



## Weekly News 11/10/2024

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**Today: "Relying on God" • Readings: 1 Kings 17:8-16; Psalm 146; Mark 12:38-44** • What do you do when it feels like you're out of good options, the resources are dried up, or your energy is used up? Elijah the Old Testament prophet teaches us that the Lord uses those challenges as an invitation for us to fully rely upon Him.

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

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**Nursery Available During All Services.** For babies 6 months to age 4, located in Room 100 (*across from the church & school office*), with sign-in (required) and drop-off up to 15 minutes prior to the service and pick-up shortly after the service ends. The kids can play while they watch/listen to the worship live-stream. All our volunteers have completed background checks and are ready and willing to care for your child. Contact DCE Eric for more information!

### **Bible Classes**

**Adult Sunday Morning Bible Class at 10:00 am** • The class is led by Jim Essig. We are studying the book of 1 Corinthians. Classes are in the Music Room during our 10:00 am Education Hour, between 9 am & 11 am worship.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR AGE 4 – GRADE 5: Kingdom Quest** • Kingdom Quest is a Bible overview curriculum that teaches children the core stories of the Bible and helps them see why they matter today. We help children experience God's love through Bible stories, crafts, games and more., as we learn to follow Jesus. The children will have a lot of fun and learn important faith lessons at the same time. <https://poporlando.breezechms.com/form/57d9c8>

**Youth Bible Class – 10:00am** • This youth bible class will be held at McDonald's (next to the church) for breakfast and bible study. They will be looking at what the bible says about serving him as a teen and having bible-based discussions. *Be sure to have the bible app downloaded on to your phone!*

**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.

**Are you looking for meaningful daily devotions that connect with everyday life?**

- Our Daily Bread. "Helping you connect with God. Every day. Every way." | <https://www.odb.org/>
- Lutheran Hour Ministries <https://www.lhm.org/dailydevotions/>.

**LWML Holiday Sale – Preorders Begin Today! Orders Due by December 9** • The LWML ladies will begin taking preorders for Christmas cookies and Doggie treats in between services beginning today. Orders can be placed in-person or by filling out the form at the link below. If you have any questions, contact Kathy McCartin.

<https://poporlando.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/11/2024-Cookieorderform.docx>

**Youth Spirit Night: Tuesday, November 12 at Broadway Pizzeria** • Between 5pm-8pm, just mention PoP Youth with your dine in or carryout order. Come and enjoy a family meal and meet with other church members or grab some takeout and say "Hi" when you are there. (*1700 Woolco Way*)

**Pint Jars Needed for LWML Holiday Sale** • LWML ladies are asking for donations of pint jars, wide mouth or regular ones, for the cookie/doggie treats sale in December. You can drop off the donations during the week in the church office or leave them in the narthex or FLC for the ladies. Thank you!

**Thanksgiving Basket Outreach – Distribution: Friday, November 22** • We are preparing for our annual Thanksgiving outreach and need your help! Please donate online or in person during the week or on Sunday mornings at worship. Please mark your donation as "Thanksgiving Outreach". This year there will be 100 families receiving thanksgiving meals. | <https://www.poporlando.com/give/>

**Rummage Sale Volunteers Needed** • We are looking for volunteers to help sort/price items on Wednesday, November 13-Friday, November 15 from 4pm -7pm. If you're interested in helping price/sort out items or helping the day of the sale contact Deaconess Ligia Borges or Carol Bickel.

**Church Rummage Sale: Accepting Donations Until Wednesday, November 13** • The Centro de Paz Para la Vida is sponsoring the outdoor and indoor rummage sale this year on Saturday, November 16. Your donations are welcome during the month of November and can be placed in the FLC behind the curtains that are set up.

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**PoP Kids Club Holiday Craft Party – Sunday, November 17** • Kids and their families are invited to explore craft stations for Thanksgiving and Christmas ornament making in preparation for the Holiday Season. This is a family event, so each child must be accompanied by an adult. The event is FREE! If your child has a PoP Kids Club t-shirt, please wear it; otherwise, reserve one here: <https://poporlando.breezechms.com/form/57d9c8>. Joining the Club is not necessary to attend.

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**Lunch & Zilch: Wednesday, November 20 at 12:00pm • Especially for Seniors** • Our next Lunch & Zilch event is on our calendar! Please mark your calendar and come enjoy some fun. Please RSVP to Jim via text or email by Monday, November 18. There is a cost of \$10 per person to cover the lunch and the prizes for the Zilch winners. jim.essig@poporlando.com | 407.446.7147

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**Preschool & Church Thanksgiving Feast • Save the Date: Friday, November 22 at 6pm - FLC** • Save the date to join us for food and fellowship as we thank God for His many blessings! This is a time to join our church and preschool families together, to get to know one another and give our thanks to God for another year of His blessings.

