

Happening Around the Presbytery

May 20, 2020

Upper Ohio Valley Presbytery

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Visit us at www.uovpresby.org

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

In an emergency after office hours, call 304-266-8154.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Mike Lenno	Karen Edwards	Matt Camlin	David Brocklehurst
Gene Toot	Susan Lehosky	R. H. "Mac" McCuen	Dr. Lew & Ruth Stevens
Susan McMannis	Philip Keevil	Sharon Willits	Dakota Partnership
Linda Turner	David Schoolcraft	Cherilyn Bown	Melanie Blount
Vickie Whinnery	Gary Nylund	Joe Hendricks	Domasi Partnership
Homer Harden	Debbie Hale	Mike O'Neil	All Service men & women
Donna Todd	Dave Roberts	LaPlaca Family	

Pray for those sick with the corona virus, first responders, nurses, doctors, and the families who lost loved ones.

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: David Knapp, Mary Jane Knapp, Dee Kovach, Randall Krebs, Chuck LaPlaca

WE WELCOME Christine O'Neil to the Presbytery Office. [more info forthcoming]

FIRST Presbyterian Church, St. Clairsville, OH, Drive-in Worship at the Church each Sunday at 11:00 a.m., Tune into 90.3 FM on your car radio.

FIRST Presbyterian Church, Mt. Pleasant, OH, online services: <http://www.facebook.com/PresbyterianMtPleasant>.

FIRST Presbyterian Church, Dillonvale, OH, online worship: <https://www.facebook.com/Dillonvale-Presbyterian-Church-102126444588051/>

FIRST Presbyterian Church, Mingo Junction, OH, online worship: <https://www.facebook.com/MingoFirstUP/>

FIRST UNITED Presbyterian Church, Brilliant, OH, online worship: <https://www.facebook.com/Brilliant-Presbyterian-Church-Community-822626217846341/>

CALVARY Presbyterian Church, St. Clairsville, OH, online worship: <https://www.facebook.com/St.CCalvaryPresbyterianChurch/>

FIRST Presbyterian Church, Wheeling, online worship: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/206510266778061/?ref=share>

OAK RIDGE/YELLOW CREEK Presbyterian Churches worship link is through the Yellow Creek Presbyterian Facebook page. There will be worship for Sundays, and a Bible Study on Thursday evenings.

STONE Presbyterian Church's video worship service:

<https://m.facebook.com/StonePresbyterianChurch.Wheeling.WV/videos/266562911141212/>

CADIZ Presbyterian Church will provide recorded videos of our Sunday sermons on our [Facebook page](#) and [YouTube channel](#).

FIRST WESTMINSTER Presbyterian Church, Steubenville, Sunday morning worship services on Facebook Live at 10:45 a.m. Click here <https://www.facebook.com/First-Westminster-Presbyterian-Church>.

VANCE Memorial Presbyterian Church's Sunday worship service is broadcast at 10:00 a.m. on the radio at WKWK-FM 97.3. We will be delayed broadcast on Facebook www.facebook.com/Vance-Presbyterian-Church. The service will also be archived on our YouTube page *Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church*.

GRACE Presbyterian Church, Martins Ferry, broadcasts our 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship live over the Internet: www.gracechurchmartinsferry.org. The second tab says, 'grace live worship.' This will bring you to our live broadcast.

LONG'S RUN TRINITY Presbyterian Church, East Liverpool, worship services are online. Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m., find the link to each service at: <https://www.facebook.com/LongsRunTrinity/> and on the church website: <http://www.longsrunitrinitypresbychurch.org/> under the "Worship Services" tab. Join us during the week for online devotions

and Bible Study. We have a lively group of folk that meet at 11am Monday through Friday for prayer time, and then Wednesday for Bible Study. You can find the link to get into the group on the church website and Facebook page.

COVE Presbyterian Church, Weirton, WV, posts weekly sermons at YouTube (Cove Church WV) and our new Facebook page Cove Presbyterian Church Weirton WV. Please like both our YouTube channel and Facebook page to continue receiving notifications related to the church. Contact the church at our new e-mail covechurchwv@gmail.com or phone 304-748-5980.

Coronavirus/COVID-19 Resources for Congregations and Members

VIRTUAL MEETING. In light of this pandemic, we are reassessing our ability as a Presbytery to stay connected and informed when we cannot be together in person. In lieu of the June 9th Stated Meeting of Presbytery, we are inviting you to join in an informal gathering of our Presbytery in order to test the waters of virtual meetings on a Presbytery level. We would like to take this opportunity to catch-up, share ideas and concerns and to help us see how you are doing amidst this time of uncertainty and change. We are planning this virtual meeting via Zoom on Tuesday, June 9, 2020, from 10:00-11:00 am. What we need from you for this to be a success:

- If you do not have internet access you will be able to call in, but we will need contact information to send the phone numbers to you.
- Names and email or phone information of your standing commissioners so we can send them the Zoom invitation.

How it works:

- After receiving your information, we will set the meeting up in Zoom and send you what is called an invitation to the meeting. It will have an easy access link for you to join the meeting.

Where to send your information:

- Frank Lewis, Stated Clerk, at scuovp@gmail.com or by phone or text at 304-266-8154.
- Kandy Dunn, Moderator, at bookkeeper.uovp@gmail.com or by phone 304-686-2344 or by text message at 304-312-7187.

PRESBYTERIAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY Newsletter: May 2020, [control+click](#).

PRESBYTERIAN PEACE and Justice Newsletter, May, 2020, "Working for Compassion and Justice in the Pandemic," [control+click here](#).

PENTECOST OFFERING. 40% is kept by congregation to be used for congregational ministries with children at risk. 60% sent to presbytery and we will forward it on to GA, Presbyterian Mission Agency. Of their portion, they use 50% for ministries with youth and young adults and 10% for child advocacy/children at risk. For more info/resources: <https://specialofferings.pcusa.org/offering/pentecost/>.

BEAVER CREEK CHURCH CAMP. Wait until next year! The Beaver Creek Church Camp Board voted unanimously to cancel the regular church camp schedule for 2020 due to the COVID19 pandemic. All the facilities of the camp will be closed to public use until the state of Ohio relaxes its social distancing requirements.

LAUGHLIN MEMORIAL CHAPEL, 129½ Eighteenth St., Wheeling, WV, is looking for volunteers to help with our Summer Jam Program. We are in need of volunteers for various jobs. We will need volunteers to help with sanitizing tables, the bus and classrooms after each session of students' attendance. We are looking for high school age helpers and adult helpers. At this time, we do not know the exact start date of our summer program, perhaps the week of June 15 or 22, it may possibly be an 8 week program running until the middle of August, Monday through Friday. The hours can run from 9AM until 3PM. The volunteer's hours worked can be convenient and flexible. Any further questions, you can call Laughlin Chapel at (304) 232-2630 or email us at LaughlinChapel@lumos.net. You can speak with Judi Saunders, Program Coordinator, or Ellen Saunders, Ad Assistant, or Martha Wright, Director.
