

# Presbytery of Scioto Valley (PSV) Mid-Week E-News May 8, 2019

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## *The Presbytery* OF SCIOTO VALLE

### Presbytery of Scioto Valley Mission and Vision Statement

*God calls us through the Holy Spirit to connect with each other to plant, grow and nurture vital,*

*faithful communities of Christ for service and ministry.*

*In response we build partnerships,*

*communicate with and support congregations,  
leaders and individuals,*

*and embody Christ's transforming love in the world.*

### Presbytery Calendar

#### MAY



#### Thursday, May 9

4-6 pm

Fireside Chat for  
Pastors

Clintonville Rusty  
Bucket

#### Monday, May 13

3 pm

PSV Commission for  
Presbytery Operations

**Tuesday,  
May 21**

### Celebrating May Ordination Anniversaries... Presbytery of Scioto Valley Minister Members



*We recognize and lift up in prayer the work and ministry of our pastors in the Presbytery who are celebrating the anniversary of their ordination to the Ministry of Word and Sacrament*

*during the month of May.*

The Reverend Dr. Thomas B. Martin (5-1-1963)

The Reverend M. Stephen Merold (5-13-1973)

The Reverend Joel A. Esala (5-15-2016)

The Reverend Dr. Myong Sun Kim (5-15-2011)

The Reverend Leslie Sauer (5-17-1971)

The Reverend Dr. Shelley C. Wiley (5-18-1986)

The Reverend Dr. Jeannie C. Harsh (5-21-2013)

The Reverend David L. Bubb (5-22-1984)

The Reverend Evan D. Fisher (5-23-1965)

The Reverend Robert E. Salmon (5-24-1970)

The Reverend Elizabeth D. Terry (5-31-1981)

The Reverend Randy Terry (5-31-1981)

THE SYNOD OF THE COVENANT  
PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN (PW)

**Presbytery**

**Meeting Day**

First Presbyterian Church, London

1-3 pm Session  
Records Review

3:30-7:30 p.m.

Presbytery Meeting

**Wednesday,  
May 22**

Noon  
Hanging Rock Area  
Church Professionals  
Lunch Gathering in  
Jackson

**Thursday, May 23**

Noon  
PSV Staff  
Lunch/Meeting

**Tuesday, May 28**

Noon  
"PIE" Planning Team  
1 pm  
PSV Commission for  
Nurture and Outreach

**A Time of Prayer  
for Teachers and  
Students**

Holy God: to you it  
happens often,

**2019 Summer Gathering and Retreat**



July 12-13, 2019

Covenant Presbyterian Church  
2070 Ridgecliff Road in Columbus

Retreat speakers will include:

**Eugenia Gamble**

Author of the 2019-2020 Horizons Bible Study, "Love Carved in Stone: A Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments". In two workshops she will provide an overview and offer ideas and resources for study leaders.

**Carol Winkler**

Former Moderator of Presbyterian Women in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). Carol will share the latest from Churchwide PW where she serves ex-officio.

**Diane Moffett**

Presbyterian Mission Agency president and executive director. Diane will speak about the mission of the PC(USA) today.

For more information, see the brochure: <https://psvonline.org/events/presbyterian-women-in-the-synod-of-the-covenant/>

**News from the Westside Urban Ministry (WUM)  
WINTER JACKETS IN THE SPRING???**

As you get out your spring gear, and put away your winter wear, remember the Presbytery's Westside Urban Ministry (WUM) collects new and gently-used children's jackets. WUM collects these, and then sorts and distributes them in early winter to the nurses and counselors at schools on Columbus's West side. Last year WUM distributed over 800 jackets, thanks to your generous support! Our goal is 1,000 coats/jackets for the 2019 winter season! Questions or need jackets picked up? Contact Connie Jump of the Overbrook Presbyterian Church at [csjumps@gmail.com](mailto:csjumps@gmail.com).

**Covenant Gathering 2019, July 7-12**

but to us, slayings  
of students in schools  
comes as  
senseless shock.  
Help us to understand  
what we cannot  
accept;

and give us wisdom  
and courage to reduce  
incidence of such loss,  
and kindness to aid  
victims, survivors,  
and perpetrators too,  
in Jesus, who went to  
temple a student and  
teacher.

*by bill leety, May 2019*

### Geneva Retreat Center, Rochester, IN

Covenant Gathering 2019 is an inter-generational event presented by PC(USA) members and churches in the Synod of the Covenant and the Synod of Lincoln Trails.

Join other Christians for Covenant Gathering 2019 at the beautiful Geneva Retreat, Camp and Conference Center in the rolling hills of north central Indiana as we share amazing "What If" possibilities of faith in God's Kingdom.

What If the Church Can Go Beyond?... What If There's More Than Enough?...What If You Looked Deeper?...What If Your Church Journey Is Presbyterian?...What If Jesus Crosses Boundaries? Go to [www.covenantgathering.com](http://www.covenantgathering.com) for more information.

### 2019 PRESBYTERIAN CALENDARS will be available in August...

This 16-month PC(USA) calendar-starting with September, 2019, and ending with December, 2020, can be ordered at any time. Cost will be \$8.50 each. To order, email: [dagmar@psvline.org](mailto:dagmar@psvline.org).



### ***Coming to Scioto Valley in June 25-July 2, 2022!*** **The 225th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)**

Plans are being made by our Presbytery to prepare for the honor of hosting the 225th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), June 25-July 2, 2022. If you want to be involved in the planning for the 225th General Assembly, please sign up on the presbytery website: [www.psvonline.org](http://www.psvonline.org) or email: [jeannie@psvonline.org](mailto:jeannie@psvonline.org)

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