

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

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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

DECEMBER

Thursday, December 27 Presbytery Office Open

Monday, December 31 Presbytery Office Closed

JANUARY 2019 Happy New Year!



Tuesday, January 1 Presbytery Office Closed

Monday, January 7 12:30 pm PSV Commission for Church Professionals

3 pm PSV Commission for Congregational Life Zoom Meeting

Sing Praises and Prayers of Thanksgiving to God!

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from heaven! Praise God on the heights! Praise God, all of you who are his messengers! Praise God, all of you who comprise God's heavenly forces! (Psalm 148:1-2)



Prayer: Eternal God, historic Christ, timeless Spirit, we rejoice in the salvation you have planned and are fulfilling in the birth of Christ Jesus and in the continuing work of the Spirit in the church. You bring goodness and beauty. All praise be given to you, O God. Amen.

(From: Prayers for the Seasons of God's People by B. David Hostetter)

2018 Campus Ministry Grants awarded by the Presbytery Commission for Nurture and Outreach...

United Campus Ministry of Ohio University in Athens Amount Awarded: \$9,366.61

UKirk at The Ohio State University in Columbus Amount Awarded: \$6,866.61

Campus Ministry Shawnee State University in Portsmouth Amount Awarded: \$2,866.62

Campus Ministry at Hocking College in Nelsonville Amount Awarded: \$1,866.61

The *Downtowners* Campus Ministry in Columbus Amount Awarded: \$1,866.61 Wednesday, January 9 10 am PSV Older Adult Ministry Team Meeting

Thursday, January 10 10 am PSV Certified Ruling Elder Task Team (CRE)

Saturday, January 12

Partners in Education (PIE) Classes and Healthy Boundaries Training Hilliard Presbyterian Church 9:30 am - 3 pm

Monday,

January 14 3 pm PSV Commission for Presbytery Operations (CPO)

Tuesday, January 15 Noon PSV Staff Meeting

4 pm PSV Coordinating Team (CT) Meeting

Thursday, January 17

4-6 pm PSV Pastors' Fireside Chat at the Clintonville Rusty Bucket

Monday, January 21

Birthday of Martin Luther King Jr. Presbytery Office Closed

Wednesday,

January 23 Arch and Eddies in Jackson

11 am Hanging Rock Church Professionals Sermon Prep and Bible Study

Annual Partners in Education (PIE) Event January 12, 2019 at the Hilliard Presbyterian Church



2018 PIE Participants Enjoy Classes

The Presbytery Commission for Nurture and Outreach invites all to come to the Partners in Education (PIE) event, which is designed for

educators, church officers, teachers and church leaders. The Keynote Speaker will be Bryce Wiebe, Presbyterian 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, 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. The day will also feature the Healthy Boundaries training for pastors and church leaders. There will be an extra cost for the Healthy Boundaries class. The complete brochure is now available on the presbytery website: www.psvonline.org

Winter Fireside Chats for Presbytery Pastors...

All minister members in the Presbytery of Scioto Valley are invited to gather with colleagues from across the Presbytery for our Winter Fireside Chats, January 17, 4-6 pm and March 12, 4-6 pm at the Clintonville Rusty Bucket, 4109 N. High Street in Columbus. Appetizers will be provided. These popular gatherings are sponsored by the Presbytery Commission for Church Professionals.

Pre-Presbytery Gathering, February 19, 2019, Noon PSV Global Mission Network Special Event!!!

The newly-formed Presbytery of Scioto Valley Global Mission Network is hosting a pre-presbytery event on Tuesday, February 19 at noon at the Worthington Presbyterian Church, 773 High St. in Worthington. The guest leader will be Ellen Sherby, the coordinator of Equipping for Mission Involvement for Presbyterian World Mission in the PC(USA). This event features a free lunch and an opportunity to explore how we, as a presbytery, can best support and engage in global mission. **Please RSVP** for this event by contacting Jeff Schooley (Pastor, First PC of Marysville) at <u>fpcjeff82@gmail.com</u> no later than February 11. For more information, or questions, contact Jeff Schooley.

2019 Presbytery-wide Winter Youth Retreat February 22-24 at Camp Akita

The Presbytery's Annual Winter Youth Retreat offers youth in Grades 6-12 a weekend of fellowship, music and keynotes, along with small group Bible studies and a confirmation tract. The retreat cost is only \$90 per participant if you register by January 28. After that date, the cost will be \$100. To register, visit the Presbytery website: <u>www.psvonline.org.</u>

Congregational Events, Activities and Information...

Noon Hanging Rock Church Professionals Lunch Gathering

Tuesday, January 29 Noon-5 pm Presbytery Office Closed PSV Staff Continuing Education Weekly E-Mail News

Galloway Presbyterian Church...is looking for a pianist to play at its 10:45 a.m. service on Sunday mornings. Please call 614-878-5015 or email the pastor: thomshuman79@gmail.com.

All congregations are invited to send information about their congregations' special events and activities of interest to the Presbytery to be included in the weekly e-news.

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. - Circleville Presbyterian Church

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 <u>www.psvonline.org</u>. Telephone: 614-847-0565 or 800-244-7207; Fax: 614-847-4359

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