

Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News September 25, 2019

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The Presbytery OF SCIOTO VALLE

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

SEPTEMBER

**Thursday,
September 26**

10 am

PSV Certified Ruling
Elder (CRE)

Task Team Meeting

OCTOBER



**Tuesday,
October 1**

1 PM

Older Adult
Ministries Team

**Wednesday,
October 2**

4-6 PM

Fireside Chat
(for All Pastors)
Clintonville Rusty
Bucket

Celebrations, Special Events and Prayers...

Plain City Presbyterian Church...will be celebrating the 25th Anniversary of the Ordination of their Pastor, the Reverend Alice Phillips, on Sunday, September 29, during the 10 am worship service. A celebratory luncheon will be held following worship.

Brookwood Presbyterian Church...will be celebrating



Brookwood
Presbyterian Church

a final worship service as the Brookwood Presbyterian Church in the 2685 E. Livingston Avenue building this Sunday, September 29. The Brookwood congregation will be joining with the Covenant Parish Presbyterian Church and the Reynoldsburg Parkview Presbyterian Church as the three congregations

become the new Unity Presbyterian Church in the Parkview building, 6969 E. Livingston Ave., Reynoldsburg. **The Unity Presbyterian Church** will hold its first worship service on Sunday, October 6, 2019, World Communion Sunday.

**Thursday,
October 3**

Ministries Initiative
Board Meeting

**Sunday,
October 6
World Communion
Sunday**

10:30 am

First Worship Service
of the New Unity
Presbyterian Church at
Parkview PC in
Reynoldsburg

*(A Celebration of the
uniting of the Parkview,
Brookwood and Covenant
Parish Congregations)*

3 PM

Dedication Service for
Rose Run Presbyterian
Church in New Albany

**Monday,
October 7**

12:30 pm

PSV Commission for
Church Professionals

3 pm

PSV Commission for
Congregational Life

**Thursday,
October 10**

6 pm

PSV Conference Room
Orientation Gathering
for the Members of the
PSV 2019 Mission
Work Team Members

Rose Run Presbyterian Church... Scioto Valley's new



Rose Run Presbyterian Church

congregation in New Albany, will hold a dedication service on World Communion Sunday, October 6, 3 pm. World Communion Sunday celebrates our oneness in Christ with all of our brothers and sisters around the world.

More information on Rose Run

PC is available on the church
website: www.roserunpresbyterian.org

Peace and Prayers...for the family and many friends of the Reverend Dr. Charles J. Dougherty, age 90, who died on September 8, 2019 in North Carolina. Reverend Dougherty served as the Senior Pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church in Newark, Ohio from 1967-1982.

He was active in many Presbytery of Scioto Valley committees and was the father of Lynn Warner, former Christian Educator at the Worthington Presbyterian Church.

HEALTHY BOUNDARIES TRAINING 101

Friday, October 11, 10 am - 5 pm

This is the basic Healthy Boundaries Training 101 which is required for all pastors in active ministry. This includes full and part-time, pulpit supply and specialized ministries. Cost is \$50 and you can sign up by calling the presbytery office, or email: Dagmar@psvonline.org.

2020 Presbytery Budget and Proposed Per Capita

From the Presbytery Commission for Operations...

At the September 17 Presbytery meeting the Commission for Presbytery Operations (CPO) presented for first reading a budget for 2020 and the proposed per capita needed to balance the budget. Although budget expenditures from our current income is holding relatively steady this year, dramatic decreases in member numbers will necessitate an increase in per capita to maintain our united efforts as a Presbytery. Per capita needed for 2020 is \$45 per person.

Slides from a presentation by CPO chair Bob Gustafson documenting our situation are available on the presbytery website <https://psvonline.org/10511-2/>. CPO members will continue to work on the presbytery budget needs and will present the 2020 per capita for action in November.

**Friday,
October 11**

Presbytery Office
10 am - 5 pm
Healthy Boundaries
Training for Pastors

**Saturday,
October 12**

10 am
PSV Older Adult Rally
Hanover PC

**Monday,
October 14**

3 pm
PSV Commission for
Presbytery Operations

**Tuesday,
October 15**

4 pm
PSV Coordinating
Team

**Tuesday,
October 22**

1 pm
PSV Commission for
Nurture and Outreach

**Wednesday,
October 23**

Noon
Hanging Rock Church
Professionals Lunch
Jackson Arch & Eddies

Presbytery of Scioto Valley Older Adult Fall Rally

Saturday, October 12, 10 am - 3 pm, Hanover PC

"Why Christians Should Care about Civility", is the theme of this year's Older Adult Rally designed for adults of all ages. The event speaker will be Theo Brown, Director of Outreach to Faith Based Organizations for the National Institute for Civil Discourse. Mr. Brown has more than 40 years of experience in educating citizens to be effectively involved in our nation's issues. The long list of national organizations with which he has worked includes Ground Zero, National Days of Dialogue on Race Relations and America Speaks, as well as AARP and Interfaith Alliance. As well as holding a staff position at the New York Ave. Presbyterian Church, he is also a principal with Public Engagement Associates in Washington D.C. The cost for this Older Adult Rally will be \$15, which includes lunch. You may register online or at the door. Doors open at 9 a.m. with a continental breakfast. Persons of all ages are encouraged to be a part of this important presentation. To register, www.psvonline.org.

