BULLETIN BOARD

ROCK SUNDAY will be held on September 9 with awards and recognition during both services. There will be food, fun, and fellowship during the Sunday School hour.

MT. PLEASANT DAY CARE has Kids' Stuff coupon books for sale at the price of \$25. Proceeds from the sale of the books will be used for playground equipment and improvements. The books are available in the Church office.

CHILDCARE/NURSERY WORKER if you are interested in a paid position for either Saturday mornings (every other week) or Sunday mornings (every week during Sunday School hour and the second service), please inquire at the Church office.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP (TUESDAY EVENING) will start the new year on Tuesday, September 11 from 6:30 to 8:00 at the church. We will be looking at John Piper's book "50 Reasons Why Jesus Came To Die". Have you ever wondered, when Jesus cried out from the cross "It Is Finished", what all that included? Did it just mean His suffering was over or was it much more? Come and join us as we look at the reasons He died.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP (TUESDAY MORNING) will be changing to Friday morning beginning September 7. We will meet in the Conference Room at 10 am. We will be studying from the Women of Faith series. Our book is entitled "Knowing God's Word" by Luci Swindoll.

PREGNANCY SUPPORT CENTER There will be a Work Day on Saturday, September 15 from 8 am until 2 pm. Please contact Lennie Miller (724.777.0445) if you have any questions.

KiD's CHOIR KIDS it is almost here...you know...Christmas! We are going to begin preparing our Christmas Play (December 16). We need young voices from preschoolers through middle school. We need **your** voices! Kid's choir will begin meeting Wednesday, September 5 at 6:30 pm. There will be a bible story, singing, a game and treat. You won't want to miss it!

CHILDREN & Worship As our church has grown, so has the need for volunteers in our Children & Worship program. If you are interested in serving, please fill out the insert and place it in the offering plate or the Church Office. A new volunteer refresher class will be held for all volunteers on Sunday, October 14 during the Sunday School hour. If you have any questions, you can contact Pam McDonald (724.312.2839) or email to (pjmcdcw@yahoo.com).

JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP will be holding their Kick-off on Sunday, September 16 from 5 to 7 pm at Tom and Julie Allison's home. If you are in 5th through 12th grade, come and enjoy a bonfire and hayride to start off the new year. Contact Denise Lander (724.573.1553) if you have any questions or concerns.

THE CARE ELDER & DEACON for the month are available for you if you have a need and can't reach Pastor Rich. The September Elder is Jody Bologna (724.774.5745) and the Deacon is Jeff Lampe (724.643.4253).

TITHING REPORT	Giving	Needed	Difference
Last Week	\$5,168	\$5,754	-\$586
Year to Date	\$198,540	\$201,390	-\$2,850

MT. PLEASANT STAFF

Rev. Richard Herbster

Home 724.375.4739 Cell 724.544.5572

Sara Beth Miller, Child Care Director
Patricia Lampe, Music Director
Buddy Smeltz, Praise Team Leader
Matt Zahn, Adult Choir Director
Tim Ramsey, Audio Technician
Bill Kendall, Maintenance Manager
Kelly Dobbins, Custodian
Sylvia Kendall, Treasurer

CHURCH LEADERS (AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY)

ELDERS

Jody Bologna (Shepherding) Steve DeLong (Facilities) Travis Frasier (Worship) Jan Garland (Christian Education) Lenny Hyre (Fellowship) Bill Kendall (Clerk of Session) Craig Lahtinen (Admin., Finance) Lennie Miller (Missions, Outreach) Rick Pierce (Personnel)

DEACONS

Jeff Lampe (Chairman)
Harry Suttelle (Vice-chairman)
Micki Addison
Paul Conn
Marie Hyre
Wayne Taormina
Deb Taylor
Carol Thomas
Drew Vinisky



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MT. PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (E.P.C.)



"Because Jesus lives forever, he has a permanent priesthood. Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them."

Hebrews 7:23-25

WORSHIP SERVICE

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Hebrews 7:23-28

Prayer of Invocation

* Praise Through Song

Blessing God's Children: "Jesus Loves Me"

The children will now proceed to Children & Worship.

