

Financial Information

(reflects giving to the General Fund)

Electronic giving for January \$390.00

Electronic giving for February \$770.00

Electronic giving for March: \$740.00

March 4, 2018 \$1,965.00

March 11, 2018 \$2,565.00

March 18, 2018 \$2,290.00

March 25, 2018 \$1,497.00

April 1, 2018 \$4,402.00

April 8, 2018 \$1,575.00

April 15, 2018 \$2990.00

This Week's Calendar

Today: Luke 5:27-32 *Jesus Calls Levi*

The nursery is open.

Tuesday: Women's Fellowship Board, 7 pm

Wednesday: Choir Practice 7:00

Thursday: NA Meeting in the youth lounge at 7:00

Next Sunday: ????? and Anna Karlsfadt in the nursery. Please call or text Dianna K 419-670-2948 to volunteer to the the adult today.

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Ian's hours:

Monday -Thursday 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Secretary's hours Thursday & Friday, 9 am-2 pm

Ruling Elders:

Dave Nice, Darwin Cline 2018

Rhonda Smalley, Matt Reineck 2019

Barb Searing, Bud Koenig 2020

Deacons:

Jill Straley, Brent Fishbaugh 2018

Jeff Summers, Marcia Wiebe 2019

Jane Nice, Darla Cline 2020

Prayer is available after worship: anyone wanting prayer may go to the Communion Table following the service.

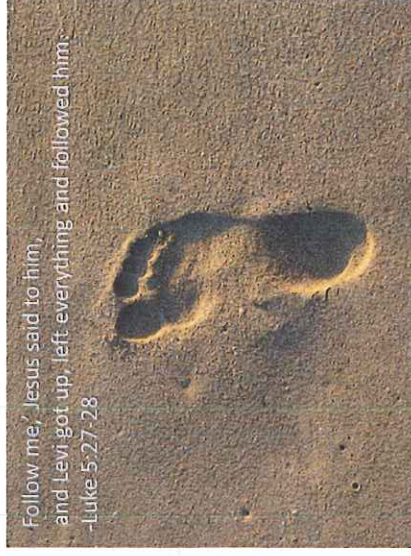
Guests, we hope you have experienced the love of Christ here today, and that you will come again soon. If you are willing to share your contact information, please fill out a yellow pew card.

First Presbyterian Church

Paulding Ohio

To Know Christ, To Make Christ Known

Follow me, Jesus said to him,
and Levi got up, left everything and followed him.
-Luke 5:27-28



April 22, 2018

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Praise and Worship in song

Announcements

Prelude: "Morning Prayer" Nolana Loop

Welcome

*Hymn #387: "Have Thine Own Way, Lord!"

Prayer Requests/Pastoral Prayer/
The Lord's Prayer

Choir: "Show Us the Way" Tillotson/Drake

Offering
Offertory: "Canticle of Peace" Franklin Ritter

*Doxology/Prayer

*Hymn #278: "Open My Eyes, That I May See"

Scripture Teaching: Luke 5:27-32
Jesus Calls Levi

*Hymn #184: "Make Me a Blessing"

*Benediction

*Choral Response: "May the Lord Go
With You"

Postlude: "A Joyful Celebration"
Patricia Lou Harris

*Please stand if you are able

Announcements

Check the church website! Where is says, 'click here for recent church services', Pastor Ian has figured out how to put things there! Good job, Ian!

National Day of Prayer is Thurs. May 3 at 8 am at the Courthouse Gazebo. A prayer vigil will continue from 10 am -7 pm at the church. Please sign up for a time.

Andrew Brunson: Thank you to all of you who prayed at church or at home for Andrew Brunson last Monday, as his trial began. The press reports that, after 10 hours of testimony, he was returned to prison until May 7. He is very discouraged. The notes of hope you wrote, and the shawl you prayed over for his wife, Norine, are on their way to the EPC main office, to be sent on to the family, as we speak. Follow updates at epconnection.org.

Planning ahead to May: To make our children feel welcome and included, the Worship committee and Christian Education committee are planning to include **Children's Church** in our services beginning the first Sunday in May. Near the middle of the service, three-to five-year-olds will be dismissed to go to the Fellowship Hall with whoever is teaching that Sunday. This, of course, means that we need more volunteers! Looking for one adult and one teen for each Sunday. See Rhonda Smalley, Pastor Ian, Alissa Ferguson or Sue Crossland for more information.

Defiance College Chamber Singers and Choral Union: In preparation for a tour to New York and Carnegie Hall, these talented young adults will be performing in Defiance, St. John Church of Christ, Fri., April 27 at 7:00 pm and at Bryan City Schools Arts and Education Center at 4:00 pm on Sun., April 29.

Food Pantry: Think spring cleaning (spring is certainly coming, isn't it?) Personal hygiene products for men, women, and children are always needed. Dish soap and other cleaning supplies also greatly appreciated.

Prayer Requests

Edward Hiestand Paul PUNCHES' 97 yr old uncle, in hospice, not a Christian

Lucas Gutman: (our own Baby Lucas) upcoming heart surgery (Phyllis Crossland's great-grandson) Dwight Stoller, going back to Cleveland Clinic in a few weeks

David and Britni Dooley as they pray to show Christ to their son's birth family

Maddie Smith, friend of Darla Cline, 5 years old, she had a stroke a few months ago, can no longer walk, speech is infantile.

Rob Constein, had 2nd lung surgery, at home

If you have a prayer concern that you would like listed, please turn it in to the office. We want to continue in prayer for all needs.

The Family of Orville Schaeffer Marcia Wiebe's uncle

The Family of Greg Pollock

The Family of Reta Boggs, Sheila St. John's mom

So many battling various cancers:

Lori Price-Hull

Gerald Dangler, Rhonda Smalley's brother

Bob Egler

Ron Treece

Jan Bibler, Rhonda Smalley's sister

Becky Fishbaugh

Mary Becker

Jan Hahn

Pray this week for:

Reba Hurtig and Eric Jones

Paulding Co. Sheriff Jason Landers

Andrew Brunson's physical and mental health

Praise: Our church family joining in prayer!