



SUMMER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Sunday mornings in June - 9am until Noon
 Sign up now for grades VPK4 - 5th grade at the entrance to the Port.
We need volunteers!! Please sign up to help with VBS. It is on Sundays, but if you volunteer only 1 hour you could still attend worship and help lead a child to Christ. A sign up sheet is at the end of children's hall on lobby table.

HAITI MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER - EXTENDED ONE MORE WEEK!
 The Youth are selling Laundry Detergent as a Fundraiser for their Haiti Trip in December. They are selling products called "Good Clean" and are comparable to Gain or Tide Laundry detergent and Fabric softener. The 5 gallon liquid detergents come with a pump and can be delivered if needed. One bucket will last a family of four six months. The cost is only \$45.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS AND CONTINUING COLLEGE STUDENTS

The 3M's Sunday School have scholarship applications for graduating High School students and continuing college students, located in the lobby at the children and youth information board. Application deadline is May 8th. You may return them to Barbara Hald or place them in the 3M mailbox.

3M SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS PRESENTATION
Friday, May 13 at 5:30pm, Fellowship Hall

The 3M Sunday School Class will host Dr. P.J. Fisher and a program on the Aleutian Islands. All are invited. Bring a dish and meet some friends.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - BEGINS MAY 17

"He Speaks to Me - Preparing to Hear from God" by Priscilla Shirer
 [Sessions at 1:30pm and 6:30pm / Cost: \$20 book/videos]
 It is a 7 week study that will begin on Tuesday May 17th, and end the last week of June. It is based on the story of Samuel as found in I Samuel 3. Please respond by May 5th if you want to do this study by either calling "D" Fletcher at 623-0642 or email: djfnrs@centurylink.net.

LUNCH AND LEARN

Thursday, May 19th 11:30am - 1:00pm, Fellowship Hall

"Caring Transitions - Where Do I Begin?" Brock Hileman, Director
 A streamlined support system to help facilitate a stress-free move or downsizing following a life changing situation. Caring Transitions' compassionate and experienced professionals will serve as your family's advocate. Complimentary lunch provided, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

CWM - CAMP ADVENTURE 2016

7:30am - 6pm, May 31 - July 29 / 4 years old - 5th grade

Join us for some summer fun with new themes each week!
 Choose any or all weeks. Cost: \$100/week or \$25/day (prices are per child)
 Detailed flyers are located on the Port information board.
 Contact Paula with any questions, 625-4356 / pcumcschool@gmail.com.

MAGNETIC NAME TAGS AVAILABLE

If you would like to order a magnetic church nametag, you may place your order at the Welcome Center. The cost is \$6 each. There is a sample at the Welcome Center for you to preview.



Join us on this afternoon for a concert by David deSilva.
 A wonderful opportunity to invite a friend to church!

Sunday, May 1 at 3:15 pm
From Advent to Ascension:
 A Worshipful Tour of the Church Year
 David deSilva, organ

EVENTS THIS WEEK

TODAY, SUNDAY 5/1

9:30 AM Children's Sunday School/Children's Wing
 9:30 AM Adult Study Options (current study topic):
 Andy Stanley (video series): Conference Room (Becomers)
 "Grace" by Max Lucado, Fellowship Hall 5 (Sowers)
 "Giving Bold Testimony" Fellowship Hall 4 (Wesley Bible)
 "John, the Gospel of Light & Life" Fellowship Hall1 (Meth-o-Mates)
 "International Bible Series" Fellowship Hall 3 (3 M's)
 "Revelation" Lounge (Bible Discovery)
 11:00 AM Acts of Faith/Fellowship Hall
 11:15 AM Kids' Worship/Port
 12:00 PM Haiti Team Meeting
 2:00 PM Worship at Brookdale Port Charlotte
 2:00 PM Worship at Royal Palm
 3:30 PM Worship at Vick Street Manor
 3:15 PM Concert/Sanctuary

MONDAY 5/2

9:30 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle/FH
 9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/Sanctuary
 7:00 PM Church Council/New Room

TUESDAY 5/3

9:30 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle/FH
 9:30 AM Worship at Sandhill Gardens
 12:30 PM CWM Board Meeting/New Room

WEDNESDAY 5/4

8:00 AM Emmaus Men/Chick-fil-A
 9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/Sanctuary
 1:00 - 3:00 PM GriefShare/New Room (last meeting)
 6:00 - 8:15 PM Youth Ministry/Youth Room
 6:00 PM Children's Ministry/Port
 6:15 PM Choir/Sanctuary
 6:30 PM Bible Study "The Gospel of Mark"/New Room

THURSDAY 5/5

1:00 PM Mah Jongg/Fellowship Hall
 6:00 - 7:30 PM GEMS/Port

FRIDAY 5/6

8:30 AM Bulletin Team
 9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/Sanctuary
 9:30 AM Stephen Ministry/New Room

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 4:30pm;
 Friday 8:30am - Noon



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WELCOME
 to worship

May 1, 2016
 Sixth Sunday of Easter

Port Charlotte
United Methodist Church
 KNOW Christ. GROW to love Christ. GO to serve Christ.

