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*“But we will devote ourselves
to prayer and
to the ministry of the word.”*

Acts 6:4

For the week of June 7, 2018

The Cincinnati Sampler

NEWS AND NOTES FOR JUNE

Bethel-Murdoch Presbyterian Church hosts three Ice Cream Socials on the second Saturdays of June, July and August. Menu includes homemade beef and pork bbq sandwiches, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, cole slaw and chips, in addition to nine different flavors of homemade ice cream. Food and ice cream will be served from 2:30-6:30PM.

Covenant-Faith Presbyterian Church invites all to a potluck dinner at the church this Sunday, June 10, at 5PM with PCUSA mission co-workers, Rev. Michael and Rachel Ludwig, and their family. The Ludwigs minister in Niger, poorest nation on earth, and we'll hear updates on their ministry.

First Presbyterian—Harrison has a part-time administrative assistant position open (Mon-Thur from 9AM-1PM). Job applications are available at the church office, or you may telephone 513-367-4301.

The Presbytery Office will be closed June 16-23 due to the 223rd General Assembly in St. Louis. (Office open only Tuesday, June 19) During that week, “The Cincinnati Sampler” will be replaced with daily updates from our GA Commissioners and YAAD from St. Louis, with these updates posted on the Presbytery’s Facebook page.

Campus Ministry Invite—Rising college freshmen through seniors are encouraged to come to the first ‘coffee and community’ at Lydia’s on Ludlow, on Thursday, June 21 at 7:00PM. It will be a chance for college students to meet one another and have conversation about their faith experiences in college with people of similar ages and religious backgrounds. Questions? Contact our Campus Ministry Intern Lucy, at luwalton@davidson.edu

WELCOME MARGARET

Margaret Heidenreich (pictured upper right) is the part-time Administrative Assistant in the Presbytery Office for the summer season. Margaret is a 2018 graduate of Grove City College, and a member of Covenant-First Presbyterian Church. She serves in the Presbytery Office on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00AM-2:00PM for this summer. Please extend a kind and generous welcome to Margaret during June, July and August, at the Presbytery Office.



PRESBYTERY STAFF AND OFFICERS

- Nancy Kahaian, General Presbyter—nancy@cpresby.org
- Melana Scruggs, Stated Clerk—melana@cpresby.org
- Margaret Heidenreich, Administrative Assistant (summer)—secretary@cpresby.org
- Peggy Sanchez, Financial Secretary—peggy@cpresby.org
- Bob Young, Moderator
- Adam Fronczek, Vice Moderator
- **PRESBYTERY OFFICE HOURS ARE 9AM-2PM** Monday through Thursday

JUNE 2018

CALENDAR

PRESBYTERY OF
CINCINNATI (POC)

Mon 11 June

3:00PM General Assembly
Commissioners and YAAD
at the Presbytery Office

Tue 12 June

9:30AM Bible Study of
Pastors and Preachers at
the Presbytery Office—
Rabbi du Jour is Kevin
Murphy

Sat 16 June

223rd General Assembly
begins in St. Louis and
extends through Sat 23
June

Tue 19 June

9:30AM Bible Study of
Pastors and Preachers at
the Presbytery Office—
Rabbi du Jour is Carol
Ferguson

Tue 26 June

9:30AM Bible Study of
Pastors and Preachers at
the Presbytery Office—
Rabbi du Jour is Bobbie
Bella

BALLPARK RSVPS BY JUNE 15 PLEASE!



Please join the **Presbytery of Cincinnati** for a night at Great American Ball Park to watch the Reds vs. Phillies at **7:10PM on Friday, July 27th**. Stick around and enjoy post-game Fireworks Friday!

More and more RSVPs received every day from congregations in the Presbytery! Here are a few details to help to “take you out to the ballpark”:

- Ticket cost is \$20
- Presbyterian participants are responsible for their own parking costs
- We will be assigned an accessible section, and will sit together as the “Presbytery of Cincinnati”
- Every participating congregation needs a contact person for “July 27 Presbyterians at the Great American Ballpark”

Responsibilities of the **contact person** include:

- Provide an accurate number of tickets to be ordered by emailing office@cpresby.org by **Friday, June 15**
- Collect the funds for the ordered tickets
- Send baseball ticket funds to the Presbytery Office by **Tuesday, June 26**
- Once all ticket orders are received and paid for, they will be officially purchased by the Presbytery at the group rate
- The contact person for each specific congregation participating in “Presbyterians at the Ballpark Night” will receive the tickets for their congregation, to distribute among those participating in the July 27 fun

Questions? Please contact Bob Young, the Moderator of the Presbytery at rcy2@live.com.

OUR PRAYERS SERVE OTHERS

Michelle Bacon observes her final Sunday at Montgomery this Sunday, June 10. We thank God for her faithful witness among us. We pray for Michelle and Todd as they move to Colorado to be near their children, and the Montgomery Church. Please send along your prayers and appreciation.

Puerto Rico continues to recover from last year’s Hurricane Maria. A supportive letter writing campaign for our fellow Presbyterians and Americans has begun in the Presbytery. Write a prayer. Write an encouragement. Write a hope. Please contact office@cpresby.org for addresses where to send your bundles of notes from your Session, VBS kids, or church staff.

Winton Hills Community Church, West Cincinnati PC, Reading-Lockland PC will host summer programs at a variety of times during the summer months. The Presbytery has provided financial mission support to all three summer programs, and your prayers for their safety and fruitfulness are much appreciated!