

# This Week at PUMC

## Monday, February 13

1:00 pm	DRA	Parsons Hall
7:00 pm	Boy Scouts	Parsons Hall

## Tuesday, February 14

9:30 am	Bible Study	Resource Room
6:30 pm	Bible Study	Chapel
8:00 pm	AA	Parsons Hall

## Wednesday, February 15

1:00 pm	DRA	Parsons Hall
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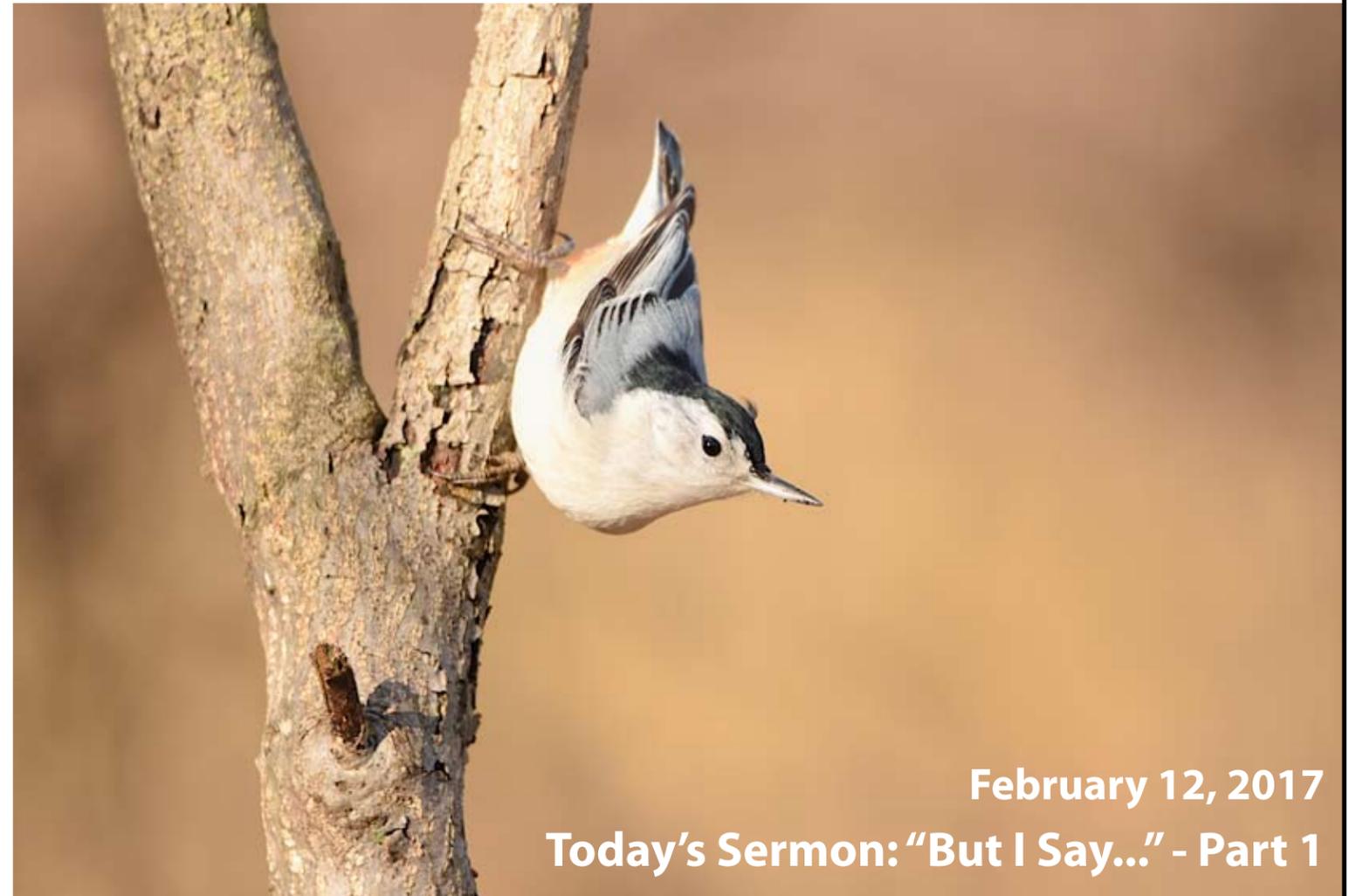
## Thursday, February 16

