

**This Week at the
Ogden Presbyterian Church**

Today..... Worship, 10am
..... Kirkin' o' th' Tartans
..... PW (after worship)

Tuesday Women's Bible, 9:30am
..... Worship & Music, 7pm

Wednesday Home Bureau, 9:30-2:30
..... Choir, 4pm
..... TOPS, 5:30pm

Thursday SEM @ Ogden Baptist, 10
..... Stitchin' for Mission, 10am
..... Bible 101, 7pm

Saturday PW Tea Party, 1-3pm

Next Sunday.... Oktoberfest Fellowship

MARK YOUR CALENDARS...

**Personnel Recognition will be held on
Sunday, October 22nd.**

**Stewardship Sunday will be held on
Sunday, October 29th.**

Upcoming OPC Events

October 15
Oktoberfest Fellowship

October 16
ORACLE DEADLINE
Lunch Bunch, 11:30am
@ Slayton Place
Men's Bible, Noon,
@ Union St. Eatery
Membership, 2pm
Deacons, 6:30pm
Trustees, 7pm

October 19
Bible 101, 7pm

October 22
Personnel Recognition

October 26
Bible 101, 7pm

October 27
Wedding Rehearsal, 5pm

October 28
Wedding (Plucknette)

October 29
Stewardship Sunday

October 30
Men's Bible, Noon,
@ OPC

| Worship and Fellowship Assistants | | |
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| | Today | Next Sunday |
| Greeters | Wayne & Terri Bulan | Alice Brendel |
| Ushers | Charlie & Barb White | Carol Newman & Bonnie Howlett |
| Liturgist | Carol Newman | Roger Howlett |
| Fellowship | Resch Family & Fellowship | Oktoberfest—Fellowship Team |
| SS Teacher | Kelly Bindert | Cindy Anderson |
| Nursery | TBA | TBA |
| BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR..... Bonnie Bush CHOIR DIRECTOR:..... Jean Weaver ORGANIST/ACCOMPANIST:..... Ellen Bristol CHRISTIAN EDUCATION DIRECTOR..... Donna Metherell | | |
| Trustee of the Month — October — Wayne Bulan — 766-1017 One trustee is assigned per month to take care of any building issues that may arise. Please call the designated Trustee if you have something that needs to be addressed. Thank You! | | |

Ogden Presbyterian Church



What does "Kirkin' o' th' Tartans" mean?

A loose translation would be "blessing of the tartans" or "blessing of the families". "Kirk" is the Scottish word for church and a "Tartan" is the plaid-patterned fabric, usually wool, that clans—or families—use to distinguish themselves from other clans. Essentially, tartans provide a visual link to clan identity and heritage.

Kirkin' o' th' Tartan Worship Services have been held throughout North America since the early 1940s, but the tradition is rooted in 18th-century Scottish faith and patriotism. It is said that when English conquerors banned the wearing of Tartan in 1745, some Scottish families began to carry swatches of the material concealed under their clothing into their church services. At some point in the service, when the minister gave a blessing, the clanspeople would touch their hidden bits of Tartan as a way to recommit themselves to their Lord and their Scottish heritage.

So then why do we celebrate clans and Tartans?

It is because the clansmen demonstrated true brotherhood and the clan was the family. The tartan is a symbol of this love and togetherness, NO MATTER WHAT OUR HERITAGE. In our Kirkin' service, we remember ancient times, as well as past and present kith and kin, while asking God's help and blessings in the future.

IN OUR COMMUNITY

ROCHESTER PHILHARMONIC AROUND THE TOWN CONCERT
 Friday, October 13th, 7:30pm, FREE admission
 Roberts Wesleyan College Cultural Life Center
 2301 Westside Dr
 Rochester, NY 14624

3rd ANNUAL HOLIDAY ARTS & CRAFTS SALE
 Saturday, October 21st, 10am—4pm, FREE admission
 Community Christian Church
 2647 Chili Avenue (adjacent to Westside Dr)

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, contact John Caloritis (Clerk of Session) at 723-1285, Dawn Sheffet (Deacon Co-Chair) at 746-7666, or Dennise Webster (Deacon Co-Chair) at 698-0784.

