

Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than on this "online" bulletin.

You may contact Rev. Ben Shaw or the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

Church phone: (419) 523-3964

prayercircle@ottawapresby.org

revben@ottawapresby.org

Prayer Concerns will remain for two weeks unless otherwise requested.

You may contact Rev. Ben Shaw or the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

Sermon Notes

Contact Us!

Ottawa Presbyterian Church
150 N Oak Street
Ottawa, OH 45875
419.523.3694
ottawapresby.org
revben@ottawapresby.org
prayercircle@ottawapresby.org
secretary@ottawapresby.org

Like us on Facebook!
Instagram: ottawapres
Twitter: @ottawapres



Ottawa Presbyterian Church
April 8, 2018

150 N. Oak St.
419.523.3694

Ottawa, Ohio 45875
ottawapresby.org

Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.
Easter flowers are provided today by members of the congregation.

Prelude

GATHERING

Welcome

One: The Lord be with you

Many: and also with you.

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Many: Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

One: We have not seen the risen Christ,

Many: but we see him in the lives of those transformed by grace.

One: We have not seen Jesus face-to-face,

Many: but we have seen him in the faces of everyone whose love encourages us.

One: We have not touched the wounds from the cross,

Many: but we have been called to bring healing to the scarred of the world.

One: Let us worship God.

*Hymn **The Day of Resurrection** #118

Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: You have shown yourself to us, O God, by Word and Spirit, with signs and wonders, in flesh and blood. Yet we still struggle to live and believe the good news of Jesus Christ. Have mercy on us. Enter into our lives and cast out our fear so that we may come to trust in you and have life in Jesus' name. Amen.

*Silent Prayer

*One: Amen

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #579

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end, Amen, Amen.

THE WORD

Children's Moment

(Children through kindergarten age may go to the nursery in the lower level)

Prayer for Illumination

First Scripture Reading Job 42:1-6

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

Second Scripture Reading John 20:19-31

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

Sermon Rev. Ben Shaw

RESPONSE

*Hymn **Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks** #106

Affirmation of Faith— Apostle's Creed
Traditional – Hymnal, page 14

Choir Anthem *Come Find Forgiveness and Love*

TABLE

Invitation to The Lord's Table

The Great Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: It is truly right to give our thanks and praise...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna in the highest!

One: You are holy, O God of Majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord...With Thanksgiving, we offer our very selves to you to be a living and holy sacrifice, dedicated to your service.

One: Great is the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Page 16 in the Blue Hymnal or in the words closest to your heart

Words of Institution

Communion of the People

Today we will take communion in our seats. When you receive the elements, hold onto them for a moment that we might eat and drink together.

Prayer after Communion

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

When the minister says "Pour out your blessings, O Lord", respond "send us your Spirit of peace".

Offering

*Doxology #592
Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below, praise Him above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn **Christ is Alive!** #108

*Charge & Benediction

*The Peace

One: May God's peace be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please share the peace with one another.

Cover art: Christ Shows Himself to Thomas, Rowan and Irene LeCompte. Mosaic, Resurrection Chapel of the Washington National Cathedral. Credit for the Call to Worship goes to Thom Shuman and his Lectionary Liturgies blog.