

## YOUTH

### CoffeeTalk

All high schoolers are invited every Monday @ 4 pm to the Starbucks on Bay to Bay for drinks and a chance to talk about faith/ life with other high schoolers. Your first time to CoffeeTalk gets you a free coffee!

**Messy game night** for both HS and MS Youth Groups. Come prepared by wearing clothes that can get dirty!

### Cedarkirk

Don't forget to sign up for the **Middle School Retreat to Cedarkirk**. Nov. 6-8. Registration available on-line or in the office.

### Youth Website

Check out the **new website for the youth program!** [www.pcpcyouth.com](http://www.pcpcyouth.com). See pictures of recent events, download the youth calendar and other forms,

## FELLOWSHIP

### Wednesday Night Dinner

5:30-6:30 p.m. The Menu is Lasagna & salad. Anyone with an October birthday gets one free dinner this month. Make reservations by calling the church office, email [receptionist@palmaceia.org](mailto:receptionist@palmaceia.org) or purchase a book of tickets for convenience and savings.

### Tapestry Women's Ministry, "Women's Wisdom"

Tonight at 6:30 p.m. in the Presbyterian Women's Room  
Join the women of the church to hear, Denise Harvill and Julie Henley about the Faithful Examples of Discipleship (FED) ministry. This ministry distributes cereal, clothes, books and Bibles to the residents of the North Boulevard Housing Projects and conducts children's Bible lessons and tutors and mentors youth. Find out what called Denise and Julie to begin this ministry, how it's developed and how you can get involved. Dinner (\$6) will begin at 6:30 p.m. and talk is at 7:15 p.m.

### Advent Booklet

The theme for the 2009 Advent booklet is: Nativity Memories. Please submit any story or particular memory associated with the Nativity set or sets in your life. Please submit to MaryLee Johnson, CE Admin at [MaryLee@palmaceia.org](mailto:MaryLee@palmaceia.org) by November 1.

Watch for information regarding a Nativity display opportunity coming in Advent.

### Presbyterian Women

Presbyterian Women's next Board Meeting is tomorrow, Monday, October 19, at 10:15 a.m. in C312. The next General Meeting is Monday October 26, at 10:15 a.m. in C312.

### Poland Reflection

Come hear about our amazing experience in Poland today at 9:45 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall & October 28 at 6:15 p.m. in the PW Room.

### The NET, Men's Ministry

## CONGREGATIONAL CARE

### Vocational Transition and Job Search

Weekly support, prayer, and encouragement meetings are on Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. In addition, we have set up a team of experienced professionals who are willing to meet Wednesday's at 10:00 a.m. to provide training and coaching the job search process. Contact [Miller Detrick](mailto:Miller.Detrick) at (813) 871-6363.

## CHRIS

### Adult Education Mi

Sunday School is 9:45-10:4

**Sunday Scripture**, Chapel day.

### Faith in the Presbyterian

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### The Interpreters Class: L

### Rev. Claudia Henderson'

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### Lydia Bible Study Class, 1

This Bible study utilizes *Th* which is published quarter theme of God's Covenant z Invitation to Covenant Livin "Begging to Get In" Mark

### The Wordrunners

Sundays at 4:45 p.m in EM

### Confirmation Class

Meets today at 11:00 a.m. i [geoff@palmaceia.org](mailto:geoff@palmaceia.org) for fu

### The Mustards Seeds Bible

Thursday mornings at 10:1 David Jeremiah as a study Andrews at 254-4959.

### The Sacrament of Comm

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### The Significance of Com

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### Children's Ministry

#### Sunday School

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**Pre-K 3-K: The Good San**

**1st -5th Grades: The Sto**

Pre-K 3 & 4 -1st floor, East

K-5th grades - 2nd floor, W

**Thanks to October's Sun**

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### Worship Ministry

45-10:45

Chapel: Bill Wallof explores the lectionary text of the

**Presbyterian Tradition**, Led by Mike Peacock in C310  
Class continues study utilizing the text: *Jesus, the Bible*,  
ed. by Jack Rogers; John Knox Press (2006); ISBN-13:978-  
ISBN-10:0-664-22939-5. As always the class encourages  
members or drop-ins for discussions about current top-  
ical Tradition.

**Class:** Led by Kevin Mineer in EM304.

**Person's Class** is studying The Shack. In EM307 & 308.  
Lesson will focus on Chapter 9 "A long Time Ago in a  
faraway place."

