

## Welcome to Community of Faith Presbyterian Church

Our purpose is to be a **community of faith** serving in the likeness of Christ. We aspire to *servanthood* in order to be faithful to our calling as Christians. We work both as individuals and in community to live faithful lives in response to that calling. We believe that we are saved by faith in order to speak the gospel of Jesus Christ our Lord and do God's work in the world

**Sunday Mornings** Sunday School begins at 9:40am. Fellowship & refreshments are available at 10:30. Adults as well as children are invited to **worship together at 11:00am**. Clipboards and crayons for young worshipers are available near the Sanctuary doors. Everyone is welcome! Information about our ministry, mission and activities is available in the communication center near the front doors. Visitors are invited to sign the guest register.

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Pastor	Rev. Sharon D. Carter
Music Director	Joanna Bailey
Musicians	Roy Miller—Bass
Administration & Property	
Christian Education	
Clerk of Session	Dawn Ramsey Farwick
Commissioner to Presbytery	
Congregational Care	Jean Jennings
Mission & Evangelism	William Lindsay, John Kleier
Nominating Committee	
Co-Treasurers	Matt Hastings & Kim Suer
Worship	

### Elders

#### Class of 2016

Al Jaeger  
Rebecca Lindsay  
Gary Willis

#### Class of 2017

Christian Addison  
John (Jack) Kleier  
Joanna Bailey

#### Class of 2018

Dawn Farwick  
Jean Jennings  
Bill Lindsay

Co-Moderators of Trustees: Jo Shade and Dawn Farwick

Clerk of Trustees: Miguel Carlin

#### Class of 2016

Kittie Dupps  
Dan Farwick

#### Class of 2017

Lynda Jaeger  
Sharon Carlin  
Janet Stadtmiller

#### Class of 2018

Freda Carlin  
Jeff Carter  
Carol Schomaker

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**Rev. Sharon can be reached by phone or e-mail.**

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### Sunday Schedule:

Sunday School 9:40 am; Fellowship 10:30am; Service 11:00am

**Choir Rehearsal each Wednesday at 7:00pm**

www.COFNKY.org (859) 331-3238

## Sunday, January 22, 2017

### The lessons for Sunday,

#### January 29, 2017

Micah 6:1-8;  
Psalm 15;  
1 Cor. 1:18-31;  
Matt. 5:1-12

### Upcoming Events

January 29—Annual Meeting  
February 7—Session Meeting 6:45  
February 14— Presbytery Meeting



**Please pray for:** Nancy Ziegler, Betty Murphy, Shirley Weigel, Ruth and Jack Roeber, The McDermott family, Howard Story, Donna Kreicker, Johanna Willis, Nita Kleier, Inky Hall, David Weitzel, Joanna Bailey, Jean Jennings' family, Mary Lee Harrison, Emille Walden, Deborah Grover, Kelly Montana, Margaret Meyer, and Paula Reinhart.

**Information Meeting on the Catch Basin on COF's Property** The meeting will take place on today, January 22, immediately after church. A light lunch will be served. Please come and hear about these plans, which will affect not only Community of Faith church, but our community.

**Volunteers** We need liturgists for 2017! The liturgist assists Rev. Sharon in the worship service each Sunday. You don't have to be an Elder to be a liturgist. If you are interested in helping, please sign the list in the narthex, call the church office or talk with Rev. Sharon.

**Thank you!** To everyone who cooked and served our Cornerstone meal this month. This was our best effort yet! Thanks to you some people were fed who might not otherwise have had anything to eat that night. You all are awesome!!

**Thank You!**

**Per Capita for 2017** Each year we, like all Presbyterian churches, pay a certain amount for per capita to the Presbytery of Cincinnati, the Synod, and the General Assembly of the PCUSA. This money goes to fund ministries and missions of the wider church. Please note that this year's Per Capita amount is \$30.00 per person. If you would like to cover your portion of this year's per capita, please designate on your check or envelope your desire to do so. Thank you!

## Five ways to find out if church is cancelled:



- 1) Check Channel 9 WCPO - either watch the crawl or look on the WCPO website for the list of closings.
- 2) Check your email for an announcement.
- 3) Check the Community of Faith website - [www.cofnky.org](http://www.cofnky.org) for an announcement.
- 4) We will endeavor to call regular worshipers via our phone tree.

5) As a last resort, call the Clerk, Dawn Ramsey Farwick, at 859-356-1711

**Annual Congregational Meeting** Please plan to attend the annual congregational meeting, next week, January 29 at the close of worship. We will approve the pastor's terms of call and receive the annual report, as well as vote on officers for the class of 2019. Officers in nomination are



Elder: no nominees (need 3)

Deacon: Dan Farwick and Anji Hurt (need one more)

Trustee: Bill Lindsay and Harry Eagan

## **Singing Against the Darkness**

In this latest darkness  
That threatens to engulf,  
Where terror and hate abound,  
Where fear invades the mind and  
People tremble at the news,  
O Lord, may we be found  
Singing against the night,  
Holding up a light,  
Driving back the darkness with a song.

Put on God's armor now.  
With truth and faith and prayer  
We can claim this holy ground.  
Trust not in swords and guns,  
But in that terrible day,  
O Lord may we be found  
Praying against the night,  
Holding up a light,  
Driving back the darkness with a prayer.

When sun and moon go dark,  
The Lord will be our light,  
His voice our guiding sound.  
Heaven and earth may disappear.  
God's word is ever sure.  
So, Lord may we be found  
Speaking against the night,  
Holding up a light,  
Driving back the darkness with God's word.

So, band together now.  
No longer quake with fear.  
Let grace and peace be crowned.  
Stand up and bravely wait;  
Salvation is at hand.  
Then Lord, may we be found,  
Singing against the night,  
Holding up a light,