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Pastor Kathleen Owens

Each week we highlight a different congregation as the John Knox Presbytery Prayer Church of the Week. We encourage you to remember them in your prayers.

This week we lift up for your consideration First Presbyterian Church of Oregon, WI, and their Pastor the Rev. Kathleen Owens. FPC is a congregation of 170+ members that sits in the bustling village of Oregon, a bedroom community for the greater Madison area and an integral part of JKP's Region 4. The congregation made a bold move more than a decade ago and sold their old church building near downtown and built a beautiful multipurpose facility in a part of the community teaming with new homes and development. The new church is open and airy with lots of space to move and serve. The congregation has deep roots in Oregon and is proudly preparing for their 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration scheduled for May 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup>. Be sure to mark your calendars. The congregation also has a number of ministries that reaches out to their community to provide food and relief, plus they provide space for community groups within their building. Pastor Kathleen is a valuable member of JKP who served as an Associate for Westminster PC in Madison before taking her skills to Oregon. Kathleen is also a former JKP Moderator and co-moderator of CPM. Please keep all these good folk in your prayers this week.