**Class**, EM302  
utilizes *The Present Word* study book in the Uniform Series,  
published quarterly by the PC(USA). This quarter features the  
theme of Living Out in Communities. Unit 2: An Open  
Door to Living. Susan Barksdale leads today's study,  
Matthew 7:24-30.

**Class** in EM305. Questions? Call Joanne Snyder at 289-1609.

**Class**  
starts at 10 a.m. in C311. Call or email Geoff at 253-6047 or  
geoff@palmaceia.org for further details.

**Adult Bible Study Class** is studying the Book of James on  
November 8 at 10:15 a.m. in room C311. They are using a book by  
John MacArthur with a study guide. If you would like to join, call Betty Jo  
at 253-6047.

**Communion**, November 8 at 9:45 a.m.  
I will lead a class on the Sacrament of Communion. All are  
invited to participate. If you have any questions about how the Presbyterian branch Re-  
sponds and participates in the sacrament of commu-  
nion, please contact me. We will have ample time for questions regarding the frequency of com-  
munion, the styles of communion, who may participate  
and the elements that we use.

**Communion & Families**, November 15, at 11:00

Ms. M and Nancy Little, Director of PCPC Preschool, will  
lead a class on "The Significance of Communion and Families". This  
class is designed to assist parents in interpreting the sacraments for their  
children, the significance of the sacrament, and preparation for participation  
in the sacrament.

### Worship Ministry

**David Helped David Fight a Giant, 1 Samuel 17:1-58**  
**God Samaritan, John 13:34**  
**The Story of Joseph, Genesis 37 & 45**  
at 10:45 a.m., Eastminster bldg.  
1st floor, Westminster bldg.

**Worship Ministry's Sunday School Teachers!** Susan LeBlanc, Ashli

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

### **Godly Play**

Children ages 3 through 1st grade are invited to partici-  
pate in "Time with the Children" in worship. Godly Play is  
held on the 1st floor of Covenant Hall.

## MISSION

### **Eyes for Africa**

As part of PCPC's Uganda Mission effort, the church is  
collecting any or all eyeglasses that may not be of use to you any  
longer. Emmanuel Ofumbi, has made arrangements for a  
technician to assist a program of the fitting and disseminat-  
ing eyeglasses in the Papoli and Tororo areas of Uganda. Eyeglasses may  
be dropped off at the church office. For more information, contact Bill Wallof  
at [bill@palmaceia.org](mailto:bill@palmaceia.org)

### **Ingathering**

The Presbyterian Women will hold their annual Ingathe-  
ring on November 16 from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. in the Bre-  
thren Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall. Please bring all usable  
(clothes, toys, and household items) to the Ingathering for  
the Brethren and Church Women United. Clothing should be separat-  
ed from other items. Drop off is located in the Breezeway.

### **Costa Rica**

Do you want to go to Costa Rica?  
Men pack your bags and go to Costa Rica to help with  
the harvest. Leaving on November 7 and returning November 14. For  
more information, contact Sara Winston at 253-6047 ext. 272 or [sara@palmaceia.org](mailto:sara@palmaceia.org).

## FINANCE

### **Remembering the Church**

Please consider remembering Christ's Church in your  
prayer. For more information, contact Rev. John DeBevoise, [John@palmaceia.org](mailto:John@palmaceia.org)

### 2009 CHURCH OPERATING STATUS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

	Annual Budget	Year to Date
Total Income	\$1,750,000	\$1,241,097
Total Expense	\$1,750,000	\$1,291,798
NET INCOME		-\$50,701

## MUSIC

**Joyful Noise Choir** is now in session on Wednesdays  
in room WM210, for Grades PK4, K and 1st grade. Contact  
Catherine Pereira (282-7845) or Catherine Pereira (286-2078) with ques-  
tions.

**Piano Trio** (Finalist in the Rutenburg Chamber Music  
Competition) will perform on Thursday November 5, at 7:00 p.m. PCPC Sanctuary -  
Westminster Bldg.

**Haydn's Lord Nelson Mass:** Tampa Oratorio Singers  
David Matthews and members of The Florida Orchestra  
will perform on Wednesday, November 8, at 4:00 p.m. PCPC Sanctuary. Tickets: \$15 ;

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[lmaceia.org](http://lmaceia.org).

