



Weekly News 08/13/2023

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Today: "A Confident Faith: Whom shall I fear?" • Psalm 27; James 5:7-8; Luke 12:22-34 • During these next weeks, we do a deep dive into Psalm 27. In the constant activity of everyday life, we set aside some time to wait for the Lord, to seek Him and allow Him to lead us in His paths. "The Lord is my light and salvation--whom shall I fear?" The love, the power, and the victory of Jesus give us confidence as we face the challenges of this life. *How will you and I rely upon the Lord this week? And how will Jesus' love and power shine through us?*

To view or print Sunday's 9am Worship bulletin:

https://www.poporlando.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/08/2023_08_013-Trad-Pentecost-11-002.pdf

Bible Classes

Adult Sunday Morning Bible Class at 10:00 am • The class is led by Jim Essig. We are looking at the Gospel of Luke. Classes are in the Music Room during our 10:00 am Education Hour, between the 9 am & 11 am worship services.

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR AGE 4 – GRADE 5: Heart of God • This year, our Sunday School will be digging into the "Heart of God"! Our volunteers will help children understand God's attributes through Bible stories, crafts, games and more. Each week the children will learn about who God is and how we can follow Him. The children will have a lot of fun and learn important faith lessons at the same time. | <https://poporlando.breezechms.com/form/57d9c8>

YOUTH SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS (6th-12th) • The class will dive into what it means to be a friend, how to be a friend—even when your friends don't share your faith. We always manage to have fun while we discuss God's Word and what it means for us today. Class will meet in the Board room in the church office from 10:00am-10:45am.

The Mid-week Bible Class for Adults • Wednesday Mornings 9:30am – 10:30am in the Board Room. Our topic is looking at Scriptures for the upcoming Sunday's theme. Led by Pastor Ken.

Children's Sunday School – New Location – Begins Today! • Children's Sunday school class will be in Room 105 (Between the Library and Music Room- watch for signs). This change was made to make the Sunday School more accessible, easier to find for visitors and closer to bathrooms.

New Youth Ministry Opportunities • This Sunday Morning Youth Class for Middle School and High School students will meet in the Church Office in the Conference Room from 10:00-10:45. This change makes the room more accessible for students and volunteers and moves us closer to bathrooms.

Lunch & Zilch – RSVP Needed! – Thursday, August 17 at 11:30am • Jim Essig is hosting another Lunch & Zilch on Thursday, August 17. Save the Date and bring along some friends for some fun! Please RSVP to Jim by text or email by August 14. Winners will get a prize! | Cell: (407) 446-7147 | jim.essig@poporlando.com

Donations Needed for LWML District Retreat "ingathering" • Our LWML will be accepting donations for the St. Gerard Maternity Home and Resource Center, St Augustine, FL. and will be taking them to their retreat September 22-24. Containers have been set up in the Narthex, and FLC. Items needed are: (New items only please) Diapers (Sizes Newborn, 4, 5 & 6), baby wipes, baby formula, pacifiers, diaper rash ointment, soft swaddling blankets, burp cloths. Also needed: toiletry items, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, travel size shampoo, facial wash cloths, and combs.

Altar Flowers • To sponsor Altar Flowers in celebration of a special occasion, in memory of a loved one, or simply out of thanksgiving to God, you can do so at <https://poporlando.breezechms.com/form/flowers> or by contacting the office.

Be Equipped to Serve God – September 28-30, 2023 – President's Equip Conference • This local conference helps volunteers, leaders, pastors, board members, educators, youth leaders, and administrators to be better equipped to work alongside each other to connect people to Jesus. Location: Hilton Orlando Buena Vista Palace | Early registration deadline August 15 – \$149. Limited scholarships are available from PoP. | <https://flgadistrict.org/pec/>

Youth Bowling Night – Today at 5pm-7pm • Youth Bowling night will be held at Boardwalk Lanes - 10749 E Colonial. \$15 per person for shoe rental and two hours of unlimited bowling. Contact DCE Eric Gerken for more info.

Raise Right Helps Fund our Student Ministry! • The Gift Card program through Raise Right supports our youth. **You can use this ID code: CFA82EEB65547** to identify Prince of Peace Youth as the organization you want to benefit from your order and start shopping.

Fruits of Faith

August 6

9:00 Traditional: 96 | 11:00 Contemporary: 42 | 11:00 Spanish: 65 | TOTAL: 203

Giving: Thank you for your faithful engagement in our ministry through your gifts and offerings.

July 23 offerings \$12,944

July 30 offerings \$12,030

August 6 offerings \$11,385

needed each week: \$11,923.

PRAYERS

Hospice Care: Eleanor Eaton

Recovering: Deaconess Ligia Borges (Director of Community Outreach), Sylvia Bourgeois, Henry Leon, Cindy Sibley, Joni Steidly Zaida Torres,

Upcoming Surgeries: Dorothy Reynolds, Kay Richards,

Healing and Strength: Karen Adkins, Dave & Mary Ann Ault, Rebecca Brooks, Delores B, Michael B, Donna C, Danny Conlin, Alice Darling, Elizabeth Dawson, Sarah D and baby Sam, Carmen Diaz, Steven Dorsagano, Gail Eaton, John Elmore, Judy Finnie, Jayson Gerken, Rev. Dennis Glander, Michael Halstead, Rebecca Rhodes, Harley Halstead, Joe Heinz, Ruth Hoagland, Bill Jordan, Jerry Jordan, Merle Kroepflin, Joan Krumpholc, Larue (friend of Gwen Taliver), Jim Lord, Kathy McCartin, Michael McCarty, Maddie, George Meder, Lewis Mendez, Dale P., Rick Perre, Miriam Rivera, David Rodgers, Nitza Rohena, Janette Seeds (friend of Barbara Hahn), Rex Serio, Shirley Stockett, Meridith Swanson (vocal rest), Sonia Tellez, Ted Wessel, Cricket Winters, Leon W, Linda Zamsky

Receiving Treatments: Ellen B., Sarah vB, Ellen Boogher, Kent Jespersen, Cameron LaPointe, Pastor Brian Roberts, Elena Santana, Marleen Schmidt, Jeff S, Janet V, Debbie W, Staci Welburn, Dayton Whites, Brenda Williams, Michelle Zicarelli

Continued Care: Chuck Boogher, Rick Burns, Pat C., Kelly DeFrietas, Al & Linda Dicks, Bob and Colleen E, Linda House, Minnie Hutchinson, Linda Jackson, Otto Krumpholc, Mary K.M, Micki & Sal LoBue, Joyce Miller, Todd O, Betty Schnell, Caitlyn Thoms; Michael, Noel, & Roger V; Harry Wahl

Special: Jesus, in all the busyness of life, help us to slow down and to wait for the Lord. Give us confidence in Your victory and love and power, so that we would not only bask in Your light, but also let Your light shine through us. • We pray for those affected by the wildfires in Maui and all those who suffer from natural disasters. Do not let Your people lose hope in the face of these disasters. Rather, let them shine with Your light, reflecting Your salvation. • We continue to pray for all teachers, families, and children in the full week of school. • We ask the Lord to be with President Biden, members of Congress, and the Supreme Court, as well as all state and local leaders. • Lord, watch over and keep our first responders safe. • We ask that You would draw many to seek Your face. Help us at Prince of Peace/Príncipe de Paz to be Your arms of welcome to all who seek You here.

For those in the military or deployed: We pray for those who serve our nation in the armed services and for those who are deployed, especially those connected with our PoP/PdeP family: Zachary Carbonell, Kyle Holysz, Matthew Rojas, Amanda S, Greg S, Geoffrey W.

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