

## PCPH Calendar

### Sunday, May 14 – **Happy Mother's Day!**

- 9:30a Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 10:15a Family Worship (Sanctuary) – **Malissa Garcia**
- 10:30a Children's Sunday School (4's & 5's Rm 114; 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Lib)
- 11:15a Coffee, Cookies, and Conversation
- 7:00p No Youth!

### Monday, May 15

- 9:00a Welcome Rev. Bruce Mulder

### Tuesday, May 16

- 9:30a Quilting for Comfort (104)
- 10:00a Library Committee (LIB)
- 11:30a Staff Lunch
- 1:00p Bridge Club (FH)

### Wednesday, May 17

- 11:30a Growing Tree Chapel (Sanctuary)
- 6:30p Middle School Youth Group "Thrive" – Messy Game Night

### Thursday, May 18

- 9:00a Property Ministry (Ongoing Projects)
- 6:00p Brownie Meeting #605 (FH)
- 7:00p Theology on Tap (Glory Days Grill)
- 7:15p Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

### Friday, May 19

- 6:00p High School Youth Indoor Kart Racing

### Saturday, May 20

- 5:00p Middle School Thresher's Game

### Sunday, May 21 – **Senior Sunday**

- 9:30a Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- 10:15a Family Worship (Sanctuary) – **Rev. Bruce Mulder**
- 10:30a Children's Sunday School (4's & 5's Rm 114; 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Lib)
- 11:15a Coffee, Cookies, and Conversation
- 7:00p High School Youth Group "Alive"

## 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 Sue Ashcraft to the Glory of God and in memory of Doyle Ranes.

Listening devices are available for those with hearing issues. Devices are located in the center entryway to the Sanctuary. A small step-by-step instruction page is there to help you to use the device effectively.

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, Bill V., Joy, Marsha G., Shiela, Mildred, The Spector Family, Skylar, Doug H., The Sjostedt Family, Paul, Marilyn, Shirley H., Bud B., Waseeta, Bruce M., Audry C.,

Lonnie, Kate, Lila S., Betsy R., Joy, Marie, Eugene D., Ann, Atticus, Gail, The Asbury Family, Peggy B., Fran & Sandy, Randy, Donna T., Phil O., David M., Teddy B., Ryan W., Deana W., Diane W., Ruth, Lois, Patti, Lee, Bill, Heidi R., Roy, Sarah M., The Branchfield Family, Jane, Norman

**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

**Pastor Bruce Mulder** begins his time at PCPH on Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>. He's looking forward to getting to know you and being a part of the Community.

Pastor Bruce has been married to his wife, Jean, for 16 years. They have one dog, Barkley. He (Pastor Bruce, not Barkley) loves coffee, baseball (Pirates fan) and good books on Theology. He will NOT eat lima beans. If you wish to email him, his email address is [bruce@pcph.org](mailto:bruce@pcph.org).

<b>Worship Attendance</b>	Apr. 16	Apr. 23	Apr. 30	May 7
	266	126	121	125

## Church Life

**Senior Sunday** is next Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, so please come to support our youth as they transition into the next stage of their lives.

**F.E.A.S.T.:** The food for May is Jell-O regular or sugar-free.

**Women's Mission Project for F.E.A.S.T.:** The items for May are bathroom tissue, paper towels and shampoo.

**Women's Sunday:** Today, May 14<sup>th</sup>, we will recognize many women of the church with a program called "Celebrate the Gifts of Women". You will note that just the women will be participating in the service. We thank all who support the church in many ways. Happy Mother's Day!

**Theology on Tap:** Our next meeting is this Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. We will be meeting at **Glory Days Grill** in Palm Harbor (34200 US Highway 19 N). We have free childcare at PCPH, and this semester we will be offering a video-based study with the Nooma series. For more information please contact Malissa Garcia. We cannot wait to see what God has in store for this fellowship group. All are welcome!

## 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 and 11 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.

## Youth

**Middle School Ministry (Thrive 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>):** Will meet regularly throughout the school year on Wednesday nights from 6:30pm - 8:00pm. Come meet new friends, join a small group, and play wacky games that you couldn't play anywhere else. Our middle school group is dedicated to getting to know and love God as we form a Christian foundation that can last a lifetime.

