

Lilies Given By: And In Memory or In Honor of

Judy Baird: Bruce J. Baird and Jay N. Baird Catherine Baird, Sandra Gundler, Susan Baird-Rawls & Judy Baird: Jay Baird, Bruce Baird, Lulu Baird, Richard Fraker & James Baird Daniel & Shirley Beckner: Mary Dudley Donald & Leslie Crawford: Our Parents (Wayne & Belva Crawford and Arlene Farioli) Mary Fickle: Bob Fickle Laura Fischer: Bill & Nell Fischer Franklin & Betty Gieseck: Ronald Gieseck

Fred & Linda Goldstein & Billie Ritchey:

Bill & Larry Ritchey, Fred "Doc" Goldstein and Elena Fravel Curt & Fran Hungerford:

Robin & Jack Schenz, Roe & Ruth Fravel, and Pearl & Walter Hungerford Tom, Claudia & Karen Johnston: Family & Friends and Glory to God Sally Kean: Bill Kean

Craig & Denise Kelling: Marilynn Y. Patterson-Kelling

Ken & Joyce Mathews: Departed Loved Ones

Jacob & Abby Mauger: Harry & Patty Jo Mauger and Dale Wickline

Rob & Susan (Baird) Rawls & Greyson Baird: Departed Loved Ones

Douglas Ritchey: Hallie Jane Greighton Ritchey

Mike & Kathy Wallace: Anna Jane & Glenard Justice

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL OF THOSE LISTED ABOVE WHO PURCHASED EASTER LILIES THIS YEAR.



PRAYER LIST: (New prayers should be given to Denise in the Church Office.)

- **Praise!** Amber Springer (Mother of Rhian & Payton) has just returned from deployment.
- **Praises for Furman Tinon** (Stan Tinon's Father) is now home with better pain meds and physical rehab with Home health care set up to assist with care; Best of all, we received a report that a pastor Furman has known for years visited him and has led him to the Lord.
- **Praise for June Conrad** (Tami's Mother-In-Law) who is back in her own home now after improvements are completed and managing very well.
- Shelby Mullins (Kathy Wallace's friend) 16 yrs. old, blood clot in leg;
- O'Toole Family (Kenny, Steve, Angie, Sherrie, Tammy and Randy) all are in need of prayer right now;
- Paula Redden (Jamie Bowlby's friend) hospitalized with flue/pneumonia;
- Billie Ritchey is now in The Oaks for rehab after brief hospital stay;
- Sean S. (Patrick O'Toole's buddy), in the step-down unit at Children's Hospital after a few days in ICU for pneumonia and other complications. Doctor will insert feeding tube soon since he is not eating well.
- Aryanna Thompson (Tiffanie Chalfant's friend) pancreatitis;
- Anthony Violi (Joyce Mathews' Father), doing well recuperating at Joyce & Ken's home here in Pataskala;
- Roger Woods recovering from third knee surgery;

Church Family & Friends with Cancer

Bruce DeHart, Chris Farley, Jim Hess, Wanda Pack, Jon Thom, Jane Wildman

Church & Family Members at Home/Care Centers

Connie & Victor DeRose, Howard Efaw, Faye Hammond, Claudia Johnston, Anne Nixon

APRIL BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

- 2 Fred Goldstein
- 3 Claudia Johnston, Jeff Ladd
- 4 Angie Hammond 5 Connor Zeller
- 6 Jennifer & Jeff Ladd, Mike Slaymaker
- 7 Melanie Goldstein-Hodkinson
- 9 Judy Baird, Laura Kimble-Buschleman, Jon & Karen Davis
- 17 Paul Hammond, Jr. 17 Jennifer Ladd
- 18 Michael & Patrick O'Toole, Avery Wildman
- 19 Pam Parkinson

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Donald Crawford

- 23 Anne Nixon 28 Konnody Wi
 - 28 Kennedy Wildman

Olde First News – April 1, 2018

Childcare offered 9:30 – Noon in the Lower Level Nursery. If you are visiting today, we thank you for your visit and hope you enjoy the "Welcome Packet" provided by our Church Greeter.

Please call the Office or an Elder for any prayer needs and emergencies. Call the office at 740-927-4796 and leave a message for changes in the weekly prayer list, updates or announcements. PLEASE NOTE: Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary during Worship. If you need instructions, please see the Greeter.

After Worship, please join us in Fellowship Hall, for coffee & light refreshments!



WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

SUNDAY:	Sunday School 9:30 a.m. / Worship at 10:45 a.m.
MONDAY:	Clogging, 7:30-8:30 p.m.
	Cub Scout Pack #4021, (Every Monday), 6-8 p.m.
WEDS:	Karate Class, 6:30 to 8 p.m. – Choir Practice, 7:30 p.m.
	Illumin8 & Adult Bible Study – Every Week, 6–8 p.m.
THURSDAY:	Girl Scout Troop #386, 6 – 9 p.m. (Every Week)

UPCOMING SPECIAL DATES:

Next Session Meeting – Tuesday, April 10 at 7:30 p.m. Denise Out of Office – Weds., April 4 & Thurs., April 5 for Jury Duty

Giving Totals for Sunday - March 25, 2018

 Deacons \$39
 Lilies \$8
 Per Capita \$66
 Rental Proceeds \$1,830

 Missions: OGHS \$40 / JesusSH \$80 / Local \$2,020
 Plate \$3,265.42

 Past Attendance & PLATE Offering - Budget needs \$3,700 weekly

 3/4: \$4,141
 3/11: 44/\$2,750
 3/18: 55/\$2,202
 3/25: 58 /\$3,265.42

2nd Annual Deacon's Diaper Drive March 25 – May 13 (Mother's Day) We will be collecting Diapers of all sizes and Baby Wipes, too! All donations will go to the Store House for Jesus to be available for local families in need. Donation boxes will be in the lobby near the elevator. Thank you in advance for your generosity!



Worship For the Lord's Day

Easter / Resurrection Sunday April 1, 2018 / 10:45 a.m. Service

Gathering of God's People

RINGING OF THE STEEPLE BELL

WELCOME: Fill our worship with grace, Lord Jesus Christ, that every thought, word, and deed may be acceptable to you, our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.

GREETING AND SHARING GOD'S PEACE

As God has greeted us with his peace, so let us pass the peace of Christ to each other.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Also See Old First News Bulletin Insert) RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP (Please sign & pass the black pew pads)

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Christ is risen!

He is risen indeed!

Our celebration of the resurrection is an expression of our eternal hope!

We rejoice in God's triumph over humiliation and defeat; we worship him who conquered death!

Praise the Lord!

The Lord's name be praised! Let us Worship God!

*Hymn of Praise No. 204: "Jesus Christ is Risen Today"

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

Glory to your name, Lord God Almighty, for you have rolled the stone away and the tomb is empty. You have overcome death through the resurrection of your Son. You have won the victory! Nothing can defeat your love for humanity. Christ is risen to bring us new life. New life bursts forth. Chains of sin and wickedness are broken. The gates of righteousness are opened that your children may enter in. Your praises resound through the heavens. Great is your steadfast love. Your faithfulness, O Lord, endures forever. Amen

*GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE NO. 546:

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen, Amen.

Proclamation of God's Word CHILDREN'S MESSAGE: By

By Tom Johnston

ANTHEM: "Hallelujah! Resurrection Day!"

SCRIPTURE:

l Corinthians 15:1-11 and Mark 16:1-8

SERMON: "Ragged Endings, New Beginnings"

By The Rev. Gary M. Brose

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: "The Apostles' Creed"

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into death. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*Hymn of Response No. 209 (See Insert): "Thine Is the Glory"

Response to God's Word

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY: Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION FOR OFFERING

Lord God, thank you for the blessings you have given us year after year. Help us to wisely use the time you have given us. Lead us, while we remain here on earth, to serve you through all the people around us who are in need. **Amen**.

Sharing of JOYS and CONCERNS of the CONGREGATION

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Friends: This is the joyful feast of the people of God, We come from east and west, from north and south, to sit at table in the kingdom of God.

The GREAT PRAYER of Thanksgiving and the LORD'S PRAYER The Lord be with you.

And also with you. Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The WORDS of INSTITUTION

The DISTRIBUTION

PRAYER of THANKSGIVING

Go Out as God's People in the World

*Closing Hymn No. 208: "The Day of Resurrection"

*Benediction

*POSTLUDE

Happy Easter to Each and Every One/

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April 1, 2018 Easter / Resurrection Sunday

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<u>CHURCH STAFF</u> Transitional Pastor: The Rev. Gary Brose Choir Director: Gary Brose Custodian: Tim Klinker Nursery Attendant: Linda Flowers Organist: Doug Ritchey Secretary: Denise Metzger-Kelling April Elder Assisting: Mat Mauger