9:00 am	Food Pantry	Chapel
10:00 am	Stitchers	Ed. Wing
6:30 pm	Collins Bells	Bell Room
7:00 pm	Men's Chorus	Sanctuary
7:30 pm	Chancel Choir	Choir Room
8:00 pm	AA	Parsons Hall



# The Painesville United Methodist Church

*On the Square... steeped in prayer!*



February 12, 2017

Today's Sermon: "But I Say..." - Part 1

### Our Team

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### Today's Activities

Youth Fundraising Breakfast  
8:00- noon in Parsons Hall

Toddler Room/Nursery  
8:30 am - Education Wing

Faithlink  
8:30 am - Parlor

B.U.G.  
8:30 am - Resource Room

Worship  
8:30 am - Sanctuary

Youth Bells  
9:00 am- Bell Room

Coffee Time  
9:00-11:30 am - Circle Room

Children's Choir  
9:30 am - Ed. Wing

Worship  
10:00 am - Sanctuary

Sunday School  
10:00 am - Sanctuary

Koinonia Sunday School  
10:00 am - Parlor

Ready to Ring Ringers  
11:00 am - Bell Room

Concert: Brass Band of the  
Western Reserve  
4:00 pm - Sanctuary

*Cover photo by Eric Silvi*

### Coffee Break

Please join us in the Circle Room after services for a time of fellowship and refreshments.

### Visitors Welcome Gift

Visitors, please stop by our Hospitality Desk in the Circle Room for a complimentary welcome gift. We'd love to talk with you, answer any questions, take you on a tour and introduce you to our worship team.

### Special Services

During each worship service, the following are available: sound enhancement devices for hearing impaired; large print hymnals; children's bulletins with coloring books and crayons to keep the young ones occupied.

### Child Care

Child care is available during each of our services. Please contact an usher or greeter about the location of our Nursery.

### Altar Flowers

This morning's altar flowers are from Gene and Joyce Flood in memory of Cecil and Mary Flood.

### Next Week's Greeters

Dick Ramsey, Shirley Huffman, Judy Riczinger (8:30) Todd Ulshafer Family, Julie Benson, Jane Conklin Morse (10:00)



Pastor Jan Yandell

## PJ's Post

Dear Friends and Friends I have not yet met,

The passages in today's scripture lesson are always challenging. On one hand, if we consider the Ten Commandments as part of the old covenant and remember that Jesus has two for us to follow (love God and love neighbor,) then it might seem easy. However, these lines of the Bible are telling us what it means to truly love God and love neighbor and they make the Ten Commandments look like a piece of cake.

Jesus asks us to go above and beyond the clear cut rules of the Old Testament laws. Being angry with someone will find you just as guilty as taking their life according to Jesus' words in Matthew. Looking at another lustfully is just as bad as committing adultery Jesus is saying. The laws are the laws, but Jesus is asking us to take the spirit of the law to the next level. He is asking us to take the higher road, the more gracious way when dealing with other people and to do so for God's glory.

I have never ever thought of killing anyone, but I will admit to being angry at times. I need to repent and to live my life in a way more pleasing to God. I have never committed adultery, but there have been times my eyes have wandered. I need to repent and to live my life in a way more pleasing to God.

If we are sincerely following Christ, than our standards for others may be a wish, but our standards for ourselves must be a commandment. And if you really think about loving God and loving your neighbor, and act in a manner that shows you are striving to do so, then those rules that go above and beyond will become second nature.