REMEMBER: November 2017 Oracle deadline is Monday, October 16th.

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Writing of Joys and Concerns

There is a prayer request card in the pew. Please write down your prayer or praise request for us. (Please print legibly). Please put the prayer card into the offering plate during the offering so the pastor will include your joys and concerns in Prayers of the People.

Touch Cards. Please take a moment to send a thought or well wishes to the designated person listed below. The cards can be found in each pew. **Drop them in the collection plate or in the little basket in the Library.** The Deacons will make sure they get to that person.

This week's touch cards are for - **Harriet Ireland**
Now residing at Seabury. Please write her a note to let her know that we are thinking of her and keeping her in our prayers.

WELCOME TO OGDEN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are glad you came today.

For your convenience, nursery care is available in Room #1 from 9:45 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. If needed, the room off the Narthex can be used for a cry room or for infant care. Sunday School for children through 8th grade is held during the worship service after the children's time. Restrooms are located past the Fellowship Hall on the right. Please join us in the fellowship hall for a coffee/tea fellowship following the service.

OPC Mission Statement: Our purpose is to equip ourselves and others to be Disciples of Christ as we seek God's will for our church and beyond.

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Hearing Aid Induction Loop Area
Use Your Telecoils
Audio Loop Installed

Welcome to Ogdén Presbyterian Church
Sunday, October 8, 2017 - 18th Sunday after Pentecost
Kirkin' O' Th' Tartans

*Worshippers please stand (as you are able)

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

CHIMES "Simple Gifts"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
GREETING EACH OTHER
Ringing of Bell

PRELUDE "The Pipes of County Clare" ~Gaul
Lighting of the candles

*PROCESSION OF THE BANNERS "Highland Cathedral"
Rochester Scottish Pipe Band

CALLING OF THE CLANS Craig Barclay

CALL TO WORSHIP Jan Beutner

L: Sisters and brothers, we come to this place where God pours out love on us,

P: We respond by joining our hearts and voices in praise.

L: You are God's chosen ones, holy and beloved.

P: We gather with each other, those who seek to follow Jesus.

L: Let us be clothed with love for one another, and bound together in harmony,

P: So we might journey together, hand in hand – sharing and experiencing God's love.

L: Open your hearts to the presence of the Spirit,

P: So that we may be strengthened to care for each other.

L: Let us worship God!

P: Let us worship God, together!

*HYMN #2020 "Praise the Lord with the Sound of Trumpet"

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison) Jan Beutner

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, not caring for each other properly, forgetting your love. Have mercy on us, O Lord; we are sorry for what we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins against one another, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

(silence is observed for individual prayer)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON Jan Beutner

L: Sisters and brothers, God loves you! God is breathing, living, forgiving, restoring you in this moment, and in the days to come. This is the good news for us!

P: As God loves us, so we can live, work, and care for others so that love, hope, and joy might touch all people. Thanks be to God, we are forgiven. Amen

SPECIAL MUSIC Rochester Scottish Pipe Band

TIME WITH YOUNG CHRISTIANS Pastor Tedd

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Philippians 2:1-8 pg. 954
Colossians 3:12-17 pg. 958

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God!

SERMON "Caring Community" Rev. Tedd Pullano

*HYMN #386 "O For a World" (all 5 verses)

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY INVITATION
OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY "Sarabande"

J.S. Bach

*DOXOLOGY #592

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

We bring these gifts as symbols of our love - our love for God - our love for Jesus - our love for one another. We pray God's blessing on these gifts, and pray that we may be blessed and strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be fruitful and loving witnesses of the gospel. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

JOYS AND CONCERNS
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

"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."

