Lunch with Mission Co-Worker Karla Koll

2 pm PSV Nominating Committee Meeting

Sunday, July 15

10:45 am
Bethany Presbyterian
Church, 206 N.
Garfield Ave, Columbus
100th Anniversary
Worship Service
"A Century of God's
Blessings"

Monday, July 16

3 pm PSV Commission for Congregational Life (CCL)

Tuesday, July 17

12:30 pm Presbytery Staff Meeting

Monday, July 23

3 pm
PSV Commission for
Presbytery Operations
(CPO)

Tuesday, July 24

4 pm
PSV Coordinating Team
West Berlin
Presbyterian Church
2911 Berlin Station Rd.
Delaware

Tuesday, July 31

4-6 pm PSV Pastors' Fireside Chat



For All PSV Pastors!
Clintonville Rusty
Bucket

Jim Boggs, Mark
Johnson, Carla
Marvis, Justice
Ofosuhene, and
Robert Tolar, our
presbytery's
commissioners to this
year's General
Assembly, for their
tireless efforts and



223rd General Assembly Commissioners

dedication during the eight day Assembly business and activities.

Congregational News, Events and Employment Opportunities

Circleville Presbyterian Church... is seeking a part-time (15-20 hrs) Director of Christian Education (DCE) to oversee the ministries of children and youth. The DCE will have oversight of the Sunday School program and other children's and youth-based events. The DCE must excel at recruiting, equipping and empowering volunteers, and possess excellent organizational and communication skills. Experience with various curricula for children's and youth ministry is desired. Resumes and cover letters can be sent to circlevillepastor@gmail.com

Granville First Presbyterian Church...is hosting Karla Koll, PC(USA) Mission Co-worker and professor at Universidad Bíblica Latinoamericana (UBL) in Costa Rica. Karla is in Scioto Valley June 27-July 8. Karla will be preaching in Granville July 1 and in Logan on July 8. She will be sharing lunch with Licking County Presbyterian Pastors Thursday June 28, 12:00 pm @Elliot's in Newark. Persons are invited to a Mission Breakfast on Saturday, June 30, 9:30-10:30 am at the FPC Granville Heritage Hall to hear about Karla's mission work in Costa Rica. Hope you can meet Karla!

Mission Co-Worker Visiting in Scioto Valley...

The Reverend Dr. Karla Koll, PCUSA Mission Co-worker, is visiting in our presbytery through July 6. Karla serves as a professor of history, religion and mission at the Latin American Biblical University in Costa Rica. Granville First Presbyterian Church is hosting her visit. A lunch conversation with Karla is being planned for Thursday, July 5 at the Presbytery Office. For further information about Karla's visits, contact Les Sauer, lessauer@hotmail.com.

The 223rd General Assembly Bulletin Inserts Available Free for PSV Congregations

Contact the presbytery office for free bulletin inserts about General Assembly. Bulletins come in regular and large print, color and black-and-white options. Contact dagmar@psvonline.org for information.

Presbyterian Planning Calendars have arrived!

Good News! The Presbyterian calendars arrived. Please arrange for pick-up during the presbytery office hours, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. If for some reason you have not placed your order there are some extras. The cost is \$8.50 each. Thank you for your patience.

EVERYONE INVITED!!! CONGREGATIONAL AND PASTORAL CELEBRATIONS...

Saturday, June 30, 1 pm, Ordination and Installation Service

- · Adam W. Anderson
- Pastor of the Delaware Old Stone Presbyterian Church, 41 Hodges Road, Delaware

Sunday, July 1, 3 pm, Commissioning Service

- · Certified Ruling Elder Ann Moody
- · Commissioned Pastor of the Middleport First Presbyterian Church, 165 N. 4th Street

New Wilmington Mission Conference, July 20-27, 2018

"Love Your Neighbor" is the theme of this year's popular mission focused conference which meets in New Wilmington, PA. This conference gathers missionaries from around the globe, offers hands-on service projects and programming for all ages. For more information, visit the NWMC website: www.NWMCmission.org, or contact the Reverend Ginny Teitt, New Wilmington Mission Conference Director, teittfam@msn.com.

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



The Presbytery of Scioto Valley(PSV) Stated Meetings for 2018 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

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: <u>jeannie@psvonline.org</u>.

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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