



The Painesville United Methodist Church

On the Square...Steeped in Prayer

Sunday, November 22, 2020
"Let the Redeemed Say So!"



Pastor
Jan Yandell

Dear Friends and Friends I have not yet met,

Happy Thanksgiving to everyone! PLEASE stay safe and be smart, even around family members! In 2020 you might find it a stretch to find things for which to be thankful, but if you are reading this then be thankful for eyesight, for communication, and for your church that misses you as much as you miss others.

The scripture today seemed fitting for Thanksgiving 2020, the title of it in the New Revised Standard Version is "Thanksgiving for Deliverance from Many Troubles." It speaks of a variety of struggles experienced by the Israelites, but it begins by saying, "O give thanks to the Lord for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever." I think that is the message for all of us. Gratitude expresses our love for God in a very special way.

Next week begins Advent, I know, I can't believe it either!! Remember the plan and participate in all that you are able. The music will be wonderful, the messages timely and the spirit of the season evident.

1. We will begin the Advent Season on November 29th with a worship service that will include Advent scripture and message, but also a wide variety of "The Songs of Advent." "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus," "Emmanuel," "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" and others along with special music, both vocal and instrumental, to usher in the Advent Season.
2. December 6th will be "The Songs of the Angels" transitioning into the Christmas Season a little early so that you will have special Christmas music throughout the season that can be pulled up on livestream or even recorded from the radio each week. "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," "Angels We Have Heard on High," and more, along with special music from our talented music department and guests.
3. December 13th we will celebrate "The Songs of the Shepherds" with scripture, preaching, hymns, and special music that will bring to life the role the shepherds played in the birth of Jesus.
4. December 20th will complete the four Sundays of Advent with "The Songs of Mary, Joseph, and Bethlehem" setting the stage for the coming of Christ through scripture, preaching, hymns and special music about the earthly parents of Jesus and the place of his birth.
5. Then the staff of PUMC will record a traditional and wonderful Christmas Eve Service with all the bells and whistles earlier in Christmas Week, so that on Christmas Eve you may watch the service whenever it is the tradition of your family. It will be on the archived PUMC Livestream all day on Christmas Eve and beyond.

BUT—WE NEED YOUR HELP!! We would like everyone possible to take a picture of your family or you individually holding a lit candle and send it to PUMC at [jyandell@pumconline.org](mailto: jyandell@pumconline.org). We will compile all of the pictures and put them on the screen during the singing of "Silent Night" in our recorded Christmas Eve Service. **If you do not have a way to take or send a picture, PLEASE let us know** and someone will come to wherever you are and take your picture for the service. We want everyone to participate, because we will all be missing being together!

Take a selfie or have someone take your or your family's picture with a lit candle, send it to Pastor Jan at [jyandell@pumconline.org](mailto: jyandell@pumconline.org) by Wednesday December 16. It will be a way to say Merry Christmas for all and to all. We hope everyone will participate!!!

Blessings, PJ

SPECIAL NOTICE: ADMIN. COUNCIL MEETING ON ZOOM 11:30 TODAY (11/22), IF YOU ARE A MEMBER YOU SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED A ZOOM LINK!! If not- Call us!

PUMC Radio Broadcast: 10:00 am - WKKY, 104.7 FM; **PUMC Livestream:** 10:00 am and archived.

Social Media: Like us on Facebook at: facebook.com/PainesvilleUMC

Contact Us: Church Office: 440-354-3642 or [admin@pumconline.org](mailto: admin@pumconline.org)

(see back page for staff contact information)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT	"We Gather Together"	UMH #131
PRELUDE	"Thanksgiving Prelude" (Judy Elias, Flute)	Charles Callahan

CHILDREN'S TIME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good:

People: His steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: Some wandered in the desert wastes, finding no way to an inhabited town; then they cried to the Lord in their trouble and he delivered them from their distress.

People: Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love for his wonderful works to humankind.

Leader: Some sat in the darkness and in gloom; then they cried to the Lord in their trouble and he saved them from their distress.

People: Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love for his wonderful works to humankind.

Leader: Some were sick and some went down in ships; then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress;

People: Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love for his wonderful works to humankind. O give thanks to the Lord for he is good; his steadfast love endures forever.

OPENING HYMN	"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"	UMH #694
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PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

PRAYER REQUESTS	PASTORAL PRAYER	THE LORD'S PRAYER
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"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 for ever. Amen"

SPECIAL MUSIC	"O Breath of God"	Getty and Madeira
	Quartet: Becky Bieder, Linda Jenkins, Jon Nixon, Robert Jenkins	

SCRIPTURE	Psalm 107
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MESSAGE	"Let the Redeemed Say So"
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HYMN OF CONTEMPLATION	"Give Thanks"	FWS #2036
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OFFERTORY	"Concertino" (Judy Elias, Flute)	C. Chaminade
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THE NEW DOXOLOGY		FWS #2251 verse #3
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**"Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to Christ the Son,
 Glory to the Holy Spirit, ever three and ever one;
 As it was in the beginning, glory now resounds again
 in a song that has no ending Amen."**

PRAYER

CLOSING HYMN	"Now Thank We All Our God"	UMH #102
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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE	"Pilgrims Chorus"	Richard Wagner
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Youth Group

Christian Education

****MISSION MEETING WILL BE ON ZOOM ONLY!**
 So sorry for any confusion, but due to the rising numbers and the need to meet in groups of 10 or less, we will have to have our mission meeting on ZOOM. I will send out the link to everyone closer to the meeting date which will still be November 29 at 6:00 pm. Prayerfully, if everyone does the right thing, (wear masks, social distance and only meet in groups of 10 or less) we can get rid of this crazy virus and be ready for a mission adventure in June. Miss you all like crazy! Blessings, PJ

Dec 19 at Noon, we will Volunteer for Wreaths Across America. We will meet at Evergreen Cemetery by 11:45AM. At noon, there will be a 20 minute ceremony. We will receive instruction and then be directed to a section in the cemetery to lay wreaths on veterans grave sites. Masks are required and dress for the weather.

