

BULLETIN BOARD

CRUSADERS Laura Given will not be leading the Crusaders for Christ program for the 2014 Season. Laura has led this program for over 15 years and Crusaders has been an amazing outreach for children in our community. If you are interested and feel God is leading you to step up to this position, please contact the church office or Laura Given at (724.203.4678).

CHRISTMAS DECORATING The church will be decorated for the Christmas season on Saturday, November 30. Setting up the Nativity outside will begin at 8 am. Decorating the sanctuary will begin at 9 am. Please contact Steve DeLong (724.573.5351) or Beth Ann Enders (724.495.6679), if you have any questions.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES Thank you to all who participated in this project. We sent 69 shoeboxes to Samaritan's Purse and raised enough money to pay for the cost of shipping and handling through the bake sales.

BUILDING ADDITION Session has approved Phase I of the building addition. This will include three classrooms, two bathrooms, and a mechanical room. To start this phase of the project, a fund has been established and \$100,000 is needed to begin construction in April of 2014. In order to meet this goal, you are encouraged to designate an amount, in addition to your regular tithes, toward the new addition.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP A.K.A. The "C-Team" will be having a winter clothing drive ending on December 14. They will be collecting **KIDS** winter clothing, boots, coats, hats, gloves/mittens, sleds, and also baby items. For more information, please contact Pam McDonald at (724.312.2839 or pjmcdcw@yahoo.com).

THE CARE ELDER & DEACON for the month are available for you if you have a need and can't reach Pastor Rich. The November Elder is Lenny Hyre (724.375.8283) and the Deacon is Drew Vinisky (724.495.3292).

Building Addition Fund—\$4,086.54 total to date.

| <u>TITHING REPORT</u> | <u>Giving</u> | <u>Needed</u> | <u>Difference</u> |
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| Last Week | \$6,668 | \$6,587 | \$81 |
| Year to Date | \$297,489 | \$303,002 | -\$5,513 |

MT. PLEASANT STAFF

Rev. Dr. 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
Chris Petrella, Sound Booth Coordinator
Bill Kendall, Maintenance Manager
Kelly Dobbins, Custodian
Sylvia Kendall, Treasurer
Pam McDonald, Senior High Youth Minister
Denise Lander, Junior High Youth Minister

CHURCH LEADERS (AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY)

ELDERS

Bill Kendall
(Clerk of Session, Shepherding)
Steve DeLong (Facilities)
Travis Frasier (Worship)
Laura Given (Christian Education)
Lenny Hyre (Fellowship)
Craig Lahtinen (Administration)
Larry Zahn (Finance)
Lennie Miller (Missions, Outreach)
Rick Pierce (Personnel)

DEACONS

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



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November 17, 2013

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



“My mouth will speak
in praise of the Lord.
Let every creature
praise his holy name
for ever and ever.”
Psalm 145:21

WORSHIP SERVICE

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Psalm 145:17-21

Prayer of Invocation

Praise Through Song

Blessing God's Children: "Jesus Loves Me"

The children will now proceed to Children & Worship.

Minute for Mission The Persecuted Church

* DoxologyHymnal #623

Offertory Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Special Music "Jesu, Joy Of Man's Desiring"Philip Herbster

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

* Hymn #104 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Scripture: Ezekiel 37:1-28

Sermon "Dry Bones, Live!"

..... Pastor Rich Herbster

Hymn #162 "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

* 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 4:30 pm for a Thankfulness Feast. A special worship service will be held at the conclusion of the Feast.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

Illness or Injury

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| Melanie Allen | Alice Allison | Bon Bingham |
| Norma Brookmann | Shirley Bruce | Richie Bucy Jr. |
| Peggy Cardwell | Kathy Catalini | Ginny Costello |
| Bobbie DiMassio | Cody | Mary Lee Duafala |
| Ron Forch | Dale Foster | Caleb Hyre |
| Shirley Hysong | Jenny Kashella | Kori Lander |
| Jim Katsafanases | Shirley Lipscomb | Cecil Long |
| Mike Lopata | Arnold Magby | Kayln Marksteiner |
| Sandy McGee | Lois McLaughlin | Shari McMasters |
| Laura Miller | Lou Moore | Matt Mrkonja |
| Jeannette Pierce | Josh Prigorac | Lonnie Richard |
| Jeff Rigsby | Ron | Addison Seacrist |
| Virginia Simunick | James Smith | Lori Sorvollo |
| Harry Suttelle Jr. | Harry Suttelle Sr. | Evelyn Telesez |
| Herman Thomas | Bob Tournay | Max Vanenzio |
| Melinda Waddel | Lori Welsh | Donna Weatherby |
| Sue Worst | Karen Yoko | |

Bereavement Donnie Sorvollo Family, Bill Weil Family, Gala Baker Family
This Week's Mission Honduras Mission Team

ASSISTING IN THIS MORNING'S WORSHIP

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| Acolyte | 8:30 | Isaiah Martinez |
| | 11:00 | Nate Given |
| Ushers | 8:30 | Keith Greathouse, Joe Marksteiner, Dan Stiteler |
| | 11:00 | Jason Michel, Derek Merendo, Curt Frasier |
| Greeters | 8:30 | Carl & Happy Hennen |
| | 11:00 | Rich Schoedel |
| 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 | Mackenzie Hartman & Anne Dushac |
| Children & Worship Leaders | 8:30 | Jason McDonald |
| | 11:00 | Brad Funkhouser & Pam McDonald |
| Children & Worship Helpers | 8:30 | Colleen Jesko |
| | 11:00 | JoAnn Fabianich & Laura Foster |

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

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| 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

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| Sr. High Youth Group | Sunday, 5:00 - 7:00 pm |
| Jr. High Youth Group | Sunday, 5:00 - 7:00 pm |
| Christian Child Care | Mon-Fri, 6:00 am - 6:00 pm |
| Ask a Nurse | 1st Wed. each month, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm |
| Women's Bible Study & Fellowship | Tuesday, 6:30 - 8:00 pm |
| Bible Study & Prayer Meeting | Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm |
| Kids Choir Practice | Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm |
| Praise Team Practice | Wednesday, 7:30 - 8:30 pm |
| Adult Choir Practice | Wednesday, 8:40 - 9:30 pm |
| Women's Fellowship | Friday, 10:00 - 11:30 am |

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS — SUNDAY MORNINGS, 10:00 AM

"Don't Waste Your Life" led by Amy & Rich Herbster
"Bible Study Class" led by Bill Enders

ASSISTING IN NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP— November 24, 2013

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| | 11:00 | Mackenzie Hartman & Anne Dushac |
| Children & Worship Leaders | 8:30 | Jennifer DeLong |
| | 11:00 | Lee Miller & Beth Ann Enders |
| Children & Worship Helpers | 8:30 | Janet Conn |
| | 11:00 | Ashley & Amanda Frasier |

To our visitors: We are honored that you visited with us today. Please fill out a blue visitor card and indicate how we may serve you. If you need assistance at any time during the morning, please ask an usher.