Pastor Brian James

FIVE PCUMC PROMISES:

Worship Christ more passionately.
 Through intentional *discipleship*, grow to look more like Christ.
Serve Christ more faithfully.
 Practice *hospitality* more radically.
 Express *generosity* more extravagantly.

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8:00 & 11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE II. "Dance for Strings" from Seven Renaissance Dances
(T. Susato, arr. D. deSilva)

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let the peoples praise you, O God;

PEOPLE: let all the peoples praise you.

Leader: Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,

PEOPLE: for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth.

Leader: Let the peoples praise you, O God;

PEOPLE: let all the peoples praise you!

OPENING HYMN** "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" #731

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (11 AM)

All children are invited to come up to the altar for a special message.

Afterwards, children in grades K-5 are invited to attend **Kids' Worship** at the Port.

MINISTRY MOMENT Dean Winston

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER The Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer

NEW TESTAMENT READING Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

ANTHEM "Blessed Are They Who Are Called"

SERIES: HOPEFUL ENDING MESSAGE "Longing For Home" Pastor Brian

OFFERINGS TO GOD
Offertory "The Holy City" (Adams)
Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95

HOLY COMMUNION/THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (see insert)

CLOSING HYMN** "Shall We Gather at the River" #723

BENEDICTION/SENDING FORTH**

POSTLUDE** VII. Nach Tanz from Seven Renaissance Dances
(T. Susato, arr. D. deSilva)

9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

"Amazing Grace"
"Nothing is Impossible"

MINISTRY MOMENT

Dean Winston

OFFERING

MORNING PRAYER

"Just Be Held"

SCRIPTURE READING

Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

MESSAGE

"Longing For Home"
Pastor Brian

HOLY COMMUNION/THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

CLOSING PRAISE

"Hello My Name Is"

SENDING FORTH

MESSAGE NOTES:

MESSAGE: "Longing For Home"

SCRIPTURE: Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

I. Heaven Is _____ .

II. Heaven Is _____ .

III. Heaven Is _____ .

NEXT WEEK - NEW MESSAGE: "Somebody Praying For Me"
John 17:20-16, Pastor Brian

FIRST TIME VISITORS - WELCOME!

Accessible Seating: The front row of the front & rear sections are available for worshipers with disabilities or those requiring such accommodation and their families.

Large Print: Large print hymnals are available from an usher.

Nursery: A professionally staffed Nursery (with pagers) for newborns to 4-year-olds is open from 8AM-12:15PM in the children's area. Changing tables are available in both the men's and women's restrooms.

Transportation to Sunday Service: Call the church office at 625-4356 (*by noon on Friday*) for information and reservations.

Our Sunshine Ministry visits those living in nursing homes, rehab or who are homebound. If you are aware of someone in need, please call the church office.



Prayer Chain: To request prayer, you may use the prayer card in the pew, call the church office 625-4356 or text 286-4559.

Stephen Ministry: Are you going through a difficult time? We have free confidential care available. Contact Pastor Brian, 625-4356.

Membership: The next membership class will be May 16, 5:30-7:30pm. Contact the church office 625-4356 for more information/registration.

Scent Free Zone: Please refrain from wearing to church any perfume, cologne, or other products which are fragranced.



Hearing Loop Installed: PCUMC has installed a Hearing Loop in our sanctuary to assist those with hearing loss to hear more clearly during services. A Hearing Loop is an assistive listening system that transmits sound directly into one's hearing aids or cochlear implants rather than depending on sound coming from the loudspeakers. To receive the Loop signal, manually activate your T-coil or telephone setting on your hearing aid or cochlear implant. If you don't know if you have a T-coil or whether yours is properly programmed, consult with your audiologist or hearing aid professional. If you don't wear hearing aids, ask to use a Loop receiver to receive the sound. This can be obtained at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary or from an usher. If you have further questions about Looping, please contact the installation company, Complete Hearing Solutions, at www.CompleteHearingSolutions.org or call 727-260-3488.

Today's 8am and 11am altar flowers are presented by Rosemarie Arnoldt in memory of her husband Peter John. Special flowers are presented by Joyce Gooden in memory of Don C. Gooden.

Today's 8:00 AM worship service, broadcast on WVIJ-FM (91.7), is sponsored by Roberson Funeral Home & Crematory, 2151 Tamiami Trail, PC, Phone: 629-3141.

Pray for Our Missionaries

We count people because people count!

Passionate Worship attendance 4/24/16: 535
8:00 AM: 146 9:30 AM: 97 11:00 AM: 248 Kid's Worship: 12
Offsite Worship Services (4/17-4/22): 32
Salty Service Participants (4/17-4/22): 101
Intentional Discipling (4/17-4/22): 209
Hospital/Homebound Visits (4/17-4/22): 6

Extravagant Generosity

Week Ending 4/16/16:

Needed Weekly: \$11,721 Needed YTD: \$197,590
Actual Giving: \$10,349 Actual YTD: \$169,387