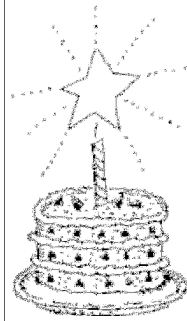


## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS



### CWM AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM Birthday Angels Needed!

Our afterschool students celebrate their birthdays on the last Friday of the month. We are looking for volunteers to sign up to bring in a special treat just one time a month. (30 servings) Ideas for this celebration could be: cupcakes, cookies, ice cream sandwiches, or watermelon. If you'd like to be a blessing in this way, please sign up at the entrance to the Port. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Paula 625-4356 or pcumcschool@gmail.com. *Thank you!*

### CPR AND FIRST AID

Certification classes will be held on Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> in the Port from 9am - noon. The fee is \$25.00. Please call Barbara Hald at the church to reserve your spot 625-4356.

### WILLS & MEMORIALS

The Wills & Memorials committee is charged with encouraging members and friends to remember our church in their estate planning. All gifts are used to support our ministries and improve or repair our facilities for the ministry of the Gospel. Remember, if you already prepared your Will, a CODICIL can be added to the Will. If you have questions or need clarification, please call the church administrator's office at 625-4356. Thank you.

### SECRET SISTERS' TEA

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

Tickets are on sale in the lobby between services today for the Secret Sisters' Tea that will be held on Saturday, September 27th. Tickets are \$12 and the proceeds will be given to the GEMS Girls' Club program. ALL women (and friends) are invited. If you have a favorite teacup, bring it along!

### FLU SHOT CLINIC

Saturday, October 4, 8am - 10am, New Room

### GRIEFSHARE

**October 1 - December 3, 2014**

**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. 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 Ann Van Hoose-Oleson 941-456-0081 or Doris Hixson 941-235-3556.

### 2014 CHRISTMAS BELL RINGING - SALVATION ARMY

We will begin ringing bells for the Salvation Army Red Kettle Drive on November 7 at the Cochran Publix, and November 28 at the Charlotte Harbor Publix. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center. Our church has done an amazing job these past years. Thank you for your dedication. If you have any questions, please contact H.L. Clemmons 941-627-9138.

### GRAB YOUR PAINT BRUSH!

The Board of Trustees is looking for volunteer painters to give Fellowship Hall a fresh new look. There are a number of tasks to be done in addition to painting the walls, such as wallpaper removal, preparation of the walls, taping, and trim painting. If you can help us with this effort in any way, please call Bill West (941-276-5942) or Mike Hald (941-625-7212) to volunteer. Thank you!

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

### TODAY, SUNDAY 9/21

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  
Acts, 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  
2:00 PM Worship at Royal Palm  
3:00 PM Worship at Vick Street Manor

### MONDAY 9/22

8:00 AM Men's Study/Conference Room  
9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/FH  
9:30-10:15 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle  
9:30 AM Worship at Courtyard Assisted Living  
10:00 AM Worship at Lexington Manor  
5:30 PM Worship Committee/Conference Room  
7:00 PM Staff Parish/Conference Room  
7:00 PM Salty Service/New Room

### TUESDAY 9/23

9:30-10:15 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle  
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 9/24

8:00 AM Emmaus Men/Chick-fil-A  
9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/FH  
1:00 - 3:00 PM Caregivers Support/Conf. Room  
4:00 - 8:00 Bloodmobile  
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  
7:30 PM Direction & Hope Bible Study/Conference Room

### THURSDAY 9/25

2:30 - 5:00 PM Disciple/New Room  
6:00 - 7:30 PM GEMS Girls' Club/Port  
7:00 - 8:00 PM Bible Study/Lounge

### FRIDAY 9/26

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

### SATURDAY 9/27

1:00 - 3:00 PM Secret Sisters Tea/FH

### OFFICE HOURS

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



Passcode: Jonah2:2

GIVE YOUR GIFT ONLINE: [e-giving.org/portcharlotteumc](http://e-giving.org/portcharlotteumc)

# WELCOME to worship

**September 21, 2014**

15th Sunday after Pentecost

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**8:00 & 11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/WELCOME**

**PRELUDE** "Gigue in F-Major" (Handel, arr. deSilva)

**CHORAL INTROIT** "Psalm 100" (Anglican chant)

**UNISON OPENING PRAYER**  
Holy One, come to us now. Be present in our worship and in our lives. Hear our cries, and speak to our souls. Give us your strength, that we may live all the days of our lives in steadfast faith and hope. Amen.

**OPENING HYMN\*\*** "I Know Whom I Have Believed" #714

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** "A Modern Affirmation" #885  
Gloria Patri #71

**SCRIPTURE READING** Matthew 12:30-37

**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.

**ANTHEM** "Find Us Faithful" (Mohr, arr. Christopher)

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

**OFFERINGS TO GOD**  
Offertory "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" #465  
Doxology "My Tribute" #99

**SCRIPTURE READING** II Timothy 1:1-18

**SERIES: WORSHIP FOR LIFE MESSAGE** "Passing Passion Forward"

**CLOSING HYMN\*\*** "O Zion, Haste" #573

**SENDING FORTH\*\***

**POSTLUDE\*\*** "Shepherds' Dance and Finale" (T. Susato, arr. D. A. deSilva)

**THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION**

"Give me the love that leads the way, the faith that nothing can dismay, the hope no disappointments tire, the passion that will burn like fire; Let me not sink to be a clod: Make me Thy fuel, Flame of God."  
Amy Carmichael

**9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP**

**OPENING PRAISE**  
"I Lift My Hands"  
"Just Believe"

**WELCOME**

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM**  
Kyle Parchment

**SCRIPTURE READING**

**MESSAGE**  
"Passing Passion Forward"

**MORNING PRAYER**  
"Your Love Is Amazing"

**CLOSING PRAISE**  
"How Great Thou Art"

**SENDING FORTH**

**MESSAGE NOTES:**

**SERIES: WORSHIP FOR LIFE**  
"Passing Passion Forward" (2 Timothy 1:1-18)  
\*Four Fast Facts-

I. Make Sure the \_\_\_\_\_ Goes On.

II. Make Sure the Torch Is \_\_\_\_\_ .

III. Make Sure Those Coming Are \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Next Sunday:** "Legacy"

**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 Millie Rochester in honor of her husband Arthur (Skip's) birthday.

**Today's 8:00 AM worship service, broadcast on WVIJ-FM (91.7),** is sponsored by the Esther Circle.

**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 9/14/14: 413  
8:00 AM: 129 9:30 AM: 45 11:00 AM: 215  
Offsite Worship Services (9/7-9/13): 24  
Salty Service Participants (9/7-9/13): 75  
Intentional Discipling (9/7-9/13): 273  
Hospital/Homebound Visits (9/7-9/13): 21

<b>Extravagant Generosity - Week Ending 9/13/14:</b>			
	<u>Children's Weekday Min./</u>		
	<u>Tithes/Offerings:</u>	<u>Recoveries:</u>	<u>TOTALS:</u>
Actual Weekly:	\$15,737	\$2,740	\$18,477
Budget Weekly:	\$13,093	\$4,278	\$17,371
Year-to-date Actual:	\$399,938	\$122,819	\$522,757
Year-to-date Budget:	\$471,348	\$154,008	\$625,356

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