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**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.

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**Holiday Shopping Made Easy – Gift Cards Through RaiseRight!** • The Gift Card program through Raise Right supports our youth ministry. **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.

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**Thrivent Choice Dollars** • Support Prince of Peace by directing your Thrivent Choice Dollars® today. Simply go to [www.Thrivent.com/thriventchoice](http://www.Thrivent.com/thriventchoice) to learn more or call 800-847-4836 and say “Thrivent Choice” after the prompt.

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### **Upcoming Special Worship Services**

**Thanksgiving Worship Service – Wednesday, November 27 at 7pm (English) and Thursday, November 28 at 11am (Spanish) in the Sanctuary** • Join us for Thanksgiving worship services as we set our hearts and minds to the Day of Thanksgiving. Let us all remember the many blessings our Heavenly Father has poured out upon us, especially the eternal blessing of Jesus Christ.

**Hours of Operation** • The Church office and Preschool will be closed on Thursday, November 28, and Friday, November 29 in observation of Thanksgiving Day.

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**Campus Christmas Decorating – November 30, 8:30am** • Join with others in the PoP/PdeP family to put up trees and garland and make a campus ready and making spirits bright for the birth of Jesus.

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**Advent Season** • Starting Wednesday December 4, we are planning to provide soup, bread and dessert after the 11:00am Advent service. If you would like to help with setup, cleanup, providing soup, bread or dessert, please contact Kathy McCartin at her home number of 407-286-7288 or email of [kathymccartin@gmail.com](mailto:kathymccartin@gmail.com).

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### **Upcoming Holiday Events**

**Wednesday Morning Advent Services • 11:00am on Wednesdays December 4, 11, & 18; followed by a light meal**

**Advent Acts of Service: December 4 – Finalizing Campus Decorating**

**December 11 – Angel Tree Gift Wrapping**

**December 18 – Information will be provided in the next coming weeks.**

**Tuesday, December 3 – Youth Spirit Night at Broadway Pizzeria (1700 Woolco Way)**

**Saturday, December 7 – Christmas Choir Concert by Coral Clave De Sol (Hispanic Community Choir)**

**Tuesday, December 10 – “Stars and Promises” Christmas Concert Tour (Peter Mayer)**

**Christmas Eve Worship — Tuesday, December 24**

**5:00pm Family Contemporary Worship | Glow Sticks | FLC**

**5:30pm La Vispera de Navidad | Templo**

**7:30pm Traditional Worship | Candlelight | Sanctuary**

**10:00pm Traditional Worship | Candlelight | Sanctuary**

**Christmas Day Worship — Wednesday, December 25**

**10:00am Traditional Worship | Sanctuary**

## ***New Year's Eve Worship — Tuesday, December 31***

**6:00pm**      **Traditional Worship | Sanctuary**

**7:30pm**      **Culto español | Templo**

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### ***Concert Series 2024 – Share the News!***

- **Saturday, December 7 at 7pm - Christmas Choir Concert - Coral Clavel de Sol.** A Holiday tradition that is done every year by the community choir. With Andres Soler, Conductor (more information will be provided sometime next month)
  - **Tuesday, December 10 at 7pm - Stars and Promises Christmas Concert Tour: "Once Upon a Winter's Night"** - The 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary tour of Peter Mayer's acclaimed Christmas Concert. Peter is a singer, songwriter, and guitarist who has released 25 of his own albums, toured internationally with his own band, and was lead guitarist for Jimmy Buffett's Coral Reefer band for three decades. *Tickets SOLD OUT*
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### **Fruits of Faith**

**Sunday, November 3**

**9:00am Traditional: 122 | 11:00am Contemporary: 84 | 11:00am Espanol: 91 | TOTAL: 297**

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

October 20 offerings \$11,493

October 27 offerings \$12,498

November 3 offerings \$13,193      needed each week: \$12,403 | Year-to-Date, offerings are \$60,000 less than budgeted

### **PRAYERS**

**Prayers of Comfort:** We continue to ask Jesus to comfort Elvi Lord at the death of her husband, Jim, on October 28.

**Hospitalized:** Mike Ritzel (Judy Finnie's nephew in NY)

**Recovering at Home or Rehab Facility:** Ellen Boogher, Sheila Dean, Gail Eaton, Daryl Flynn, Merva Gray, Joe Heinz, Susanne Johnson, Connie Lerchen, Dan Meier (son of Peter Meier), Tausha Miller, Camille Neville, Debbie Noss (released), Norma Poutre, Jeff Powell, Mario Rodriguez, Sheila Roberts, Cindy Sibly, Pete Spudich, James Stanley, Tony Steinbronn (upcoming surgery), Shirley Stockett, Pat Williams