OF SEPTEMBER 30TH	
Date	% of Annual Budget
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08	74

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Music Competition)  
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Singers accompanied by  
Orchestra on Sunday No-  
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## WELCOME

### Welcome, Visitors!

If you are interested in more information about the congregation, please mark the registration pad. We will be happy to mail information to you. If you have not made a profession of faith to Jesus Christ, or if you desire to become a member of this congregation, please note that, with an address or phone number, and one of the pastors will contact you.

### Intercessory Prayer

Copies of the intercessory prayer sheets are located in the entrance of the worship centers. If you are aware of additions or changes, e-mail [prayer@palmaceia.org](mailto:prayer@palmaceia.org).

### Nursery

Loving care is provided for all infants and children through toddler two each Sunday while parents are in worship and Sunday School. Parents are asked to sign in at the main Preschool desk on the north side of

## WORSHIP

**Worship Notes From The Pastor:** Today we are celebrating "Bible Sunday."

A highlight of the service is the presentation of the Bibles to the third graders in this church, which takes place each year on this Sunday. It is an opportunity to emphasize the centrality of scripture in Christian Faith. In addition, in the breezeway today you can view "The Hipp Bible," a Bible from the year 1649, a gift to the church and one of the oldest Bibles in Florida. This Bible in the midst of this congregation is a visible witness to the existence and work of the scriptures from centuries past.

### Traditional Service (8:30 & 11:00 a.m.)

In the Traditional Service the focus is on the gift of scripture to the church. The hymns and liturgy all help to celebrate this gift. The sermon is on "The Authority of The Bible."

### Connection Service (8:30 & 9:45 a.m.)

In the Connection we continue our "12X12 study" on Spiritual Gifts. This week's message focuses on the kinds of Spiritual gifts we are given as a community that challenge our heart as a community. In the Body of Christ we are led by the Holy Spirit through the gifts of each other and sometimes these can challenge our perceptions and open us up to see in new ways.

### Vespers Service (6:00 p.m.)

The service, which utilizes scripture readings, contemplation, and prayer, is a quiet service that lasts about a half hour, and includes the Sacrament of Communion.

### There is a gift coming for all Third Graders

Your church family is excited to present to you your very own copy of the Bible.

**Bibles are being presented to all third graders in all worship services today.**

### Recent Changes in Worship

In this period of increased flu activity the session has asked the pastors to temporarily suspend the practice of greeting one another as a formal part of worship. As you greet one another before and after the service please be aware that some people may wish to refrain from shaking hands or hugging. At this time, a healthier choice would be a verbal greeting. "The peace of Christ be with you."

Communion will continue to be served weekly at the Vesper's Service

## GYM

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Worship 8:30 & 9:45 a.m. Upward Games 12 - 6	Upward Basketball Practice 4 - 8 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice - 8 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, call

## 12 STEP

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
<b>AA</b>	7:30 p.m. FH	7:30 p.m. EM307	
<b>Al-Anon</b>	—	—	
<b>Al-Ateen</b>	—	—	

## ADMINISTRATION

### Communications

- **PCPC Life newsletter** delivered 12:00 p.m.
- **PCPC Weekly announcements**
- **PCPC E-News:** sign up at [www.palmaceia.org](http://www.palmaceia.org)
- **PCPC Website:** [www.palmaceia.org](http://www.palmaceia.org)

### Congregational Meeting

The Session has called a congregational meeting at the sanctuary for the purpose of Officer Nominating Committee.

### Go Paperless

In an effort to conserve funds we are providing a Life newsletter by mail. In making a paperless copy via our e-news system, please visit our website and clicking on Welcome to Palmaceia [communications@palmaceia.org](mailto:communications@palmaceia.org)

### Flowers for the Sanctuary

To dedicate Sunday flowers in the sanctuary, call (813) 494-5550.

### Emergency Information

An AED (Automatic External Defibrillator) and first aid kit are located in the north sanctuary.

## GYM SCHEDULE

Tuesday	Wednes-	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Upward Basketball Practice 4 - 8 p.m.	Basketball 4 - 6pm M.S. Youth 6-7:30	Praise Band Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.	CLOSED	CLOSED

ment, contact Linda Beckham at Linda@palmaceia.org.

