

PRAYER PALS

From September - December 2023, Prayer Pals will connect each week to share prayer requests, pray for one another, and meet in person monthly and pray for one another together.

If you are interested in signing up, please fill out the information sheet below and return to Melissa Canney or Paul Oswalt. If you have any questions, you can contact a member of the Christian Education committee ... Melissa Canney, Paul Oswalt, Gina Wells, Gailyn Whipple and Pastor Désirée.

Name: _____

Mailing Address _____

Email: _____

Landline or Cell #: _____

Preferred method of communication: Circle One

Mailing Address

Email

Phone

I prefer to have a Prayer Pal within the church who is:

◇ Same gender

◇ Similar age

◇ Other: _____

◇ No preference

By signing below, you commit to connecting with your Prayer Pal each week via an agreed upon method of communication to share prayer requests and to pray for your Prayer Pal. And, you commit to praying together via phone, virtually, or in person at least once a month.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



August 27, 2023

**First Presbyterian Church
London, Ohio**

IMPORTANT DATES

Aug. 29: Membership Committee meeting
Sept. 3: Deacon meeting
Sept. 4: Church office will be closed for Labor Day
Sept. 6: Christian Ed Committee meeting
Sept. 7: Worship Committee meeting
Sept. 7: Choir Rehearsal resumes

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for the Sept. 9 meeting of **Sisters in the Lord**. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex. Looking for the following:

Food Donations: please contact Carole Ames at 614-296-4656 with any questions. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex. Recipe for the main dish is provided.

Set Up: Friday, Sept. 8 at 5:00 PM.

*Put up tables and chairs.

*Set up sanctuary.

Clean Up: Saturday, Sept. 9 at 4:00 PM.

*Move tables and chairs to Fellowship Hall for the PCC 50th Anniversary meal.

Call Joyce Lloyd at 740-852-4229 with any questions.



London City Schools operates a free store called The Raider Rack where students in grades PK-12 may shop for new clothing, coats and shoes. The store is in its 7th year and serves more than 200 individual students each school year. We are always in need of the following donations:

- ◆ Girl's and Women's leggings - all sizes, color: black or grey
- ◆ Boy's and Men's jogger/athletic pants - all sizes, color black or grey
- ◆ Girl's and Boy's sneakers - sizes: kids 13-6, adults 6-12
- ◆ Red Raider gear - any type, any size

A tote will be placed in the Narthex for your donations. Thank you!

PRAYER LINE

All requests to be submitted to Shelley Jones at shelley.j.jones8@gmail.com or 614-425-7570. For now, you can still send emails to sjbailey19@gmail.com.

Due to privacy issues, please make sure any prayer request is with consent of the person concerned. Let the pastor know when her presence is needed. If you wish to have prayer concerns lifted during the worship service, please email the church office.

SISTERS IN THE LORD

We are hosting the next gathering on Saturday, Sept. 9, from 1-3:00 PM. ALL women are invited to join in ecumenical singing, prayer, praise, testimony, and lunch.

SUFFICIENT GRACE

First Presbyterian Church is supporting Sufficient Grace this school year by collecting items that they need on an ongoing basis:

- Granola bars
- Slim Jims
- Individual size Trail Mix
- Peanut Butter or Cheddar Cheese Sandwich Crackers
- Pudding Cups

A collection box is located in the Narthex. If you have any questions, you can contact Debbie Blaho at 614-736-5126 or Stephanie Huddleston at 740-506-0012. Thank you for your continued support.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP

A BIG THANKS goes out to the volunteers who donated & packaged the Help House meal on August 21. We provided a hot weather picnic meal to 156 hungry neighbors. Also, thank you to all who support the Hunger Fund through monetary donations.

Many thanks to the following volunteers: Joe Blaho, Melissa Canney, Debbie Cochran, Roberta (Bert) Cwiekalo, Brenda Engle, Diane Hankins, Richard and Stephanie Huddleston, Peggy Link, Joyce Lloyd, Dolly McDonley and Mindful Mothers.

Please watch the Chimes and church announcements for information on how you can help with our next meal, which will be in October.