



## Happening Around the Presbytery

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Upper Ohio Valley Presbytery

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Office Hours: Mon–Thurs, 9:00 am–5:00 pm.

In an emergency after office hours, call 740-381-3074.

May the God of peace grant you peace at all times in all ways.

### PLEASE CONTINUE TO KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Mike Lenno	Karen Edwards	Frank Lewis	Homer Harden
Gene Toot	Ann Varner	Vickie Whinnery	Don Thompson
Alice Lucarelli	Susan Lehosky	R. H. "Mac" McCuen	David Brocklehurst
Jack Visser	Cristy Zimmerman	Sharon Willits	Debbie Hale
Ruth Ellen Bates	Ronn Moccasin	Simon Looking Elk	Dakota Partnership
All service men & women	Domasi Partnership		

Pray for our presbyters, family members, and friends hospitalized or in nursing homes.

Pray for peace and an end to violence and hatred.

Please keep us informed of any prayer concerns you may have.

**PRAYER FOR UOVP PASTORS.** Select one of these pastors and remember him/her in your prayers this week: Chuck LaPlaca, Bill Lawrence, Susan Lehosky, Mike Lenno, Frank Lewis.

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME** begins this coming Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>. Get ready to spring forward!

**COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN** Church, 401 18th Street, Wellsville, OH 43968, invites you to their 20<sup>th</sup> annual Covenant Presbyterian **Basement Bistro this Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, and Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup>.** Tickets are now on sale. Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. with the show beginning at 6:45. "The Best of the Best" is this year's theme, as this is the last year the show will be performed. The menu includes salad, chicken parmesan with rigatoni and meatballs, garlic bread, beverage, and dessert. Cost is \$15 and tickets must be purchased in advance. Call Erin at 330-853-3837 to reserve your tickets today!

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN** Church, 52 Liberty St., Dillonvale, OH 43917, invites you to a sauerkraut, pork, and dumpling **luncheon** will be served at the Church on **Sunday, March 31, 2019**, from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm. Other food items available will be shredded chicken sandwiches, pasta salad, and baked goods. All food will be al a carte and everything is \$5.00 or less. Pre-orders are being accepted but not required. To preorder call Nancy at 740-769-2808. Thank you for your support!

**THE APRIL 23, 2019, STATED MEETING** of Upper Ohio Valley Presbytery will be held at Roney's Point Presbyterian Church, Triadelphia, WV. Please note a significant change: No meal will be served. Instead, worship will begin at 5:00 p.m. followed by light refreshments and fellowship. The business meeting will follow.

**2019 PRESBYTERIAN YOUTH TRIENNIUM "Here's My Heart"** will be held at Purdue University in West Lafayette, IN, **July 16-20, 2019.** Triennium's program includes daily worship services and theme presentations in a theater-style auditorium. Each participant will be assigned to a discussion group that will meet each day of the event. There will be a variety of special events including recreation, movies, concerts, prayer services and yes, even some quiet time. Information on Triennium along with a preliminary application to be filled out by the youth you chose who will be entering high school as freshman through graduated seniors can be found on our website [www.uovpresby.org](http://www.uovpresby.org) under Items of Interest. The **deadline for the youth application is March 8, 2019.** We are also in need of Adult Participants to attend the Triennium with the youth. Ideally, we are looking for one female and one male Adult Advisor for our delegation. Information and an application to serve as an Adult Leader can also be found on our website. To be an adult leader, you must be at least 21 years old and have experience chaperoning youth in some capacity. The deadline for the Adult application was yesterday; however, if you are interested, call Cindy Foster to see if all slots are filled. The Triennium website has all sorts of information and is updated constantly as more information becomes available. [www.presbyterianyouthtriennium.org](http://www.presbyterianyouthtriennium.org). If you have any questions about Presbyterian Youth Triennium, our delegation from Upper Ohio Valley Presbytery, or signing up to participate, you can contact Cindy Foster at [cjfooster1005@comcast.net](mailto:cjfooster1005@comcast.net) or 740-359-2750 with your questions.

**PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.** The Forum on Youth Ministry is an event for Christian leaders who work with young people. At the Forum we gather youth leaders, pastors, and scholars together on the campus of Princeton Theological Seminary for 4 days to provide lectures, seminars, and worship that feeds our work in youth ministry, and creates space for ministry leaders to network, rest, and learn. Join us from April 23<sup>rd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>, 2019, to explore our theme--Movement: Mission, Body, and Justice. If you would like to know more about the Forum, you can find more information at <https://iymforum.ptsem.edu>, or you can email our director, Abigail Visco Rusert at [abigail.rusert@ptsem.edu](mailto:abigail.rusert@ptsem.edu).

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**PITTSBURGH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY'S LENTEN DEVOTIONAL** is available Online. The Seminary is pleased to offer our 2019 Lenten Devotional. This free online resource provides a devotional for each day of Lent based on the Presbyterian Church (USA)'s daily lectionary. The devotionals are written by the Seminary's Class of 2018 with additional contributions by student and alumnae/i leaders and can be accessed in various ways: Read or listen [online](#) or print and share. Receive daily e-mails. Or enter your information online and select "Devotionals (Advent & Lent)." Follow along on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#). Download our free [Android](#) or [Apple](#) app. Visit the store and search for "Devotions - Advent & Lent." Request your printed copy. Call 412-362-5610 or e-mail [reception@pts.edu](mailto:reception@pts.edu). Additionally,

other downloadable Lenten resources include the Big Book of Lent (multiple devotions per day), music suggestions, sermon and reflections, questions kids ask about Lent and Easter (with answers), recipes for Easter breads, and Easter songs sheet music perfect for the youth in your congregation who play marching band instruments. Plus check out our website each Wednesday during Lent for a new video from the Coffee with the Dean series, during which Dean Heather Vacek sits down with members of the community to reflect on upcoming Lectionary passages and other seasonal topics.

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**UNION PRESBYTERIAN SEMINARY.** Here's an overview of **Upcoming Continuing Education Events** offered through the Leadership Institute of Union Presbyterian Seminary. We hope you can join us for one or more of these exciting opportunities, whether on campus or online.

**COME TO CAMPUS. 2019 Dawe Lecture** Monday, March 25, 2019, 7:30 p.m. Union Presbyterian Seminary Watts Chapel, 3401 Brook Road, Richmond Campus. *"Spirit at the Edges: Sanskritization of the Telugu Pentecostals,"* Presented by Dr. James Taneti, Director of the Syngman Rhee Global Mission Center for Christian Education and Assistant Professor of World Christianity at Union Presbyterian Seminary. Free and open to the public, the Dawe Lecture series seeks to contribute to deepened awareness and insight into interfaith dialogue as well as promote ethical and religious understanding.

**Church Business Administration Seminars** Thursdays, March 28 - May 23, 2019, Charlotte Campus, 5141 Sharon Road. Registration available for one or multiple seminars. For the full seminar schedule, [follow this link](#).

**LISTEN to Union's Podcast** with Reverend Burns Stanfield, who led Union's Howie Center Event held in October, 2018. Burns is a gifted storyteller and recounts how music and the arts helped revitalize the congregation he has served as pastor for the last 27 years. The Rev. Stanfield is also a talented jazz musician and instructor at Harvard Divinity School.

**UPCOMING ONLINE COURSES** ~ Our Pathways online series is led by faculty of Union Presbyterian Seminary. **The Gospel of Mark - Pathways online course**, led by Dr. Brian Blount, President & Professor of New Testament, Tuesdays, March 26 - April 30, 2019. **Teaching the Bible - Pathways online course**, led by Dr. Cindy Kissel-Ito, Associate Professor of Christian Education, Thursdays, March 28 - May 2, 2019. [REGISTER HERE](#).

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**We love photos!** Have any photos from a church gathering you would like us to share on our website? E-mail them to [pattyuov@uovpresby.org](mailto:pattyuov@uovpresby.org). Landscape view works best. Get permission from parents if sending pix of kids.

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**NEW WILMINGTON MISSION CONFERENCE July 19 – 26, 2019**, at Westminster College. <http://nwmcmision.org/>. There is an early bird discount for those who are registered and paid in full by March 27.

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