**High School Ministry (Alive 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>):** Will meet regularly throughout the school year on Sunday nights from 7:00pm - 8:30pm. During this time, we will learn, eat, fellowship, play games, and support one another in a Christian atmosphere. Our hope is that as a student and growing young adult that you will form an anchor in Christ as you transition to your adult life.

### Upcoming Events:

May 17<sup>th</sup> - Middle School Messy Game Night - Last Wednesday night meeting for Middle School Youth until Fall

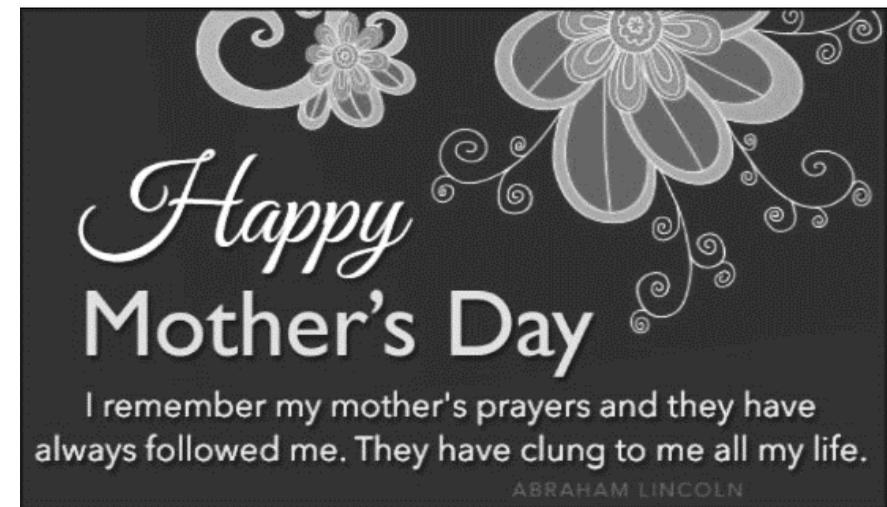
May 19<sup>th</sup> - High School Indoor Go Kart Racing

May 20<sup>th</sup> - Middle School Clearwater Thresher's Game

May 21<sup>st</sup> - Senior Sunday (Pastor Bruce Mulder)

May 30<sup>th</sup> - June 2<sup>nd</sup> - Kingdom Kids Summer Camp

May 31<sup>st</sup> - Middle School Pool Party - Hardaker Home - 6pm - 8pm



## A Litany for Women with Grateful Hearts Led by Joan Ruddle

Leader: God of Grace, thank you for tranquil, reflective moments when we are able to recognize you in the world. For all your beauty and your wonder, we give you thanks.

**All: For women with grateful hearts, who have shared their faith with us and responded in kindness and service, we give you thanks and praise.**

Leader: Creator God, be present with us as we sing and serve, remember and celebrate, your daughters who, with your help, have lived lives of gratitude, reflecting your love and grace.

**All: Give us your peace, which surpasses our understanding and watch over our hearts and our minds, as we rest in Christ Jesus. Amen.**

The Honorary Life Membership pin's design was adopted in celebration of the coming together of Presbyterian Women from the former United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A. and the Presbyterian Church (U.S.)

The caring, supportive hands represent women who seek to build an inclusive community of Presbyterian Women.

The leaf represents growth of our personal and corporate response to Jesus Christ as we nurture our faith.

The dove indicates our work for peace in our own lives and throughout the world, shown in the globe.

At the center of the design is the cross, by which our sins are forgiven and we are freed to live in Christ who is at the center of our lives.

The overall design is of the butterfly, a symbol of newness in Christ and emergence of new creation, Presbyterian Women.



### **Those who have received the Presbyterian Women's Honorary Life Membership**

Arlene Brady	Carolyn Burns (Deceased)
Helen Crombie	Lois DeWitt
Doris Gaylord (Deceased)	Jane Klaebel
Roberta Ruebel (Deceased)	Joan Ruddle
Lila Schafer	Ginny Sewell

## PCPH Children and Youth Summer 2017



**Kid's Kingdom Camp**  
**May 30<sup>th</sup> - June 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
**9am - 12pm**  
**Ages 3 - 11**  
**Cost: \$40 per child**

All children must be potty trained. Camp will include a water day, music hour, snack, arts n crafts, crazy hair day, a cooking lesson, and recreation time. We will also have a bible lesson each day with the theme of creation. Please be sure to sign up with Huiran Xaxni as soon as possible, slots will fill up quickly.