Presbyterian Women (PW in PSV)

October Gathering, Saturday, October 26, 2019

Presbyterian Women in Scioto Valley Presbytery will gather at Worthington Presbyterian Church, 773 High Street, Worthington on Saturday, October 26. They will continue to focus on their theme of widening the circle of our faith. The gathering cost of \$10 includes lunch and all workshop materials. Mark your calendars to be a part of the fall worship experience with the PW of Scioto Valley.



Presbyterian Association for Musicians

Pittsburgh Chapter Special Event, November 2

This event will unlock the keys to vibrant worship using the revised Book of Common Worship (RBCW). A workshop and worship with the Rev. Dr. David Gambrell, will be offered on Saturday, November 2, 2019, 9 am-3 pm, at the Unity Presbyterian Church, Greentree, Pittsburgh, PA. Cost of \$25 includes lunch. Please make check payable to PAM Pittsburgh. Register and mail by October 19 to: Charlotte Roederer, 144 N. Dittridge Street, #307, Pittsburgh, PA 15213.

**Thursday,
October 24**

1 pm
PSV Nominating
Committee

**Saturday,
October 26**

Presbyterian Women
Worthington PC

**Sunday,
October 27 to
Saturday,
November 2**

Presbytery Mission
Work Team
in Wilmington, NC

**Sunday,
November 3-
Tuesday,
November 5**

Deer Creek State Park
Church Professionals
Annual Fall Retreat
Register
at www.psvonline.org

Presbytery's Annual Church Professionals Retreat

All pastors and church professionals are invited to attend the annual retreat, November 3-5, 2019, at the Deer Creek Resort near Mount Sterling, Ohio. This year's retreat will feature the Reverend Dr. Linda Mercadante, who will lead a conversation on what the church and its leaders need to know about spiritual but not religious in today's world. Guest music and worship leaders, called the "Executive Session", who specialize in hymns set to jazz arrangements, will inspire all participants with their amazing music and creative worship. Registration and more detailed information is available on the presbytery website: www.psvonline.org.

PIE - PARTNERS IN EDUCATION...January 11, 2020

Leadership Training Day for Everyone!

New Location...Worthington Presbyterian Church

Plan now to participate in the Presbytery's popular annual leadership day...PIE...The 2020 PIE event will focus on Becoming Vital Congregations. A wide variety of workshops will be offered, such as elder and deacon training, Christian Education, older adult programming, global mission, legal issues in the church, worship and others.

"...and ever shall be, world without end. Amen"

Lord, we sing less gloriously in less certainty.

Nonetheless, our thanks for this good world or planet, cosmos or universe, multiverse; and remember we are tillers, techies east of Eden, custodians of a gift close to paradise.

Warm our zeal to heal what's become sick, to nurse earth,
a world, its dwellers, neighbors and selves to health; in Christ.

Openings in the Presbytery of Scioto Valley...Churches Seeking Staff Persons and Pastors...

The following are some of the opportunities on the PC(USA) Church Leadership Connection (CLC)

<https://clc.pcusa.org>. Once the website is accessed, select opportunity search in the upper right corner. You do not need a password to search.

Waverly First Presbyterian Church...is seeking a full-time solo pastor with 2-5 years of experience. This congregation is composed of members 55 and over and is open to new ideas. If interested, email Cay Roberts at pncfirstpresbychurchwaverly@yahoo.com.

Worthington Presbyterian Church...is seeking a full-time youth pastor/director. Applications are being accepted for either a non-ordained individual or a person seeking a first call. Interested persons may apply on CLC, or email Taylor Surface at taylor.surface@gmail.com.

London First Presbyterian Church...is seeking a full-time solo pastor with 5-10 years of experience to lead with well-prepared sermons and spiritual maturity. Apply on CLC, or send information to Steven Watters at swatters@hamiltonparker.com.

Office Manager, 40 hours a week with benefits, for more information and see the position description at londonfirstpres@gmail.com

Columbus St. Andrew Presbyterian Church...is seeking a full-time solo pastor for a designated term. The candidate should have 0-2 years experience and be focused on three areas of ministry: care of aging members, Christian education for adults and youth, creating an environment to attract new membership. For more information, contact: David Hornbeck at standrewpres.pnc@gmail.com.

London First Presbyterian Church...is seeking a full time Office Manager. For more information, or to apply, contact The Reverend Desiree Youngblood at dyoungblood@swbell.net.

AN ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITY NOT YET ON THE CLC...

Iberia Presbyterian Church...is looking for a candidate that is interested in a part-time position. We are a small town church with an emphasis on family and community service. We would like someone who respects our church's history; has hope for our church's future; and has a clear focus on the current needs of our congregation. If you are interested in finding out more about us, please contact Megan Lawson, Clerk of Session, at megan.r.l@icloud.com. Iberia Presbyterian is also looking for a pianist for Sunday worship and special services. Inquiries may be directed to Megan Lawson.

If your church is searching for a pastor or staff person and you would like to put an announcement in the presbytery weekly e-news, send your information to: Jeannie@psvonline.org.

**The 225th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
is coming to Scioto Valley, June 25-July 2, 2022!**

Plans are being made by the Presbytery of Scioto Valley to prepare for the honor of hosting the 225th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), June 25-July 2, 2022. If you would like to be involved in the planning for this event, please sign up on the presbytery website: www.psvonline.org or email: jeannie@psvonline.org



2019 Stated Meeting for the Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV)

November 19, 2019, 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - Circleville Presbyterian Church

E-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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