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# Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News October 31, 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

##### Praying the News...

Lord of life:  
bless those who grieve  
Pittsburgh's dead,  
harmed, and accused,  
and give  
your promised comfort.

Deliver those  
grown numb  
from callousness,  
or fear for safety.  
Remind us that we  
belong to you...  
in life and in death.

Mend the torn fabric  
of city and nation,  
neighborhood and planet,  
knitting your people  
as patches  
on our great divides,  
through Jesus Christ.  
(by bill leety)

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#### NOVEMBER

**November 4-6**  
Church Professionals  
Retreat  
Deer Creek Resort  
Mt. Sterling, OH

#### Congregational News, Celebrations and Events...

##### Columbus Broad Street Presbyterian Church...

celebrated with The Reverend Amy Miracle, Pastor, this past Sunday on her 10th anniversary at the Broad Street Presbyterian Church.

In honor of Amy and to mark this special event, the congregation worked on a service project, prepared two songs especially for this occasion, poetry, a video with children and youth, and tributes from the staff and members of the congregation.



Church Celebration Activities

celebrating its 70th Anniversary on November 17 and 18 with the theme, "Honoring Our Journey". November 17th will feature a 5 pm worship service and Thanksgiving Dinner. The celebration continues on Sunday with the 10:30 worship service and reception to follow. There will be a guest preacher for both services and a guest organist. Please join in the celebration! If you have questions, contact the church office at 614-235-3451.

##### The Covenant Parish of Fairmoor & Shady Lane

**Presbyterian Churches...** invites all to the annual "Teddy Bear Tea" on Saturday, November 3, from 1-3 p.m. at the Shady Lane Church, 4117 E. Livingston Avenue, Columbus. There will be fun, fellowship, a light lunch, and entertainment by pianist, Michael Francis. Come and bring "real" friends along with Teddy Bears and other "stuffed" friends" to be donated to the Far East side Neighborhood Pride Center and Firehouse #23 in support of their Christmas toy drives.

**Thursday,  
November 8**  
10 am  
CRE Task Team

**Monday,  
November 12**  
3 pm  
PSV Commission for  
Presbytery Operations  
(CPO)

**Wednesday,  
November 14**  
9 am  
Preparation for Ministry

10 am  
Older Adult Ministry  
Team Meeting

**November 16**  
10 am - 4 pm  
Healthy Boundaries  
101 Training  
for Pastors and Church  
Professionals

**Thursday,  
November 22**  
Thanksgiving Day  
(Presbytery Office  
Closed: November 21-  
22)

**November 27**  
3:30 pm  
Presbytery Meeting  
First Presbyterian  
Church of Logan

### Annual Partners in Education (PIE) Event Planned for January 12, 2019

The Presbytery Commission for Nurture and Outreach will once again sponsor the PIE Program, an important training and educational event for church officers, teachers and leaders. This popular event will again be hosted by the Hilliard Presbyterian Church. The Keynote Speaker will be Bryce Wiebe, Presbyterian

### Columbus St. Andrew Presbyterian Church...

1450 E. Dublin-Granville Rd., will be celebrating



ARMISTICE DAY with CENTENNIAL: A MUSICAL COMMEMORATION. One Hundred years ago on November 11, 1918, the Allies of World War I signed an armistice with Germany to mark the end of hostilities on the Western Front. Please join us at St. Andrew for a special musical commemoration this Veterans'

Day. Melissa Robol and several of her advanced piano students will share tunes from the World War I era on Sunday, November 11th at 3 pm. Please join us for this special afternoon!

**The Galloway Presbyterian Church Women...** will be having their 16th Annual Sub-sandwich sale fund-raiser on November 15 at the Church. The subs will sell for \$4 each. They will be on an 8" Hoagie Blunt End Sub Bun (not 6" that most sub shops offer) that will contain ham, genoa salami, pepperoni and provolone cheese. Orders may be placed by phone: 614-878-5015, or by email: [thomshuman79@gmail.com](mailto:thomshuman79@gmail.com)

**The McNair Memorial Presbyterian Church in Washington Court House...** invites all to come and join them in welcoming the Reverend Betsy Maurath as their new pastor. A welcome reception will be held at the church, 503 Lewis Street, on Sunday, November 18, 2-4 pm.

**Mount Vernon Presbyterian Church invites you....** to participate in the Restored Conference November 8-10. The conference will be held at the historic Memorial Theater, 112 E. High Street in Mount Vernon. Numerous speakers will bring teachings and encounters to enable participants to reclaim their true identity as children of God. For more information and registration, go to [www.restoredconference.com](http://www.restoredconference.com)

### Rose Run Presbyterian Church in New Albany...

Scioto Valley's newest congregation, celebrated their second Sunday worshiping in their new temporary home, Temple Beth Shalom, on Reformation Sunday, October 28. Following worship, the members held their first congregational meeting where they elected three persons to complete their Rose Run P.C. Nominating Committee. This Committee is the first step to the leadership formation of Rose Run. Many prayers are lifted up for this new congregation, which is growing as a continuing faith community.

### Westside Urban Ministry (WUM)...

thanks all the churches and individuals who brought coats and other items to the September



Presbytery meeting. You all got the coat drive off to a great start and we are grateful for your participation in

justice advocate and Christian educator staff person in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Mission Agency. There will be a variety of workshops for elders, deacons, clerks, and church leaders and teachers. The event will begin at 9:30 am and conclude by 3 pm. the cost is only \$10, and includes lunch. Complete brochure soon will be available soon.

helping keep kids on the west side of Columbus warm this winter. WUM and other volunteers, including West High School students, will be sorting coats on November 17. Coats can still be delivered to the Presbytery Office on North High Street in Columbus.

### Presbyterian Women Gather for Mission Program



Newark 2nd Pastor Todd Tracy welcomed the PW participants.

Presbyterian Women from 14 congregations across the presbytery gathered on Saturday, October 27, to learn about mission activities while enjoying fellowship, inspiring worship, presentations and interesting workshops. This event, graciously hosted by Newark Second Presbyterian

Church, brought together local voices and programs as the group discovered the many ways we can be involved in missional ministries throughout our communities.

### Healthy Boundaries 101...Basic Training for all Pastors...November 16, 10-4 pm

Healthy Boundaries 101, which is designed for pastors and church professionals, will be taught on Friday, November 16, 10 am-4 pm at the Presbytery Office. The cost of the workshop is \$50. This includes all workshop expenses and lunch. To sign up, email: [Dagmar@psvonline.org](mailto:Dagmar@psvonline.org). All pastors, who are serving in a ministry setting or as pulpit supply, are required to take the Healthy Boundaries classes.

### Presbytery-Wide and Denomination-Wide YOUTH EVENTS

**Winter Youth Retreat...**Friday-Sunday, February 22-24, 2019, Camp Akita. Theme: "Lift Every Voice". Registration material 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. Registration deadline is January 15, 2019. You can find the Youth and Adult participant application form at [www.psvonline.com/News&Events/YouthEvents](http://www.psvonline.com/News&Events/YouthEvents)

### 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**



**The Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Stated Meetings for 2019**  
**February 19, 3:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. - Worthington Presbyterian Church**  
**May 21, 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - First Presbyterian Church, London**  
**September 17, 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - Liberty Presbyterian Church, Delaware**  
**November 19, 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - TBA**

*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](mailto:jeannie@psvonline.org). Items are included and edited as space allows.*

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