

Little Bells...

... your weekly update to The Chimes

The Elder for April is Jim Ryan, 513-791-2499. The Deacon for April is Sue Poulos, 513-376-1623. The Deacon in charge of rides and meals for April is Cindy Godby, 513-314-5491.

Holy Week Schedule

2023 Holy Week and Easter Schedule

Maundy Thursday

Thursday, April 6, 7pm Blue Ash Presbyterian Church Remembering Christ's final meal with his disciples and his new commandment

Friday, April 7; 7pm Montgomery Presbyterian Church

A solemn service of worship, remembering the sacrifice of our Lord through music and silence, light and darkness, and God's Word.

Sunday, April 9, 10:30 am

Joyful, music-filled celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ

PC(U.S.A.) Special Offerings: One Great Hour of Sharing

By giving to OGHS, you join God's call to share our bread with the hungry, to aid and shelter those overcoming catastrophe and conflict, and to resource communities working to cast off the bonds of poverty and oppression. Collection will be received Easter Sunday, April 9.

Adult CE Resumes Regular Schedule April 16

After a break for Easter, Adult CE will resume meeting at our normal time at 9am:

April 16: Living God's Love Through Our Differences

April 23: First joint worship service as Evergreen, no Adult CE

April 30: Reading and Experiencing the Bible through Story



Book Club

The MPC Book Club will be reading A Woman of No Importance: The Untold Story of the American Spy Who Helped Win World War II by Sonia Purnell. It is a biography of Virginia Hall, and an astounding and inspiring story of her heroism, spycraft, resistance, and personal triumph over shocking adversity. We will be discussing this book on **Monday**, **April 24**, at the home of Susie Lewis, 9247 Village Green Drive. We will meet at 6:30pm for social time and begin the book

discussion at 7:00pm. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Simpson at karenanndance@gmail.com.

April Mission Collection

In April, we will collect feminine hygiene products for the women at Bethany House.



Report from the Scholarship Committee

MPC renewed our support for education with the awarding of 3 scholarships for college students, GiGi Lewis, Maddy Nein and Logan Koebel, for the 2023-2024 school year. Our support for Skyward students resulted in awarding 3 scholarships for students to be able to continue their studies at Skyward Academy. We are joyful to be able to support such wonderful students.

Earth Care Recycling Collection for March and a Concert Announcement

The Earth Care team continues to collect plastic film, denim fabric, crunchy bags and small hand tools in the bins on the east side of the Gathering Room. Please make certain everything is clean and dry.



Save the date Mark your calendars for an Earth Care concert on Sunday, May 21 at 4:00. More details will be available in the April Chimes newsletter.

Save the Dates: Church Picnic & Summer Concerts on the Lawn

- * Picnic will be **Sunday**, **June 11** at Weller Park.
- * Dates for the Concert on the Lawn series will be: June 25, July 23, August 27 and September 24.

Watch for info on picnic and concerts as the dates get closer.