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*“Relieve the troubles of my heart, and
bring me out of my distresses.”*
Psalm 25:17

For the week of January 10, 2019

The Cincinnati Sampler

SPECIAL WORSHIP THIS WEEKEND

The Presbytery of Cincinnati hosts two worship services this weekend, and you are encouraged to participate:

- **Saturday, January 12, 2019 at 11AM at Elmwood-Carthage PC**, 6317 Highland Avenue, Cincinnati. This is the final worship service at ECPC. Please bring your supportive presence and prayers.
- **Sunday, January 13, 2019 at 3PM at Knox PC**, 3400 Michigan Avenue, Cincinnati. David Annett will be ordained to the ministry of Word and Sacrament to serve as Stated Supply at Cranston-Memorial PC in New Richmond. Again, your prayers and supportive presence are appreciated.

DATE FOR CLOSING RECEIPTS FY 2018

The Board of Trustees has set **Monday, January 14, 2019, as the date for the close of receipts for the Fiscal Year 2018.** Any and all per capita receipts, mission giving, special offering contributions that you wish to be credited to your 2018 Giving Statement **MUST** be received in the Presbytery Office by Monday, January 14, 2019. Thank you for your careful attention.

MLK SUNDAY JANUARY 20

Martin Luther King Event 2019 is scheduled for Sunday, January 20 from 4-6PM at Carmel Presbyterian Church.

If you would like to sing in the Mass Choir for the event, please plan to participate in choir rehearsal today, Thursday, January 10 at 7PM, and Friday, January 18 at 7PM at Carmel Presbyterian Church. You are encouraged to be a message of reconciliation by your presence at the MLK Event 2019 on Sunday, January 20 from 5-7PM at Carmel PC. Dinner served following worship. Thank you!

REGISTER TODAY!

Workshop Registrations Forms for the Stated Meeting on February 16, 2019 are **posted on the website** at the “Office Forms” tab and the “Presbytery Meeting Docs” tab. Please register today!



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- Bob Young, Council Chair
- **PRESBYTERY OFFICE HOURS ARE 9AM-2PM**
Monday through Thursday

PRESBYTERIANS TOGETHER—CONNECTED

JANUARY 2019

CALENDAR

PRESBYTERY OF
CINCINNATI

Sat 12 Jan

11:00AM Final Worship
Service at Elmwood-
Carthage PC

Sun 13 Jan

3:00PM The Ordination of
David Annett to Teaching
Elder at Cranston-
Memorial PC hosted at
Knox PC, Cincinnati

Tue 15 Jan

9:30AM Bible Study for
Pastors and Preachers at
the Presbytery Office—
Rabbi du Jour is Sarah
Ruden

6:30PM Campus Ministry
Project Team meeting at
the Presbytery Office

Wed 16 Jan

6:00PM Presbytery Coun-
cil Meeting at Blue Ash PC

Sun 20 Jan

4:00PM MLK Worship at
Carmel PC with Dean Ver-
na Williams, Preacher.

Mon 21 Jan

PRESBYTERY OFFICE
CLOSED in observance of
MLK Day



NEWS AND NOTES

ELECTED MEMBERS OF PRESBYTERY COMMITTEES AND TEAMS (pictured above) gathered at Blue Ash PC this past Saturday to pray, fellowship, meet colleagues, plan for the year, and get oriented to our new way of being the “PoC”. Thank you Presbyterians!

IF YOU ARE A CLERK OF SESSION, WE HOPE YOU ARE READING THIS: You should have already received information about the annual statistical report. If a Clerk of Session has not received that information, please email our Stated Clerk, Melana Scruggs, at melana@cpresby.org.

FIRST PC, HARRISON is in need of an accompanist in mid-April. The accompanist is needed for Wednesday night choir and two Sunday services. Interested or need more info? Please email bsnape67@gmail.com.

YOU ARE INVITED TO MOVIE NIGHT on Saturday, January 12 at 7PM at Mt. Auburn Pc to view and reflect on the film “Journey of the Universe”. This is an opportunity connected to the Earth Care policy of MAPC, a witness to the planet’s ecological and climate crisis. For more info, contact pztimm@me.com.

OUR PRAYERS AND CARE are extended to Bob Northcutt (CRE-Beecher), whose father-in-law died this past week. And also, to the Reverend Ruth Dunn (HR), whose brother died at Christmastime. Please remember our colleagues and their friends and family in prayer.

KENNEDY HEIGHTS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH invites all to join them to celebrate the legacy of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King on Sunday, January 20 at 10:30AM. David Singleton, NKU Professor of Law, and Executive Director of the Ohio Justice and Peace Center is speaking. Come and see what the Lord can do!

PLEASE EMAIL ITEMS FOR “The Sampler” TO office@cpresby.org, with all items subject to editing. Thank you for sharing invitations and good news!

PRESBYTERY OFFICE will be closed Monday, January 21 in observance of the Birthday of Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Please make note!