Apostles' CreedHymnal #627

* Doxology......Hymnal #623

Offertory Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

The second offering is for the Deacon's Fund

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

* Hymn #239 "Beneath The Cross Of Jesus"

Scripture: Genesis 14:1-24

Sermon: "Generations: Geopolitics and Priests"

Pastor Rich Herbster

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

- * Hymn #499"I Will Serve Thee"
- * Benediction and Recessional
- * Congregation will remain standing

Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children & Worship. There is nursery available for children under the age of 3.

If you desire special prayer or spiritual counsel, please meet with our Elders in the front of the sanctuary, immediately following this morning's service.

THIS EVENING

Please join us this evening at 6:00 to praise our Lord in Worship and to hear a message from Pastor Rich on Philippians 3:12-16 "Pressing On Toward The Goal".

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

<u>Illness or Injury</u> Louis Moore, Alma McBee, Vikki Dalton, G.T. Dalton, Dylan Wolanski, Robert Vinisky, Brian Varkonda, Nick Allison, Herman Thomas, Holly Garland, Gail Harris, Kathy Lang, Laura Garrett & Baby Lily, James Shriver, Barbara Mihalow, Ralph Jones, Howard Olson, Wesley Bramble, Shirley Hysong, James Land, Dwayne Bauknight, Nora King, Roberta Dravenstott, John Hasel, Jack McCune, Ed Jestat, Ed Zelazny, Brenda Shriver, Iris Mayhue, Lois McLaughlin, Michelle Owen, J.J. Mann, Hazel Kelly, Bill Duke, Debra Knause, Manda, Darlene Tenningon, Nancy Johnson, Christina Mravich, Jeff Rigsby, Dan Cook, Michael Duafala, Elizabeth Korodi, Bill Weil, Melissa Doyle, Jerry Wollant, Rob Clowes, Albert Miller, Paul Rechel, Vicki Bucklew, Delores Ross, Darlene, Kathy Ostrowski. Nioka

God's Guidance and Care Kristin Vinisky

Praise Randall Hodges

<u>Bereavement</u> Donald Shaw Family, Merle Rhines Family, Lillian Lazar Family

This Week's Mission Honduras Mission

Assisting in this Morning's Worship

Acolyte 8:30 Isabella Alvarado

11:00 Ella Lahtinen

Ushers 8:30 Steve DeLong, Bill Enders, Jim Gray

11:00 Neil Fabianich, Nate Marksteiner,

Shawn Marsteiner

Greeters 8:30 Gale Pence

11:00 Rick Pierce

Organist/Music Director 8:30 Pat Lampe

11:00 Pat Lampe

Liturgist 8:30 Beth Ann Enders

11:00 Beth Ann Enders

Toddler/Infant Nursery 8:30 Michelle Dalton

11:00 JoAnn Withrow

Children & Worship Leaders 8:30 Pam McDonald

11:00 Jason McDonald, Lexa Taylor

Children & Worship Helpers 8:30 Gwen Taylor

11:00 Laura Given, Sherri Tellish

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Blended Worship Service #1 Sunday, 8:30 - 9:45 am Sunday School Sunday, 10:00 - 10:45 am

Blended Worship Service #2 Sunday, 11:00 -12:15 pm Evening Worship Service Sunday, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

MEETING/PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Sr. High Youth Group
Jr. High Youth Group
Christian Child Care
Women's Fellowship & Bible Study
Sunday, 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Mon-Fri, 6:00 am - 6:00 pm
Tuesday, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Ask a Nurse 1st Wed. each month, 10:00 am -12:00 pm

Bible Study & Prayer Meeting
Kids Choir Practice
Praise Team Practice
Adult Choir Practice
Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm
Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm
Wednesday, 7:30 - 8:30 pm
Wednesday, 8:30 - 9:30 pm
Wednesday, 8:30 - 9:30 pm
Friday,10:00 - 11:30 am

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS — SUNDAY MORNINGS, 10:00 AM "With All Your Heart" facilitated by Jan Garland "Bible Study Class" led by Bill Enders

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To our visitors: We are honored that you visited with us today. Please sign the red book and indicate how we may serve you. If you need assistance at any time during the morning, please ask an usher.