BEARING AND FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*HYMN #280 "Amazing Grace" (all 5 verses)

*BLESSING OF THE TARTANS

Craig Barclay

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*RECESSIONAL "Scotland the Brave" Rochester Scottish Pipe Band

We welcome members of the Scottish Heritage Society and Rochester Scottish Pipe Band to worship this morning! Thank you for worshipping with us!

After worship, we will have a Fellowship Reception Hour in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to join us!

A HALLOWEEN PARTY & SCARE FACTORY

Hosted by OPC's Youth Group

Saturday, October 28th, 6:30—9pm @ OPC

Games, Crafts, Food, and More!...

All Ages Welcome!!!

Proceeds support Youth Group Events & Mission Projects

FELLOWSHIP OUTING TO BRIGHTLY FARMS

On **Thursday, October 26th** there will be a **Luncheon Outing to Brightly Farms** in Hamlin. We will meet at the church at 11:00 a.m. for those who want to car pool or you can meet us at Brightly Farms at 11:30. We will each order and pay on our own. Please see the sign-up sheet and brochure from Brightly Farms on the Fellowship bulletin board and be sure to sign up by the deadline date of October 22nd. Bring extra money if you'd like to do some shopping. They have a large variety of items. We hope you will join us!

PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Session has given the Mission Committee its approval to hold a 1-time "Special Offering" to be taken on **November 5th** for the victims of Hurricanes Harvey and Irma. All donations will be sent to PDA. Special offering envelopes will be in the pews. Thank you!



HONORING LAW ENFORCEMENT

On OPC's behalf, the Membership Committee would like to recognize our community law enforcement. If you serve, or if you know anyone who serves in this profession in our church family, please let us know by November 1st. Thank you!

PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Presbytery's Committee on Ministry authorized us to move forward with the Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC). Session is responsible for finding the members, then at a Congregational Meeting, the congregation votes to approve the PNC. This is a fantastic committee to be a part of — challenging, but incredibly rewarding. The committee is open to any member of the church. If you are interested in being a part of the PNC, please see John Caloritis or Cindy Anderson. Thank you!



PASTOR
NOMINATING COMMITTEE

BIBLE 101 w/ Pastor Tedd

The Bible is awesome. But, it can be hard to read and understand. We can help! Come join us on Thursday nights at 7pm for Pastor Tedd's Bible 101 class. You will walk away more comfortable with the Bible, able to read it and understand it better, and apply it to your daily life. And who knows, maybe you can start preaching, too!

FOOD SHELF CURRENT NEEDS:

Mac n' Cheese, Canned Soup, Pudding, and Jell-O are the current needs. If you wish to donate cash, please see Jean Schult or Andy Resch. Thank you for your generosity.

MISSION COMMITTEE NEWS

The Mission Committee has set up an account with **Five Cent Fast Redemption Center** in Barefoot Landing (Krony's) Plaza. If you want to help the committee, tell your friends and family to return their cans and bottles there and add their refund to our account. The 10th of each month earns an extra 10% to the redemption amount. OPC members, continue bringing your cans and bottles to church and we'll redeem them for you. Thank you! **Redemption Center Hours: Mon-Fri 11-6; Sat. 11-3**

OKTOBERFEST FELLOWSHIP

Mark your calendars now and plan to attend our **Oktoberfest Fellowship Hour on October 15th** where we will be serving the usual delicious German fare. A free will offering will be taken to help with the cost of the food. Hope to see you there for a fun time!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD & STOCKINGS FOR SOLDIERS

The Mission Committee needs your help. Operation Christmas Child has already begun and we are asking you to fill the "Special Boxes" that have been donated by the Deacons. (Thank you, Deacons!) Last year we filled 53 boxes. The boxes will be on the Mission Table for you to take home along with the packing information. This year, **NO TOOTHPASTE OR CANDY, PLEASE!** Please also remember to include a check for \$9.00 to cover the cost of shipping (you can also pay online).

Deadline date is November 19th.

We're also asking you to fill Christmas Stockings for our military. A special box will be on the Mission Table along with copies of the "Wish List" for you to take home.

Deadline date to follow.

Thank you for your generosity! ~The Missions Committee