Blessings,  
PJ



Margie Walker  
Youth Coordinator



## Youth Group: Grades 6-12

Ms. Margie - 440-413-3655 - Email: youth@pumconline.org



...for your support of the Youth Group Fundraisers!! You helped reduce the cost, for each YG member that will be attending the NYC Retreat in March. We hope you enjoyed the breakfast we prepared. If you ordered cinnamon rolls, you may pick them up downstairs. Trays of 6 cinnamon rolls are \$5.00. If you are hungry, but didn't get your reservation in for breakfast, come on downstairs - we made some extras. \$6.00/per adult & \$4.00/per child under 10 years.

**Special THANK YOU to ALL who helped to prepare, cook, serve & clean-up!!!**

In honor of Black History Month, I would like to share Elizabeth Juanita Dabney with you. Mrs. Dabney was an African-American woman who set her heart to live a dedicated life to God. She personally wanted "to go to that place where Christian women went in the ancient days." Mrs. Dabney "longed for the revelation of Jesus to be made manifest in her heart." After a three-year period of studying the scriptures, daily prayer rituals, and long periods of fasting, "the Lord appeared to her in a furnace and said that He had anointed her in the place of prayer and that anywhere she traveled with her prayer ministry, many people would be saved."

...from *What it Means to Pray Through* by Elizabeth J. Dabney, 1945.

I was introduced to Elizabeth J. Dabney while reading *Conversations with God, Two Centuries of Prayers by African Americans*, by James Melvin Washington, PH. D. on page 142. Below is one of her prayers. I have recently included this prayer in my morning ritual along with one of my favorite hymns, "Morning Has Broken." They **brighten my light** each day, and I hope they give you the same joy.

Dear God, Thank You for the Morning Light  
Elizabeth J. Dabney, c1945

Dear God, thank you for the morning light  
This day I have lived to see.  
Guide my speech, order my steps aright,  
As I leave this place, to meet Thee.  
I praise you for your training school,  
The teaching you do impart,  
Make me one of your praying tools:  
Abide within my heart.  
As I leave this home you gave;  
Dear God, protect it for me.  
Let the blood of Jesus save.  
My prayers ascent to Thee.  
If it pleases you to call me home  
Before my covenant ends today,  
Let me rest in Thine arms;  
Accept this prayer I pray.  
Bless all the leaders of the land;  
Bless everybody everywhere.  
This time has come. I must be on my way.  
Look for me I shall meet you there. Amen.



**Today:** Breakfast from 8a-Noon, No Bible Study or YG  
**Thank you for all you hard work today!!**

**Sat. Feb 18:** Soup Kitchen

**Sun. Feb 19:** Zachary W. - Liturgist at 10am  
No Bible study or YG after 10am service  
Margie - Leadership meeting from 11:15a-2p

**Sun. Feb 26:** No Bible study or YG  
Youth Mission meeting from 6-8pm

**Sun. March 5:** Sara - Liturgist at 10am  
No Bible study or YG after church, group was invited and chose to go to Shoregate UMC Youth Explosion in Willowick from 6-8p  
NYC meeting from 2-5p--final planning for NYC Retreat

**Fri. March 10-Sun. March 12:** NYC Retreat at Camp Asbury

**Sun. March 12:** Winter Jam 2017 at Wolstein Center in Cleveland. Doors open/Pre-Jam party at 5pm. Main show starts at 6pm. Info: jamtour.com or call 216-627-9292. {{{In the past, Winter Jam has been a YG event. However, this year it is on the same day we return from the NYC Retreat. Therefore, this will not be an official YG event this year. We'll try to catch it next year!!!}}

## Painesville UMC

**Worship Times**  
8:30 & 10:00 am

**Sunday School**  
10:00 am for all age groups. Family worship on the first Sunday of the month

### PUMC Broadcasts

If you are unable to join us in person, tune into WKKY 104.7 to hear our 10:00 am service.

