

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS



Our dinners are open to the community and are a great way to reach out and invite someone to church!

JOIN US WEDNESDAY FOR DINNER, FELLOWSHIP & STUDY

Our Wednesday night dinners will resume this Wednesday, September 3. Dinner is served in Fellowship Hall from 5-6:30pm and is followed by adult, youth and children fellowship and study opportunities:

6:00 PM Children's Ministry
6:00 - 8:15 PM Youth
6:30 PM Life Together (Parents' Group)
6:30 PM Pastor's Study
6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal
7:00 PM Direction & Hope Bible Study

UNITED METHODIST MEN

UMM General Meeting - Monday, September 1st

All men and women are invited to join us at Perkins in Murdock for breakfast at 7am. Our speaker will be Tim Smith, speaking on "Music Within."

Contact Sid White with any questions 941-979-0250.

The first Pancake Breakfast of the season will be held here on Saturday, October 4th from 7-11am.

3M POTLUCK

Friday, September 12 - Dinner 5:30pm, Program 6:30pm

The 3M Sunday School class invites all classes and others to bring a dish to pass and then hear and meet Dr. David deSilva (and family) in an exciting Biblical Program.

FLAGS AND PUPPETS

Flags and Puppets will start on Sunday, September 14 at 11:00am in Fellowship Hall. Children 3rd grade or older are welcome to join us.

FAMILY DINNER & A MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, September 19 - 6-8pm, Fellowship Hall

Join us for dinner and "Rio 2." All are invited!

SECRET SISTERS' TEA

Saturday, September 27th 1-3pm, Fellowship Hall

The Secret Sisters of PCUMC will be having a "Tea" to benefit our GEMS Girls' Club (Girls Everywhere Meeting the Savior). The Secret Sisters will be serving finger sandwiches, pastries and tea. There will be entertainment and surprises. Ladies, please plan to come and bring your friends! Tickets are \$12 and will be on sale in the lobby after September 1st.

GRIEFSHARE

Begins October 1st, 1-3PM in the New Room

GriefShare, a special help seminar and support group for people experiencing grief and loss, will begin again the first Wednesday afternoon in October at PCUMC. This program features nationally recognized experts on grief recovery. Meetings will be held each week, 1-3pm in the New Room. Registration is appreciated. Please sign up for GriefShare at the Welcome Center in the church lobby. Participants do not need to belong to PCUMC.

If you have lost a loved one or know someone who has, or if you have questions, please contact either Diane Martin 941-764-0928 or

Doris Hixson 941-235-3556.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

TODAY, SUNDAY 8/31

9:30 AM Children's Sunday School/Children's Wing
9:30 AM Adult Study Options (current study topic):
Andy Stanley Video Study, Conference Room
Acts, Lounge
Timothy, New Room
Peter - On This Rock, Choir Room
Living as a Community of Believers, Port
Living as a Community of Believers, Purple Room
11:15 AM Kids' Worship/Port
2:00 PM Worship at Sterling House

MONDAY 9/1

LABOR DAY / Church Offices Closed
7:00 AM UMM Breakfast Meeting/Perkins
9:30 AM Worship at Courtyard Assisted Living
10:00 AM Worship at Lexington Manor

TUESDAY 9/2

9:30 AM Worship at Sandhill Gardens
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Secret Sisters/New Room
5:30 - 7:00 PM Worship Team/FH

WEDNESDAY 9/3

8:00 AM Emmaus Men/Chick-fil-A
9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/FH
10:00 AM Wesley Bells/Choir Room
1:00 - 3:00 PM GriefShare/New Room
5:00 - 6:30 PM WNO Dinner/FH
6:00 PM Children's Ministry/Port
6:00 - 8:15 PM UMY/Youth Room
6:30 PM Life Together Group/Conference Room
6:30 PM Pastor's Study/New Room
6:30 PM Choir Rehearsal/Choir Room
7:00 PM Direction & Hope Bible Study/Conference Room

THURSDAY 9/4

2:30 - 5:00 PM Disciple/New Room
6:00 - 7:30 PM No GEMS Girls' Club/Port
7:00 PM Bible Study/Conference Room

FRIDAY 9/5

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

OFFICE HOURS

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

CHURCH STAFF

Nancy Bosserdet, Financial Secretary
Sean Bryan, Director of Contemporary Music
David deSilva, Director of Music
Ellen Even, Congregational Care Coordinator
Barbara Hald, Director of Children's Ministry
Carol Hansen, Church Administrator
Jason Hughes, Night Custodian
Paul Kisner, Youth Director/Pastoral Assistant
Mick Vincze, Church Sexton
Katherine Warden, Communications Coordinator

CHILDREN'S WEEKDAY MINISTRY STAFF

Paula Mann, Director
Janel Hawley, Teacher
Carol Howard, Assistant
Jana Tardiff, Teacher
Nancy Ristic, Assistant
Patricia Royer, Assistant
Claire Sheffield, Teacher
Carrie Weller, Teacher
Elizabeth Ziegelbauer, Teacher

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WELCOME

to worship

August 31, 2014

12th Sunday after Pentecost

**Port Charlotte
United Methodist Church**

KNOW Christ. GROW to love Christ. GO to serve Christ.

