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Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News September 26, 2018

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The Presbytery OF SCIOTO VALLEY

Presbytery of Scioto Valley 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

Lectionary Prayer for Sunday...

(James 5:20)
God who calls us
to gather:
in each dwells
a wanderer or stray,
loner or drifter who
seeks something more,
some place new,
simply someone else.
Send another of your
gathering to us to lead
or lure us back to our
belonging in Jesus Christ.

(by bill leety)

SEPTEMBER Sunday, September 30

2-4 pm
Mifflin Presbyterian
Church, Gahanna
Presbytery-wide!
Fall Youth Rally

OCTOBER



Monday,
October 1
12:30 pm

Presbytery-wide... FALL YOUTH RALLY This Sunday! September 30, 2-4 pm

It is not too late to go to the Fall Youth Rally!!!
Sunday, September 30th, 2-4 pm at the Gahanna Mifflin Presbyterian Church, 123 Granville Street, Gahanna.
For more information or to register your participants number, please email: mifflin@mifflinpres.org.

Congregational News, Celebrations and Events...

Bremen-Bethel Presbyterian Church...CELEBRATE WITH US!

On Sunday, October 28, 2018, we will celebrate the 110th "Birthday" of our current building. The building was dedicated on Sunday, April 26, 1908, the Sunday following Easter. During the week between Easter Sunday and the Dedication Service there were services every evening with ministers coming from Lancaster, Amanda, Mingo Junction, Columbus, Zanesville, Circleville and Chicago! You are invited to come and join us for this wonderful occasion: 9:30 am - Fellowship Hour. 10:30 am - Worship Service conducted by Rev. Larry Hoffmann. 11:30 am - Lunch in the Social Room.



Bremen Bethel

Chillicothe First Presbyterian Church...invites you to an Organ Re-Dedication Concert and Celebration on Sunday October 28th beginning at 6 p.m. A reception and refreshments will follow the concert. Guest Organist Nicole Simental, the Assistant Director of Music and Principal Organist at Saint Joseph Cathedral in Columbus, will be featured. This will be a free concert and is open to the public!

PSV Commission for
Church Professionals

3 pm

PSV Commission for
Congregational Life

Tuesday, October 2

3 pm

PSV Commission for
Presbytery Operations

**Wednesday,
October 3**

5-8 pm

Presbytery-wide
Mission Work Team
Orientation

Sunday, October 7

World Communion
Sunday

Global Witness Offering

Friday, October 12

Presbyterian Older
Adult Ministry Network
(POAMN)
REGIONAL
CONFERENCE

Complete brochure:
www.psvonline.org

October 15-19

PSV Mission Work Trip
to Webster Springs,
West Virginia

Tuesday, October 16

4 pm

Presbytery
Coordinating Team

**Wednesday,
October 17**

CCP Preparation for
Ministry Task Team
9:15

**Tuesday,
October 23**

1 pm

PSV Commission for
Nurture and Outreach

4-6 pm

Pastors' Fireside Chat
Clintonville Rusty
Bucket

Wednesday,

Columbus Highlands Presbyterian Church...

...will be celebrating the 40th anniversary of the congregation on Sunday, October 14.

...On Sunday, October 7 at 3 PM, Highlands will present a concert featuring the cello quartet UCelli (virtuoso cellists Pei-An Chao, Mary Davis, Cora Kuyvenhoven, and Wendy Morton). They will be performing a wide collection of music, including music composed by Classical Guitarist Richard Jordan Smoot. Admission is free. For more information visit the church website: www.highlands-Presbyterian.org.

Scioto Valley's New Rose Run Presbyterian Church in

New Albany...is beginning to move into the future after celebrating its new birth at the September 18th Presbytery Meeting. Rose Run Presbyterian Church is looking for items to begin their life as a new congregation; such as hymnals, chancel equipment, crosses, communion ware, candlesticks, collection plates, etc. If your church has extra items that Rose Run might be able to use, please email: laurieahill@me.com.



Pickerington Prince of Peace

Pickerington Prince of Peace Presbyterian Church...

...will be celebrating its 35th Anniversary on Sunday, October 7 beginning with worship at 10:30 am, followed by a potluck luncheon. Come and help us celebrate!

The Utica Presbyterian

Church... is celebrating 200 years of mission and ministry to the community of Utica. It was 25 years ago on Thursday September 30, 1993 when the Presbyterian church celebrated 175 years! We are still here and now celebrating 200 years of mission and ministry in the same building. This is a year of celebration, when many activities have already happened and many more activities will be coming.



Utica Presbyterian

REGIONAL CONFERENCE ON AGING, October 12

Sign up now for the POAMN Regional Conference on Aging scheduled for Friday, October 12 at the Worthington Presbyterian Church. The



theme for this interesting and informative conference is "The Best of Times: God's Call in the Third Thirty of Life". A complete brochure and registration information is available on the presbytery website: www.psvonline.org

LIVE YOUR BEST LIFE!

A Story By Sue Washburn in **Presbyterians Today**

October 24

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

**Thursday,
October 25**

CE meet at First
Presbyterian Church
Grove City

**Saturday,
October 27**

Presbyterian Women
(PW) in the Presbytery
of Scioto Valley
Fall Gathering
Second Presbyterian
Church, Newark

**Tuesday,
October 30**

12:30
Presbytery Staff
Meeting

COMING IN NOVEMBER

November 4-6

Church Professionals
Retreat
Deer Creek Resort
Mt. Sterling, OH

November 16

10 am - 4 pm
Healthy Boundaries
Training for Pastors
101

November 27

3:30 pm
Presbytery Meeting
First Presbyterian
Church of Logan

Visit: presbyterianmission.org, and type in... Why you should consider a senior living community while you're still fit...to read an excellent article about Reverend Gary and Evelyn Baker and their decision to move to Bristol Village in Waverly many years ago. Gary is an honorably retired minister member of Scioto Valley.

Reverend Charlsie Ramsey, Past-Moderator of PSV Shares Her Journey as Moderator of the Presbytery and Begins Her Journey as Moderator of the Presbyterian Women (PW) in Scioto Valley...



Charlsie Ramsey

Charlsie, an honorably retired minister member of Scioto Valley, recently completed an extended term as Moderator of the Presbytery. During her one year plus term as moderator, Charlsie ordained, installed and commissioned over a dozen pastors into new covenants and calls throughout our presbytery. It was a very busy term and Charlsie thoroughly enjoyed her service.

The time was filled with meetings, numerous fellowship gatherings, visiting and bringing greetings to congregations, celebrating special events with congregations and pastors, and pulpit supply when available. In the midst of this busy journey as Moderator of PSV, Charlsie continued to serve as the Presbyterian pastor of the McArthur Presbyterian/Episcopal Church. Charlsie is now enjoying serving as the Moderator of Presbyterian Women in the Presbytery of Scioto Valley.

**Presbytery-Wide and Denomination-Wide
YOUTH EVENTS**

Winter Youth Retreat...Friday-Sunday, February 22-24, 2019, Camp Akita. Theme: "Lift Every Voice". More details available soon!



**2019 Presbyterian Youth
Triennium...with the theme...**

"Here's My Heart" is planned for youth going into the 9th grade through high school. This popular triennial event for Presbyterian youth will be held July 16-20, 2019, on the campus of Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. Watch for more information soon.

2018 and 2019 Per Capita Information 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

Approved at the September 18, 2018 Presbytery Meeting

The 2019 Per Capita is \$35.75 per member. This \$35.75 is made up of:

Presbytery of Scioto Valley - \$23.55

General Assembly of the PC(USA) - \$8.95

Synod of the Covenant - \$3.25



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

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: 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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