### Social Media

Follow us on Twitter at "twitter.com/PainesvilleUMC"

Like us on Facebook at "facebook.com/PainesvilleUMC"

### On the Web

Visit our web page at [www.pumconline.org](http://www.pumconline.org)

### Office Hours

8:30-3:00 pm Mon. - Thurs.  
9:00-12:00 pm Friday

### Contact Us

If you have questions, please call the office at 354-3642 or email us at [admin@pumconline.org](mailto:admin@pumconline.org)



Johanna Alhman  
Director of  
Christian Education

# Christian Education

Where has the time gone? Can you believe it is the middle of February already? Even if we don't feel it yet, spring is around the corner! It seems when we are younger time goes so slow and when we get older time goes so quickly. It is the same time in a day and days in a months and months in a year but it seems to go by so quickly.

I think it sometimes has to do with what we are doing and what is going on in our lives. When we are waiting for something or someone it seems like a long time. When we are active and involved then time passes quickly. When we have a great deal on our minds and we want to spend time in prayer, the prayer times flies by. If the sermon is on a topic that interests us, then the pastor does not preach long enough. If it is a topic we have no interest in, then 5 minutes becomes like an hour.

Some days I look at Nora and wish time would slow down so I could take in each and every sweet moment. Other days, when she's being a "threenager", I wish we could speed up the week.

I am not sure there is an answer to this dilemma other than appreciating each moment we have. Not trying to rush things or slow them down, but enjoying and thanking God for each moment of our days and of our lives. Try to remember, "This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it".

Regular Sunday School this morning, and please make sure to go downstairs for a yummy breakfast served up by our own wonderful Youth Group!

Have a awesome week,

Ms. Johanna  
children@pumconline.org



## Announcements

### PUMC Concert Series: Brass Band of the Western Reserve Today @ 4:00 p.m.

Why not spend a winter afternoon enjoying a lively concert by this outstanding band? Brass Band of the Western Reserve, under the direction of Dr. Keith Wilkinson, performed here two years ago we had a great time. Their spirit is lively and very entertaining. Please bring your family and friends. We hope to see everyone there.

### PUMC Officers Meeting

There will be a meeting of all officers of the church in Parsons Hall on Sunday, February 19th beginning at 11:15 am A light lunch will be served. Please plan to attend as we need everyone's input in planning for 2017.

### United Methodist Women Circles to Meet in February

The ladies in Susanna Circle will kick off this new year with a meeting on Tuesday, February 21, at 10:30 a.m. in Parsons Hall. Ruth Circle is planning a meeting for Wednesday, February 22, at 7:00 p.m. in the Circle Room. Each circle welcomes newcomers to join in their gatherings for fellowship and good opportunities to become better acquainted. Details of each meeting will be listed in next Sunday's bulletin.

### Confirmation Class to Begin

Confirmation Class will start Sunday, March 19th from 3-5pm and run for six weeks. There will be no class on Easter Sunday. Confirmation is open to 6th, 7th, 8th graders and anyone else up to 12th that has never been confirmed. Pastor Jan will be leading this year's confirmation class and we will welcome our new confirmands into the church on Sunday, May 7th.

Please see Ms. Johanna's letter (coming in the mail) or call/email with any questions. There is also a sign up sheet inside the binder on Volunteer's desk.

### Radio & Live Streaming Sponsorships

The cost to sponsor one month of live streaming of our 10:00 worship service is \$50.00. One week of radio sponsorship is available for \$200.00. If you are interested in either opportunity, please sign up online or contact Deb Kendrick.