Pastor Brian James

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8:00 & 11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

ANNOUNCEMENTS/WELCOME

PRELUDE

UNISON OPENING PRAYER

O God, in mystery and silence you are present in our lives,
 bringing new life out of destruction,
 hope out of despair, growth out of difficulty.
 We thank you that you do not leave us alone but labor to make us whole.
 Help us to perceive your unseen hand in the unfolding of our lives,
 and to be attentive to the guidance of your Spirit,
 that we may know the joy you give your people. Amen.

OPENING HYMN** "From All That Dwell Below the Skies" #101

RESPONSIVE PSALTER (with sung responses) Psalm 145:8-21 #857/858

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (11 AM)

All children are invited to come up to the altar for a special message.
 All children in grades K - 5th grade are invited to attend **Kids' Worship**
 at the Port, following the Children's Moment.

CHORAL ANTHEM "We Need a Meeting With the Lord" (Nagel, arr. Bolks)

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER

Prayer Hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," (vv. 1 & 2) #452
 The Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer

OFFERINGS TO GOD

Offertory "Organ Concerto in a-minor," 2nd movement (Vivaldi, arr. Bach)
 Doxology "Now Thank We All Our God," (verse 3) #102

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 12:1-2

SERIES: WORSHIP FOR LIFE MESSAGE "Transformed by Worship"

CLOSING HYMN** "I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath" #60

SENDING FORTH**

POSTLUDE** "Organ Concerto in a-minor," 3rd movement (Vivaldi, arr. Bach)

THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

"The same Jesus who turned water into wine can transform your home, your life,
 your family, and your future. He is still in the miracle-working business,
 and His business is the business of transformation."
 Adrian Rogers

9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

OPENING PRAISE

"Stronger"
 "Oceans"

WELCOME

VIDEO

"Be Transformed"

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 145:1-21

MESSAGE

"Transformed by Worship"

MORNING PRAYER

"Redeemed"

CLOSING PRAISE

"Cornerstone"

SENDING FORTH

MESSAGE NOTES:

SERIES: WORSHIP FOR LIFE

"Transformed by Worship"
 (Psalm 145:1-21)

I. The _____ Of Our Praise

II. Praise That Is _____ and _____

III. Choosing Worship For _____

Next Sunday: "Connected Through Worship"

HELPFUL INFORMATION

Accessible Seating: The front pews in the sanctuary are available for worshipers with disabilities or those requiring such accommodation and their families.

Large Print/Audio: Large print hymnals and hearing enhancement devices are available from an usher.

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

Nursery: A professionally staffed Nursery (with pagers) for newborns to 4-year-olds is open from 8AM-12:15 PM in the children's area.

The Sound of Joy Room for parents and young children is available, if needed, at the northeast corner of the sanctuary. Ask an usher for assistance.

Children's Activity Bags are available. Ask an usher for assistance.

Newsletter: Our newsletter is available on our website: www.pcumc.info.

Bulletin: Request forms for submission are located in our office or on the church website under Archives: Forms. Requests are due 2 weeks in advance, and are subject to approval and space availability.



Prayer Chain: To add a name or receive the prayer chain emails, call the church office 625-4356, or use the prayer card in the pew.

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

Today's 8am and 11am altar flowers are presented by Bob and Chris Burr in celebration of their 49th Wedding Anniversary. The special flowers are presented by Terri and Paul Smith in celebration of their 2 new grandsons, Dylan and Zachary.

Today's 8:00 AM worship service, broadcast on WVIJ-FM (91.7), is sponsored by Bill Bishop in gratitude for Jeanne Spica's therapy dogs.

Pray for Our Missionaries

Dominican Republic - Connie DiLeo

Nepal - Daniel Sweet

Palestine - Alex and Brenda Awad

Zambia - Delbert R. & Sandy R. Groves

At home - Neighbor to Neighbor Mission Project

We count people because people count!

Passionate Worship attendance 8/24/14: 391

8:00 AM: 91 9:30 AM: 48 11:00 AM: 237

Offsite Worship Services (8/17-8/23): 15

Salty Service Participants (8/17-8/23): 75

Intentional Discipling (8/17-8/23): 278

Hospital/Homebound Visits (8/17-8/23): 19

Extravagant Generosity - Week Ending 8/23/14:

Children's Weekday Min./

	<u>Tithes/Offerings:</u>	<u>Recoveries:</u>	<u>TOTALS:</u>
Actual Weekly:	\$8,455	\$631	\$9,086
Budget Weekly:	\$13,093	\$4,278	\$17,371
Year-to-date Actual:	\$369,696	\$1171,23	\$486,819
Year-to-date Budget:	\$432,069	\$141,174	\$573,243

For a full accounting of the church's finances, contact Nancy Bossardet, Financial Secretary.