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*“But we have this treasure in
earthen vessels, to show that the
transcendent power belongs to God
and not to us.”*

2 Corinthians 4:7

For the week of May 31, 2018

The Cincinnati Sampler

NEWS AND NOTES FOR JUNE

Sycamore Presbyterian Church recently acquired a new set of the Daily Bible Series (Barclay). If any church is interested in the 1960 edition of this series, Sycamore Church would be happy to donate it. Please contact Vivian Morgan, Librarian for Sycamore Presbyterian at ukm@fuse.net.

Auditions for “Smoke on the Mountain” will be held at **Community of Faith Presbyterian Church (1400 Highland Pike in Covington, KY)** on Sunday, June 3 from 3-5 pm and Monday, June 4 from 7-9 pm and will consist of a cold reading from the script and singing a song from the show.

The Presbytery Office will be closed June 18-22 due to the 223rd General Assembly in St. Louis. 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.

THANK YOU CHELSEA

Chelsea Nuss (pictured upper right) has submitted her resignation, and her final day will be June 1st in the Presbytery Office. She is grateful for the support and encouragement offered by the Presbytery, and we wish her well as she departs for other ventures. As you may know, Chelsea is an elected member of the Forest Park City Council, and is also the Executive Director of [Docere4Parents](http://Docere4Parents.com), a parent-child education resource for school readiness and educational programming, in addition to being a mother to Ethan and Alayna. Please continue to pray for Chelsea, and hope for God’s continued blessings!



PRESBYTERY STAFF AND OFFICERS

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

JUNE 2018

CALENDAR

**PRESBYTERY OF
CINCINNATI (POC)**

Tue 5 June

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

4:00PM Trustees at the Presbytery Office

6:00PM COM at the Presbytery Office

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

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

JULY 27 AT THE BALLPARK



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!

We're hearing from fans of baseball and fans of fun from throughout the 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:

- Providing an accurate number of tickets to be ordered by emailing office@cpresby.org by **Friday, June 15**
- Collecting the funds for the ordered tickets
- Sending the 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

Norine Behm, CRE at Cherry Fork, mourns the loss of her husband Charles. Norine, her family, and Cherry Fork congregation appreciate being remembered in our daily prayers and acts of kindness.

Don Smith (HR) and Jackie Pinkowski (HR) continue to recover from surgeries. Your prayers, calls and notes of support are appreciated.

Bob Northcutt (CRE-Beecher) mourns the loss of his mother. Your prayers and kindnesses to Bob and Margo, their family and friends, are much appreciated.

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!