

PCPH Calendar

Sunday, August 20

- 10:15a Worship (Sanctuary) – **Rev. Bruce Mulder**
- 10:30a Children's Sunday School (Room 112 – Children's Worship Center)
- 11:15a Coffee, Cookies, and Conversation

Tuesday, August 22

- 10:00a Quilting for Comfort (104)
- 10:00a Create and Share (104)

Wednesday, August 23

- 11:30a Growing Tree Chapel (Sanctuary)

Thursday, August 24

- 7:00p Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Sunday, August 27

- 10:15a Worship (Sanctuary) – **Rev. Bruce Mulder**
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Worship

Welcome worship guests! You are special because God brought you into our presence. Together, we rejoice and celebrate God's blessings in our lives.

The chancel flowers are from Art & Joan Ruddle to the Glory of God and in honor of their 58th Wedding Anniversary.

The congregation is invited to the **Coffee, Cookies, and Conversation** time held in the Fellowship Hall after worship. Be a friend, and make a friend as you enjoy the treats provided by the Fellowship Ministry.

Pray

Members and Friends: Dick and Iris Thomas, Ray and Marilyn Inman, Mike Craig, Rocco, The Branchfield Family, Reno, Bud, Rob K., Ellen A., Lee, Bill, Marsha G., Steve R., Chas G., Kathy B., Davis K., The Berge Family, Belinda, Doug & Teri, Colleen, Randy, Tim P., Diane R., Pat S., The Meier Family, Betsy, Joe, Liz, Carol, Thom F., Sarah M., Rosemary & Patrick W.

Military men and women: Brian Jacobson, Bryson Boyd, David Wallingford, Georgette Encinia, Patrick Bannon, Chris Hargis, Rosie Mundhenk, Adam Armstrong, Ashley Miller, Alex Durstein, John Albright, Gary Leonard, Jr., Tom Whissel, Nick Lozar, Hillary and Richard Durstein, Samuel Leyford, Tyler Meade

Church Life

F.E.A.S.T.: The food for August is peanut butter (any kind), 16 – 18 oz.

Women's Mission Project for F.E.A.S.T.: As a reminder of the PCPH Women's Missions, the Coordinating Team is once again asking your support for **greatly needed** non-food items for F.E.A.S.T. Many of the requested items are those that cannot be purchased with food stamps. As previously suggested, you can purchase many of these items at Dollar General or Dollar Tree at a nominal cost. For the month of **August**, we are asking for **liquid dish soap and shampoo**.

Worship Attendance	July 23	July 30	Aug. 6	Aug. 13
	78	127	149	136

Children

Sunday School: Each week our elementary age children have the privilege of participating in Sunday School which takes place during the same time as worship. *Immediately following the Children's Message, children between the ages of 4 yrs and*

11 yrs leave the Sanctuary with our Sunday School Teachers to continue with their age-appropriate curriculum. Our hope is that children will learn God's Word and have a strong Christian foundation for their future as they grow up in His Word.

Nursery (Birth - Age 3) "Frolic": A curriculum created for babies and toddlers that was developed by early childhood experts, Frolic resources introduce little ones to faith concepts in age-appropriate ways. Our hope at PCPH is to equip all families with children of any age with the right materials to start their faith journey at a young age.

Little Ones (Age 4 – 6) SparkHouse Lectionary Curriculum: Kids and leaders gather to explore their Bibles, enjoy fun activities, pray, and grow in faith. The curriculum follows the church lectionary in a fun and exciting way to create a faith that is grounded in truth. *Little ones may be picked up after worship in the Old Narthex.*

Older Ones (Age 7 - 11) "Connect": Connect takes children on a journey through the Old Testament and into the New Testament exploring the connections between several stories each week. The curriculum includes a video, lesson, and hands on projects. Older ones may be picked up after worship in Fellowship Hall.