**High School: Rest, Relax, Worship, and Restore Retreat**  
**Blue Ridge, Georgia**  
**Grades 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**June 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>TH</sup>**  
**Cost- \$250.00**

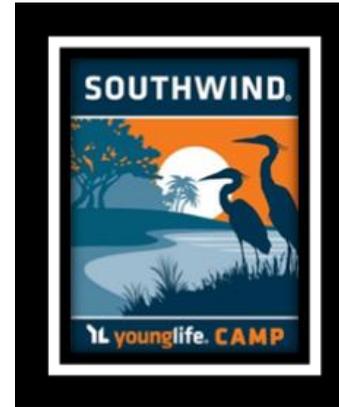
The High School youth group "Alive" will travel to Blue Ridge, Georgia, for a week away from the busyness of school, work, assignments, and the hectic schedules. We will stay at a large cabin and spend time in worship, fellowship, and with each other. During the week, we will hike, go white water rafting, float the Ocoee River, volunteer at a soup kitchen, play games, and learn life skills as well as what it means to be a "Red Letter Christian".

## PCPH Children and Youth Summer 2017

**Middle and High School Mission Trip**  
**Epic Missions Incorporated**  
**June 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>**  
**Cost: \$275.00**



Our middle and high school youth groups are going to be doing a combined mission trip to Vero Beach, Florida to work with Epic Missions Incorporated. This mission trip will specifically work with a migrant farmer working community while helping support a Vacation Bible School, soup kitchen, elderly home, and much more. This is going to be a great week of spreading God's news to His people, and coming together as disciples of Christ.



**Southwind**  
**Middle School Summer Camp**  
**July 30<sup>th</sup> - August 4<sup>th</sup>**  
**Cost- \$275.00**

Our annual middle school trip to Southwind summer camp will take place this summer from July 30<sup>th</sup> - August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Each year our middle school group heads to the young life conference center and camp "Southwind". The camp consists of worship, fellowship, mud pits, group games, and much more. This is a great time, and should not be missed if you are a middle school student. It is a great way to grow in Christ and with each other.

If you have any questions regarding the summer programs at PCPH for our middle and high school students, please contact Malissa Garcia in the church office. Also, please be in prayer for our children and student ministry this summer as our prayer is that God would move deeply through their lives.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.  
– Psalm 107:1

## GATHER JOYFULLY

**Welcome, Announcements, Quiet Time**

Melanie Haslam

**Announcement and Women's Recognition**

Joan Ruddle

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

Liturgist: Leslie Fann

Leader: Grateful to God, we worship. We worship the God of Grace.

**People: In God, we are ever thankful; in God we will rejoice!**

Leader: Look to God. Do not be afraid.

**People: Lift up your voices. God is near. Lift up your voices. God is near.**

Leader: Grateful to God, we worship.

**People: We worship the gifts of God this day.**

**\*Song** (insert/wall)

"Give Thanks"

**\*Prayer of Confession** (together)

**O God, we confess that we have not always spoken up for justice. We have not stood with the oppressed. We have walked the other way, sometimes immobilized by fear and sometimes not knowing what else to do. Rekindle the gift of God within us and remind us of our faith, a faith that first lived in our grandmothers and our mothers, in our Sunday School teachers and our choir directors, in our elders and our ministers. God of Grace, forgive us and transform us into whom you would have us to be, so that we delight in your will and walk in your way.**

**\*Words of Assurance**

Leader: God acts with justice and mercy. In everlasting love, God redeems us and sets us free.

**People: God forgives us, frees us and gives us peace. To God, we are ever thankful. 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**

Malissa Garcia

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

**\*Song** (insert/wall)

"His Eye Is on the Sparrow"

**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**

Psalm 107: 1 - 9

Matthew 6:25 - 33

Bonnie VanderVegte

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**Message**

"Being Grateful is a Lifestyle Choice"

Malissa Garcia

**A Litany for Women with Grateful Hearts**

Joan Ruddle

**\*Song** (insert/wall)

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

## GO FAITHFULLY

**\*Blessing**

**\*Response** (all sing)

"Hold My Hand"

K. Medema

Hold my hand and don't let go – while the winds of changes blow. In the rain and in the snow, hold my hand and don't let go.

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

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