### This Week's Birthdays

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| February 12 | Ayla Mealy<br>Lois Sauer  |
| February 14 | Teresa Lyden<br>Carl Robison<br>Jenna Skok<br>Nick Walker       |
| February 15 | Savana Capp<br>Amy Svoboda<br>Emily Ulshafer                    |
| February 16 | Sarah Hitzel<br>Rob Slowey                                      |
| February 17 | Roger Lampman<br>Ernie Richmann IV<br>Matt Smith                |
| February 18 | Coletta Hitzel<br>Peggy Lamiell<br>Donna Locher<br>Rick Zinsner |

### Upcoming Events

**Sunday, February 19**  
Leadership Meeting @11:15  
Parsons Hall

### Last Week

Worship Attendance: 249  
Sunday School Attendance:  
Contributions:  
Operating: \$12,285.00  
Building: \$2,376.00  
Food Pantry: \$225.00

### Food Pantry



### Item of the Week

This week we are in need of 11-16 oz. cans of beans. We mainly distribute pork and beans, but any kind is useful. Thank you for your continued support.



# Order of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude "How Firm a Foundation" Bish

Children's Time Jane Morse

\*Call to Worship

Leader: O God, your first laws were written in stone and brought to the people by Moses.

**People: You called us to not kill, not steal, not commit adultery.**

Leader: Then you sent your Son and his demands were not written in stone, but were etched in our hearts.

**People: The laws did not get easier, they became more difficult.**

Leader: Any behavior that goes against the spirit of love will not be tolerated.

**People: The power of love must direct our actions; behavior which will respect others and give glory to God. Wrap us up in that power and help us live according to your will.**

\*Hymn of Praise "Make Me a Captive, Lord" UMH #421

\*Passing The Peace

Service of Prayer

Sharing of Prayer Concerns and Celebrations

Moments of Quiet Meditation

Morning Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

**"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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory forever. Amen."**

\*Those who are able, please stand.  
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Anthem (8:30)	"Finally Home" Chancel Choir	Roehrich/Lantz
Special Music (10:00)	"Wonderful Grace of Jesus" Men's Chorus	Shackley
Scripture Lesson	Matthew 5:21-37	Page 4 NT in pew Bible
Morning Message	"But I Say..." - Part 1	Pastor Jan
Hymn of Contemplation	"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"	UMH #420
Offertory (8:30)	"Wonderful Grace of Jesus" Men's Chorus	Shackley
Offertory (10:00)	"Psalm"	Young
Doxology	<b>"Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen."</b>	
Prayer of Dedication		
*Closing Hymn	"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"	FWS #2153
*Benediction		
Postlude	"Ancient Chorale"	Young

## Organist

Jerry Marshall

## Liturgists

Carolynn Tribby (8:30)

Phyllis Nixon (10:00)

## Greeters (8:30)

Judy Hempel, front

Jackie Crouse, side

## Greeters (10:00)

John Thompson, front

Deb Thompson, front

Barb Alban, side

Diane Ingels, Atrium

## Hospitality

Don and Bev Baines

## Cares & Concerns

### Those Needing Prayer:

Bob Austin, Kim Cline, Georgia Drown, Melissa Fankbonner, Paul Hahn, Sheryl Jackson, Tim Kuchar, Sharon Light, Donna Lytle, Ruth Manire, Damien McCormack, Dick Morse, Dick Muny, John Nelson, Genny Sivula Phillips, Janice Popely, Erin Potter, Ken Rowan, Bruce Shields, Mason Smysky, Ginny Stein, Jane Steinicke, Missy Tekavic, Jaelyn Thomas, Rick Wludyga, Joy Wooten, all in the military.

Those needing prayers will remain on the Prayer List for four weeks. If you would like someone left on for an

### In Hospital:

Shirley Shandle, Concord Rehab and Nursing  
Doris Ackerman, Altercare Mentor

### Shut In of the Week:

Dale Holden

## Communication

My name: \_\_\_\_\_

My phone # \_\_\_\_\_ When I can be reached \_\_\_\_\_



Please add the following person(s) to the prayer list \_\_\_\_\_

Please have the Pastor call me \_\_\_\_\_

I would like a visit from a Membership Care Ministry member \_\_\_\_\_

I would like a prayer shawl for \_\_\_\_\_

General comments/suggestions \_\_\_\_\_