CHILDREN'S

UP COMING EVENTS

Sunday, September 24th

Growing Tree Sunday, 10:15am

Sunday, October 8th

Park Play Date

Friday, November 10th

Movie Night

Monday, November 20th – Wednesday, November 22nd

Thanksgiving Break Camp

PCPH Youth Kick-off 2017

**Wednesday September 6th
Youth Group Vision Parent Meeting
At PCPH Fellowship Hall**

Our student ministry has experienced an awesome, God-filled Summer full of vision, mission, play, work, and love. My hope is to take these experiences and create a youth ministry environment at PCPH that is not just for our students but our families as well. So, to put all of these dreams and goals into action - I want to hear from you: your dreams for your student's faith, for your family's response to God's call, and to God's vision for our youth group as a whole.

During this youth group meeting, we will discuss what our goal and vision for our youth group is, as well as what we dream it will look like in the future. The meeting will include a meal, drinks, and fellowship. We will also take the time for discussion about our weekly meetings, upcoming mission trips, share pictures from the Summer, and much more. So, as you begin to plan your Fall calendars, please be sure to add Wednesday, September 6th at 7pm at PCPH.

Please RSVP to Malissa (malissa@pcph.org) no later than September 1st.

Rock The Universe

All students who are in grades 6th - 12th are welcome to join us for our annual fall kick-off to Rock the Universe! We will rock, ride, and rejoice at Rock the Universe® only at Universal Studios®. Experience one night of soul-stirring songs from Christian music's hottest stars, alongside awesome rides and attractions. It's an unforgettable weekend of faith, fun, and fellowship.

Cost: \$115.00 - Payment Due September 1st. The price includes: Park Ticket to Universal and Islands of Adventure Saturday - Sunday, hotel stay (2 nights), transportation and breakfast Saturday and Sunday morning.



11th Sunday after Pentecost

⁶And the foreigners who join themselves to the LORD, to minister to him, to love the name of the LORD, and to be his servants, all who keep the sabbath, and do not profane it, and hold fast my covenant — ⁷these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples. – Isaiah 56: 6 - 7

GATHER JOYFULLY

Welcome, Announcements, Quiet Time

Melanie Haslam

*Call to Worship (Please rise for the Call to Worship)

Liturgist: Larry DeVault

Leader: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Leader: Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name.

People: Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits.

Leader: Praise the LORD, you his angels, you mighty ones who do his bidding, who obey his word.

People: Praise the LORD, all his heavenly hosts, you his servants who do his will.

Leader: Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his dominion.

People: Praise the LORD, O my soul. Let us worship God.

*Song (wall) "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

Hymn 464

*Prayer of Confession (together)

Lord God, we have given more weight to our successes and our happiness than to your will. We have eaten without a thought for the hungry. We have spoken without an effort to understand others. We have kept silence instead of telling the truth. We have judged others, forgetful that you alone are the Judge. We have acted rather in accordance with our opinions than according to your commands. Within your church we have been slow to practice love of our neighbors. And in the world we have not been your faithful servants. Forgive us and help us to live as disciples of Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

*Words of Assurance

Leader: Righteousness from God comes through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe.

People: By faith I have a deep-rooted assurance, created in me by the Holy Spirit through the gospel, that, out of sheer grace earned for us by Christ, not only others, but I too, have had my sins forgiven, have been made forever right with God, and have been granted salvation.

Leader: Thanks be to God who forgives and gives us new life in Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Praise Response (all sing) "Gloria Patri"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

GROW SPIRITUALLY

Children's Message

Pastor Bruce

(Children will go to Sunday School after the Children's Message.)

*Song (wall) "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Hymn 356

Prayer of God's People, Lord's Prayer, Choral Response

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Call for Offering

*Doxology (together)

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Anthem

Scripture

Isaiah 56:1, 6 - 8
Matthew 15:10-28

NRSV

Message

"Hearts"

Rev. Bruce Mulder

*Song (wall)

"Be Thou My Vision"

Hymn 339

GO FAITHFULLY

*Benediction

Rev. Bruce Mulder

*Response (all sing)

"Seek Ye First"

Seek ye first the kingdom of God And His righteousness, And all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia! Ask and it shall be given unto you, Seek and ye shall find, Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

*Congregation stands. If standing is difficult, please remain seated.