## TEP GROUP MEETINGS

nday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thurs- day	Friday	Saturday
7:30 a.m. EM307	7:30 p.m. FH	7:00 p.m. **	7:30 p.m. FH	5:30 p.m. EM305	10:30 a.m. *EM307
—	7:30 p.m. EM305	—	—	—	—
—	8:15 p.m. EM207	—	—	—	—

## ADMINISTRATION

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**ouncement** deadline is Wednesdays at 12:00 p.m. up at [www.palmaceia.org](http://www.palmaceia.org).  
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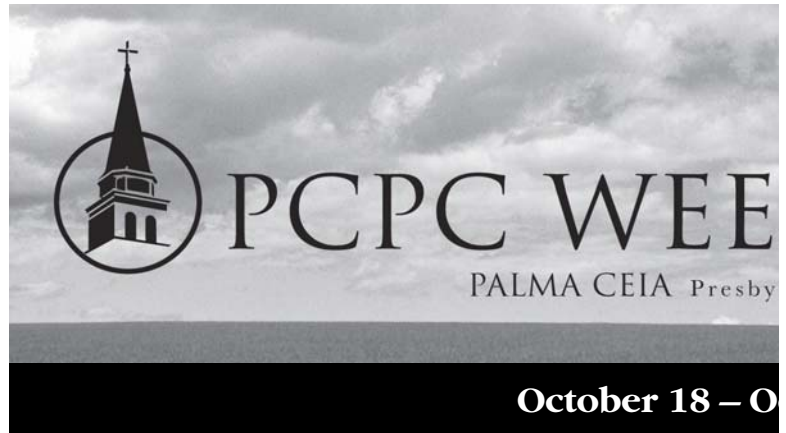
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## This Week At PCPC

### Sunday, October 18

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship Service
8:30 & 9:45 a.m.	Connection Worship Service
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 - 1:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class, C311
12:00 p.m.	Congregational Meeting, Sanctuary
12:00 - 2:00 p.m.	Hospitality Class, Fellowship Room
12:00 - 6:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Games, Gym
4:45 p.m.	The Wordrunners, EM305
6:00 p.m.	Vespers Service, Chapel
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.	H.S. Youth Group, 2nd Floor East
7:30 p.m.	Youth Worship Band, Gym

### Monday, October 19

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Fellowship
12:00 p.m.	Followers of the Way, Fellowship Room
3:30 p.m.	Tai-Chi Class, Game Room
4:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice, Gym
7:00 p.m.	Softball - PCPC vs. Metro 1 Field

### Tuesday, October 20

8:00 a.m.	Women's Prayer Group, EM 301 & 302
9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Advanced Line Dancing, Game Room
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Beginner Line Dancing, Game Room
4:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice, Gym
7:30 - 9:00 p.m.	Faith In Fiction Book Club, C310

### Wednesday, October 21

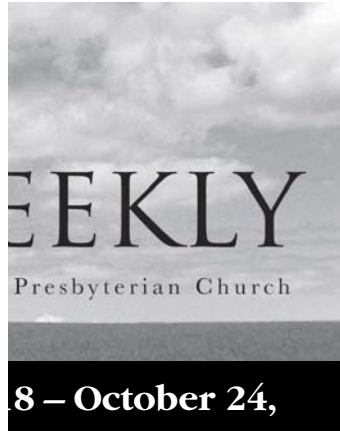
9:00 a.m.	Vocational Transitions Prayer Group
4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Yoga Class, Game Room
4:00 - 5:30 p.m.	Prayer Shawl Knitters, Bride's Room
4:00 - 6:00 p.m.	Upward Basketball Practice, Gym
5:00 - 6:00 p.m.	Junior Choir Practice, Choir Room
5:30 p.m.	Wednesday Night Dinner, Chapel
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.	M.S. Youth Group
7:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir Practice, Chapel

### Thursday, October 22

9:00 a.m.	Walking (yoga style) Class
10:15 a.m.	The Mustard Seeds, Bible Study, C310

### Saturday, October 24

12:00 p.m.	Upward Cheerleading, Fellowship Room
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Worship Service  
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Rooms, C311  
Sanctuary  
Fellowship Hall  
, Gym  
EM305  
Chapel  
Door Eastminster  
Hall, Gym

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Fellowship Hall  
Dance Room  
, Gym  
Metro Mix at Hyde Park

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Rooms 301 & 302  
Game Room  
Game Room  
, Gym  
, C310

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Prayers & Support

Men's Room  
, Gym  
Choir Room C206  
Dinner, Fellowship Hall

Practice, Choir Room C206

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Worship Class, Breezeway  
Study, C311

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Fellowship Hall & Game

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