

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OCTOBER 7TH

THE SANCTUARY FLOWERS are dedicated to The Glory of God and His Son, Jesus Christ, and are given by Paula Brunson in memory of Walt & Shirley Davis and Jim Brunson.

GAME NIGHT/HOT DOG BAR – SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20TH- 6:30 P.M. – FELLOWSHIP HALL: Bob Leon will be working the grill and Fellowship Team will provide all the fixin's, drinks and games. Cost is \$5.00. Please RSVP on the connect card or by calling the church office (264-0536) so Fellowship knows how to plan.

CIRCLE MEETINGS: **MARY CIRCLE:** Monday, October 8th, 6:00 p.m. (*NOTE NEW TIME*) in Gathering Place. Moderator: Sarah Johnson, 264-3904. **HOPE CIRCLE:** Tuesday, October 9th, 12:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Moderator: Betty Wengert, 269-2548. **REBEKAH CIRCLE:** Wednesday, October 10th, 10:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Moderator: Shirley Weimer, 264-2646. **GRACE CIRCLE:** Thursday, October 11th, 11:45 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Moderator: Jayne Donalson, 262-1909.

PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE (PDA): Following the devastating storms and flooding associated with Hurricane Florence, many wonder how they can assist in providing needed funding and other support. Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is already deploying teams to help affected communities and families get the help they need. Your gifts to One Great Hour of Sharing earlier in the year cover all the administrative costs for PDA. This means you can be assured that your gifts today to PDA are being used fully for recovery efforts. Simply indicate "PDA Hurricane" on your check or envelope. Updates will come soon. Thank you for your faithful, prayerful support.

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY is the first Sunday in October, which celebrates our oneness in Christ with all Christians around the world. Paul tells us that we are to “discern the body” when we partake of Holy Communion, mindful that we note our relationship to all our brothers and sisters in Christ in the celebration. World Communion Sunday is also a time when we receive the annual Peace & Global Witness Offering (aka Peacemaking Offering) as a way of continuing the ancient Christian practice of sharing what we have with brothers and sisters in need. The **PC(USA) PEACE & GLOBAL OFFERING** supports our peacemaking efforts throughout the world. 25% of the monies raised will be designated by our missions committee to help with local peacemaking efforts.

OUR STEPHEN MINISTERS are trained and ready to receive care receivers. If you or someone you know is going through a crisis and could use some help, contact the church office (264-0536), Sarah Johnson, or Debbie Pendry.

DESIGNATED ACCOUNT: A designated account has been established for the purpose of assisting Ashley and her family with financial needs. If you would like to give, please write “Ashley’s designated account” in the memo section of your check.

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IMPORTANT E-MAILS: If you are not receiving them, please verify your correct e-mail address with us. Write it on the connect card or send an e-mail to pam@oppresby.com. We want to keep everyone up-to-date on

the happenings at OPPC. Also, we need current phone numbers and addresses. **NOTE: We are particularly having difficulty with aol.com e-mails being returned and being undeliverable.**

THE CLOTHES CLOSET is in need of canned goods (soup, fruits, chili, vegetables, *especially meats*), jelly, pasta sauces, powdered milk (*individual packets preferably*), baby formula & food, cereal and household goods, i.e. sheets, towels, small appliances, furniture, etc. Drop off in the blue tub located in the Fellowship Hall or the basket in the Narthex. Your financial donations help provide food, gift cards and holiday baskets for needy individuals in Clay County.

FLOWERS FOR THE SANCTUARY: If you have special dates throughout the year that you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary, contact Martha Klair (923-2678 or grdnrc8@gmail.com).

		Sunday – October 7
		WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY CENTS-ABILITY COLLECTION
	9:15 am	Sunday School for all ages
	10:00 am	Fellowship Time/GP
	10:30 am	Worship/Communion
	FW	Potluck Luncheon
		Monday – October 8
	NOON	BULLETIN DEADLINE
	10:00 am	VPK Music/FH/MR
	6:00 pm	Mary Circle/GP
	6:00 – 8:00 pm	Cub Scouts/FH
	7:00 – 9:30 pm	OP Chorale/S
		Tuesday – October 9
	9:00 am	PS Family Chapel & Music/S
	10:00 am	OA Group/GP
	12:00 pm	Hope Circle/FH
	1:30 – 3:30 pm	Shepherds Center Bridge/FH
		Wednesday – October 10
	7:00 am	Shoulder-to-Shoulder/Pengrees
	9:00 am	PS Jump-N-Learn/FH/MR
	9:00 am	Holy Huddle/FH
	10:30 am	Rebekah Circle/FH
	7:00 pm	Choir/CR
		Thursday – October 11
	9:30 – 11:45 am	VPK Spanish/SP Class
	11:45 am	Grace Circle/FH
	6:30 pm	Clay Pipes & Drums/FH
		Friday – October 12
	9:00 am	PS Jump-N-Learn/FH/MR
	10:00 am	OA Group/GP
		Saturday – October 13
	9:00 am – 12:00 pm	OA Group/FH
		Sunday – October 14
	9:15 am	Sunday School for all ages
	10:00 am	Fellowship Time/GP
	10:30 am	Worship

Location codes: FH (Fellowship Hall); GP (Gathering Place); S (Sanctuary); MR (Music Room/FH); CR (Choir Room in Gathering Place), FW (Following Worship)