Dec 19, 20 & 28 help Char & Ron with move. TBA

SOMETHING NEW>>>

Mrs. Michelle, our Christian Education Director, is in need of a few volunteers for a learning support program she is starting in December. This is also a time you can come to the church and utilize the quiet space for homework. If you are available to volunteer on Mondays and/or Wednesdays, from 4:30PM-6:30PM, please let us know. You may email Mrs. Michelle at mmassoudi@pumconline.org (copy me on email) if you are available or have any questions.



Sunday School: Have you ever had someone make you feel special? Maybe they bought you something nice, or came and helped you with something, or maybe even just listened to you when you had something to say. It feels nice to be appreciated or to feel special. When was the last time you went out of your way to make someone else feel special?

Online learning support program launching this December!! We know how hard it is for families balancing everything this year. Now we also have to worry about online learning. Bring your student to church on Monday or Wednesday nights from 4:30 – 6:30 for remote learning support. Maybe the student needs a quiet place to work? Maybe they need someone to help with one subject? Maybe they need help with the computer? We're here to help. **Looking for volunteers to help.**

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM SHOUT OUT!!!

Looking for actors for this year's Christmas program. I will be taking video of each actor and putting them together to make the program. It will be very COVID friendly. Please contact me if you're interested in being an actor. Young and young at heart are all welcome!



Those Needing Prayer: Doris and Jim Ackerman, Jan Alderman, Shawn Bowers , Caylee, Rick Carothers, The family of Camille Cogswell, Donna Cole, Christy Crouch, Alice & William Dashiell, Glynis Davies, Dave, Brian Elly, Jim Fischer, Bob & Jennifer Forsyth, Pat Gee, Michael Grays, Lois Griffin, Roger Haynes, Karen Hersman, Sylvia Hill, Susan Horn, The family of Barb Inscho, The Family of Lee Jackopin, Walter Lang, Deborah Lewis, Linda, Janis Malson, Christine Trushel-Mann, Family of Damian Meadows, Tylis Mitchell, Richard Mozek, Tom Ness, Fran Nicholson, Dave Pierce, Sally Pollard, Erin Potter, Judy Reider, Richard Riczinger, Rose Rodgers, Bill Rosati, Jeannette Quesenberry, John & MaryAnn Sanders, Peter Sarosy, Margaret Scullion, John Schafer, Trent Slack, Marge Thomas, Wanda & Kris Waite, The Williamson Family, Joy Wootton, Gerri, Gary (Members of Linda Hanson's Family), all persons in the military, those suffering from the virus, all near the wildfires and prayers for our country and world. *Those needing prayers will remain on the list for 4 weeks. If you would like someone to remain on list for an additional four weeks, please re-submit their name.*

COMMUNICATION WITH THE CHURCH: MY NAME: _____
 PHONE # _____ BEST TIME TO CALL: DAYTIME () EVENING () WEEKENDS ()
 E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____
 I WOULD LIKE A CALL FROM THE PASTOR () I WOULD LIKE A VISIT FROM MEMBER CARE ()
 PLEASE ADD ME TO THE PRAYER LIST ()
 PLEASE ADD THIS PERSON TO THE PRAYER LIST: _____
 I WOULD LIKE A PRAYER SHAWL FOR: _____
 GENERAL COMMENTS/SUGGESTIONS: _____

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know!!*

This Week at PUMC

Tuesday, November 24: 6:30-8:00pm	ZOOM Bible Study	
Thursday, November 26:	NO FOOD PANTRY	Happy & Safe Thanksgiving!
Sunday, November 29: 8:15 & 10:00 am if in-person. 10:00 am only on line or radio POSSIBLE IN-PERSON WORSHIP!!! WATCH FOR INFORMATION!!	ENTER EAST DOORS WEAR MASKS SINGLES OR COUPLES –MAIN FAMILIES OF 3 or MORE— BALCONY SOCIAL DISTANCE/SANITIZE	PLEASE FOLLOW DIRECTIONS. WE RESERVE THE OPTION TO CLOSE IF VIRUS LEVELS GO UP IN THE AREA.

Attendance & Offerings

Worship Participation: 10
Watching Livestream: 139
**Offerings, including on-line
giving:**

Total:	\$ 8,894
Operating Fund:	\$ 5,941
Capital Fund:	\$ 1,595
Upper Room:	12
Poinsettias	\$ 60

Thanks for your support of PUMC!



November— 24 Jeff Popely
November— 25 Quinn Yandell

Tuesday Evening Bible Study

We are studying:
The Gospel of John
Join us on ZOOM each Tuesday from 6:30-8 pm
Contact the office 440-354-3642 to join!!

COMING SOON!!
**We will be working with Ohio
Guidestone again this year to
bring Christmas joy to needy
children—watch for updates!!**



Flowers presented by

Jim and Jan Yandell

Happy 7th Birthday to Oliver
Happy 4th Birthday to Quinn

Friend of the Week

Mary Ann Sanders
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DON'T FORGET

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We want as many as possible to participate so that everyone will be able to see your smiling faces and share in the candlelighting together, if even from a distance!

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