

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS



STUDENT MINISTRY CAR WASH Saturday, October 1st 9am - 1pm

Please bring your car and support some awesome kids!

CPR / FIRST AID

Monday, September 26th at 6pm in the New Room

All are invited to join us for this important and informative class. The cost is \$35. Pre-registration is not necessary, but if you plan to attend, please email Paula in our Weekday Ministry: pcumcschool@gmail.com.

HAITIAN DINNER - MISSIONS FUNDRAISER

Saturday, October 8th at 6pm

Tickets are available in the lobby today! \$10 adults, \$6 children
Menu: chicken, red beans and rice, plantains, coleslaw -- you won't want to miss it!

CHILDREN'S SHOES FOR HAITI

We are collecting children's shoes for our Haiti mission trip -- any size, any kind!

PASTORAL CARE NEEDS

If you have an upcoming surgery, or are hospitalized please let the church office know 625-4356 so we can pray for you. Thank you.

2017 ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to sign up to provide altar flowers or a special arrangement for our Sunday morning worship services, the 2017 Altar Flower Calendar is at the Welcome Center. The cost is \$50 for altar flowers and \$25 for special flowers.

This is a wonderful way to remember a special day, person, or you can even remain anonymous!

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAYS - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Meeting Monday, October 3rd at 5pm

Anyone interested in volunteering for our new Wednesday night dinners, "Wonderful Wednesdays," is asked to come to a meeting on October 3rd at 5pm. Whether you were a previous volunteer or newly interested, this meeting is essential! The procedure and format of the dinner is being changed and will include a bible study.

"CORNERSTONE CHORALE AND BRASS" at Port Charlotte United Methodist Church

At 4pm on Sunday, October 30th, Port Charlotte UMC will host a concert by THE CORNERSTONE CHORALE & BRASS, a group of professional adult artists recruited from all over the United States. Hosts are needed to house the artists (12 adult women, 16 adult men) that Sunday evening, provide them breakfast, and return them to PCUMC by 8:00am the following morning. Please contact David deSilva (ddesilva@ashland.edu; 941-764-6047) if you are able to help.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

TODAY, SUNDAY 9/25

9:30 AM Children's Sunday School/Children's Wing
9:30 AM Youth Sunday School/Youth Room
9:30 AM Adult Study Options (current study topic):
Andy Stanley Sermons, Conference Room (Becomers)
"Glory Days" by Max Lucado, Fellowship Hall 5 (Sowers)
"The Sovereignty of God" New Room (Wesley Bible)
"Life & Ministry of the Messiah" Fellowship Hall1 (Meth-o-Mates)
"International Bible Series" Fellowship Hall 3 (3 M's)
Lounge, Bible Discovery Class
11:15 AM Kids' Worship/Port
2:00 PM Worship at Brookdale Port Charlotte

MONDAY 9/26

9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/Sanctuary
9:30 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle/Fellowship Hall
1:00 PM Emmaus Women/Conference Room
6:00 PM CPR and First Aid Class/New Room

TUESDAY 9/27

9:30 AM Women's Bible Study/New Room
9:30 AM Worship at Sandhill Gardens
9:30 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle/Fellowship Hall
1:30 PM Women's Bible Study/Conference Room
6:30 PM Women's Bible Study/New Room

WEDNESDAY 9/28

8:00 AM Emmaus Men/Chick-fil-A
9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/Sanctuary
1:00 - 3:00 PM GriefShare/New Room
6:00 PM Children's Ministry/Port
6:00 PM Youth/Youth Room
6:15 PM Choir Rehearsal/Sanctuary

THURSDAY 9/29

10:00 AM Revelation Fitness/Sanctuary
1:00 PM Mah Jongg/Fellowship Hall
2:30 - 5:00 PM Disciple 1/New Room
6:00 - 7:30 PM GEMS/Port

FRIDAY 9/30

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

SATURDAY 10/1

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Car Wash/Main Parking Lot
9:00 AM Revelation Fitness/Port

OFFICE HOURS

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



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WELCOME to worship

September 25, 2016

19th Sunday after Pentecost

Port Charlotte United Methodist Church

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

Dr. Craig Moore, Pastor

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

MEDITATION:

“One thing have I desired; this will I seek – to behold the fair beauty of the Lord and to worship in his Temple.”

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Dean Winston

PRELUDE

Organ Concerto in a-minor, 1st movement (Vivaldi/Bach)

**CALL TO WORSHIP

God, our God, how glorious is your name in all the earth!

Your glory is sung by all of your creation!

When we look to the heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, we wonder - Who are we that you care for us and for this world?

You are the God of life, crowning us with glory and honor to serve you all our days. O God, our God, how glorious is your name in all the earth!

**OPENING HYMN “Blessed Assurance” #369

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 (or to return to sit with their families).

THE CHURCH AT PRAYER

The Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING TO GOD

Offertory Organ Concerto in a-minor, 2nd movement (Vivaldi/Bach)
**Doxology “My Tribute” #99

SCRIPTURE READING

Ecclesiastes 2:1-11

ANTHEM

“Treasures in Heaven” (Allen Pote) Chancel Choir

MESSAGE

“Chasing After the Wind” Pastor Craig

**CLOSING HYMN

“Be Thou My Vision” #451

**BENEDICTION/SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

Organ Concerto in a-minor, 3rd movement (Vivaldi/Bach)

9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Dean Winston

“This Is Amazing Grace”
“Everlasting God”

MORNING PRAYER

“What Faith Can Do”

OFFERING

SCRIPTURE READING

Ecclesiastes 2:1-11

MESSAGE

“Chasing After the Wind”
Pastor Craig

CLOSING PRAISE

“Trading My Sorrows”

SENDING FORTH

MESSAGE NOTES

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.

Hearing Loop Installed: PCUMC has installed a Hearing Loop in our sanctuary to assist those with hearing loss to hear more clearly during services. To receive the Loop signal, manually activate your T-coil or telephone setting on your hearing aid or cochlear implant. 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.

Communion: Communion is available each Sunday in the New Room immediately following our 8am worship service, and just prior to the 11am service. All are welcome.

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 seat back, 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 us, 625-4356.

Membership: The next membership class will be October 18, 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.

Today's altar flowers are presented by Marianne Volkmann in memory of Kate McCloughan. Special flowers are presented by Marti and Ray Orr in memory of their mothers' birthdays.

Pray for Our Missionaries

Today's 8:00 AM worship service, broadcast on WVIJ-FM (91.7), sponsored by Restlawn Memorial Park and Mausoluem, Inc., P.O. Box 2677, PC, Phone: 629-2152

We count people because people count!

Passionate Worship attendance 9/18/16: 324
8:00 AM: 75 9:30 AM: 61 11:00 AM: 154 Kids Worship: 16
Offsite Worship Services (9/4-9/10): 18
Hospital/Homebound Visits (9/4-9/10): 5

Extravagant Generosity

Week Ending 9/10/16:

Needed Weekly: \$9,569 Needed YTD: \$422,211
Actual Giving: \$11,768 Actual YTD: \$398,580