Join us tonight at 5pm in the Sanctuary

PRAYER SERVICE

It's time for a new Church Directory!

Lifetouch will be on campus for photo sessions November 11-15, 2014.
There is a link on our website for on-line scheduling: www.pcumc.info

The available sessions will be:
Tuesday, Nov. 11: 12pm to 6:30pm
Wednesday, Nov. 12: 10am to 4:30pm
Thursday, Nov. 13: 1pm to 7:30pm
Friday, Nov. 14: 2pm to 8:30pm
Saturday, Nov. 15: 10am to 4:30pm

We also have photo appointment scheduling in the lobby TODAY!

"WESLEY BELLS" HAND BELL CHOIR TO RESUME
Wednesday, October 15th 10:00am, Choir Room
Inviting all who have played hand bells previously and those who would like to learn to join us in the Choir Room on October 15th at 10:00 am. If you have never played before, please come at 9:30.

LUNCH & LEARN
Thursday, October 16th - 11:30AM, Fellowship Hall
"Diagnosis and Treatment of Alzheimer's Disease" with Dr. William R. Salazar Linda Howard, program specialist from the Alzheimer's Association, will also be present with current literature and to answer questions.
Please sign up at the Welcome Center.

KAIROS TICKETS
Bless an inmate with a meal ticket for the upcoming Kairos prison ministry weekend. Tickets are on sale in the lobby today for $5 each.

ALL SAINTS' DAY - NOVEMBER 2
If you have a loved one, family member or friend who has passed since November 1, 2013 you may share their name with the church office so they can be recognized on All Saints' Day. A single picture may also be submitted, which will be returned. Please submit all names and/or photos by October 24.

You're Invited to the "Pumpkin Festival"
Friday, October 25th 5-8pm
Wear your costumes or dress in country attire!

- "Out of My Hands" Music, Laser, Juggling & Magic Show
- Square Dancing
- Puppets and Flags
- Story Time
- Food
- Games & Treats
- Crafts

Invite your friends and neighbors!
Our Pumpkin Festival is a fun way to share God's love with our community. Pick up some **INVITE CARDS** at the Welcome Center to share with people this week.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

TODAY, SUNDAY 10/12
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
5:00 PM Prayer Service/Sanctuary

MONDAY 10/13
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
2:00 PM Southport Communion
7:00 Trustees/New Room

TUESDAY 10/14
9:30-10:15 AM Clap, Tap & Jingle
9:30 AM Esther Circle (at the home of Darcy Wright)
9:45 AM Women's Bible Study/New Room
9:30 AM Worship at Sandhill Gardens
1:00 AM Women's Bible Study/New Room
5:30 - 7:00 PM Worship Team/FH
6:30 PM Women's Bible Study/New Room

WEDNESDAY 10/15
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 - 8:00 PM Membership Class/Lounge
6:30 PM Choir/Choir Room
6:30 PM Life Together Group/Conference Room
6:30 PM Pastor's Study/New Room
7:30 PM Direction & Hope Bible Study/Conference Room

THURSDAY 10/16
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM Lunch & Learn/Fellowship Hall
2:30 - 5:00 PM Disciple/New Room
3:00 PM Alzheimer's Caregiver Training/Conference Room
5:30 PM CWM Board/Conference Room
6:00 - 7:30 PM GEMS Girls' Club/Port
7:00 - 8:00 PM Bible Study/Lounge

FRIDAY 10/17
8:30 AM Bulletin Team/New Room
9:00 - 10:00 AM Exercise/FH
9:30 AM Stephen Ministry/New Room

SATURDAY 10/18
2:00 PM Pumpkin Delivery

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

WELCOME
to worship

October 12, 2014
18th Sunday after Pentecost

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8:00 & 11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

ANNOUNCEMENTS/WELCOME

PRELUDE "Crusader's Hymn" (Arr. Joel Rainey)

CHORAL INTROIT "Blessed Jesus, At Thy Word" (Johann Ahle)

UNISON OPENING PRAYER

O God of all goodness,
you welcome us, forgive us and heal us.
You seek us out from places where we have hidden from you.
You crown us with steadfast love and mercy.
Reveal yourself to us in this moment.
Let us know your presence so that we may bless you:
Bless you, O God!
Bless your holy name! Amen.

OPENING HYMN** "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" #121

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.

SCRIPTURE READING II Timothy 3:1-17

ANTHEM "Lead Me, Lord" (S.S. Wesley)

SERIES: WORTHY
MESSAGE "Living Well In Dangerous Days"

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (to be sung) "We Believe In One True God" #85

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

OFFERINGS TO GOD
Offertory Hymn "O Word of God Incarnate" #598
Doxology "Let all things their creator bless" (vs. 7) #62

CLOSING HYMN** "How Firm a Foundation" #529

SENDING FORTH**

POSTLUDE** "Shout To the Lord" (Arr. John Carter)

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** Please stand if you are comfortably able.

THOUGHT FOR MEDITATION

"Faith goes up the stairs that love has built and looks out the window which hope has opened."
Charles Spurgeon

9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

OPENING PRAISE
"My hope is in you"
"Just believe"

WELCOME

SCRIPTURE READING

MESSAGE
"Living Well In Dangerous Days"

MORNING PRAYER
"Redeemed"

CLOSING PRAISE
"God's not dead"

SENDING FORTH

MESSAGE NOTES:

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.

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.

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 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 PCUMC's Exercise Class .

Today's 8:00 AM worship service, broadcast on WVIJ-FM (91.7), is sponsored by Fegers Health Foods, 3058 Tamiami Trail, PC, Phone: 625-5561.

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 10/5/14: 472
8:00 AM: 128 9:30 AM: 59 11:00 AM: 255
Offsite Worship Services (9/28-10/4): 30
Salty Service Participants (9/28-10/4): 64
Intentional Discipling (9/28-10/4): 283
Hospital/Homebound Visits (9/28-10/4): 21

Extravagant Generosity - Week Ending 10/4/14**:**

	Tithes/Offerings:	Children's Weekday Min./ Recoveries:	TOTALS:
Actual Weekly:	$8,300	$1,034	$9,334
Budget Weekly:	$13,093	$4,278	$17,371
Year-to-date Actual:	$425,035	$128,554	$553,589
Year-to-date Budget:	$510,627	$166,842	$677,469

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