

POINT PLEASANT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

11:15 a.m. Single Service

Sunday, November 19th, 2023

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION SUNDAY



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Serving Teams

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Welcome & Announcements

Opening Hymn: "Here I Am To Worship"

Entry of the Light

Call to Worship:

One: God visits the earth with abundance!

All: Praise be to God for the blessings which enrich our lives.

One: Make us stewards of your creation, sharing the abundance!

All: Teach us to share and help others.

One: We praise you for the gifts and ask your guidance in sharing them.

All: Enter our hearts and fill us with the joy of sharing for we ask these things in Jesus' name.

Amen.

Scripture: Psalm 65:8-13

You care for the land and water it; you enrich it abundantly.

The streams of God are filled with water to provide the people with grain, for so you have ordained it.

You drench its furrows and level its ridges; you soften it with showers and bless its crops.

You crown the year with your bounty, and your carts overflow with abundance.

The grasslands of the wilderness overflow; the hills are clothed with gladness.

The meadows are covered with flocks and the valleys are mantled with grain; they shout for joy and sing.

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Hymn: "Come Ye Thankful People Come" UMH 694

Children's Time

Offertory

Doxology

Choir Anthem: "Rejoice, Give Thanks And Sing"

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. As it is written: "They have freely scattered their gifts to the poor; their righteousness endures forever." Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God. This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of the Lord's people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God. Because of the service by which you have proved yourselves, others will praise God for the obedience that accompanies your confession of the gospel of Christ, and for your generosity in sharing with them and with everyone else. And in their prayers for you their hearts will go out to you, because of the surpassing grace God has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

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Sermon: Seeds of Gratitude

Pastoral Prayer: One: Lord in your mercy,
All: Pour out your spirit.

Closing Hymn: "For The Beauty Of The Earth" UMH 92

Benediction

Sermon Notes...

Online giving can be done through the church website: ppumc.com

Church Calendar

November						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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December						
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GROW – Four Week Advent Series

5:30 p.m. Fellowship Hall
Community Meal

6:30 p.m. Ministry Center
Advent Class w/ Zoom Option

7:15 p.m. Sanctuary
Choir Rehearsal

Runs December 6th, 13th & 20th

Please Note: The events, dates & times are subject to change. We wanted to provide you with an overview of our church schedule so that you could plan your holiday season. Watch the E-News, service bulletins and service announcements for more details as we get closer to the events.

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Drive-In Movie Night

6:00 p.m. Ministry Center

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Ladies Fellowship Christmas Luncheon

11:00 a.m. Elk Grove Olive Garden

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SSP Christmas Craft Sale

9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall

Charge Conference

7:30 p.m. Ministry Center

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Administrative Board Meeting

7:00 p.m. by Zoom

Youth Group Lock-In

More Information to come

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Christmas Music Sunday

Two Services

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Ministry Center

Stable Service

5:30 p.m. Soup Dinner – Fellowship Hall

6:30 p.m. Stable Service - Benson's Barn

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Blue Christmas Service

6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Led by Pastor Neal

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Khmer Christmas Service

7:00 p.m. Ministry Center

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Christmas Eve Services

More Information to come