**Healing and Strength:** Karen Adkins, Dave & Mary Ann Ault, Kurt Bickel, Rebecca Brooks, Sarah Dierking, Judy & Jim Finnie, Rev. Dennis Glander, Michael Halstead, Jim & Pam Ingersoll, Chris & Kristen Ivanic, Bill Jordan, Jerry Jordan, Merle Kroepflin, Henry Leon, Larry Martinez, Michael McCarty, Maddie, George Meder, Lewis Mendez, Kay Minick, Mario Muniz, Rick Perre, Raya Pokigo, Miriam Rivera, Nitza Rohena, Rex Serio, Hannah Steinbronn, Carmen & Juan, Jerry Warnock, Rosalee Wessel, Ted Wessel, Cricket Winters, Leon W, Linda Zamsky

**Receiving Treatments:** Sarah vonBraun, John Dierking, Joshula Flowers, Brenda Green, Cameron LaPointe, Jim & Elvie Lord, Larry Jones, Elena Santana, Jeff S, Tina T, Janet V, Amber Vittone, Debbie W, Brenda Williams, Michelle Zicarelli

**Continued Care:** Chuck Boogher, Rick Burns, Pat C., Kelly DeFrietas, Al & Linda Dicks, Bob E, Linda House, Linda Jackson, Otto Krumpholtz, Mary K.M, Jean LaPointe, Micki & Sal LoBue, Todd O, Ray Pirino, Betty Schnell, Michael, Noel, & Roger V

**Family & Friends:** Delores B, Michael B, Evelyn Brucks (Marlene Browne's mother), Donna C, Danny Conlin, Elizabeth Dawson, Jameson Doud (young relative of Lu Burchfield), Steven Dorsagano, John Elmore, Amanda Fearce, Ralph Holt, Helen Laurie (sister of Stephanie Carbonell, hospitalized), Christina, Stephanie, Matthew, Michael, Samantha, Jason, Daniel Baudry, Fran Federman, Leonard G, Ruth Johnson (sister of Kathy McCartin), Meghan Miller, Vincent Ward (treatments), Jim Obenour, Carlyn and Sarah (fighting cancer), Haley, David Rodgers

**Special:** Lord God, help us to fully rely upon You. You have so committed Yourself to us that You gave Your only Son. Help us to trust You always, in times of plenty and times of need. Then move us by Your Spirit to act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with You. You are the faithful helper for all whose hope is in You. • We pray for those affected by Hurricanes Milton and Helene and other disasters. • Be with President Biden, President-elect Trump, members of Congress, and the Supreme Court, as well as all state and local leaders. • Watch over and keep all our first responders safe.

**Prayers 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: Jake Allison, Zachary Carbonell, Kyle Holysz, Matthew Rojas, Meghan Rojas, Amanda S, Greg S, Geoffrey, Anthony Witcher.

## November Anniversaries

November 4 – James & Joy Pirino  
November 6 – Jim & Daryl Flynn  
November 9 – Gerry & Debbie Noss  
Don & Nancy Mathews  
November 14 – Austin & Alyssa Wessel  
November 22 – Bernardino Vales & Gladys Tejada



*In Remembrance: November 26 – Jim & Elvi Lord would have been married 64 years.*

## November Birthdays

November 3 – Joanne Hahn  
Jayne Powell  
Naliah Dexter  
November 4 – Gerry Noss  
November 5 – Nydia Santos  
November 7 – Ron Schmidt  
November 8 – Jim Reynolds  
November 11 – Tabitha Lookofsky  
November 12 – Aurelio Martinez  
Aiden Armitage  
November 13- Alaiia Castillo Santana  
November 14 – Claudina Mills  
November 16 – Nancy Spohn  
David Rosario  
November 18 – Brenda Gerken  
Luciana Henríquez  
November 20 – Zaida Torres  
Sheila Roberts  
November 21 – Gregory Vales

November 22 – Wilson Lima  
Lisa Melendez-Hansby  
November 23 – Lindee Owens  
November 24 – Susan Fortini  
Bob Gilbert  
November 25 – Judy Holzscheiter  
November 27 – Jason Hoge  
November 28 – Jim Ingersoll  
Samantha Gray  
Lily McGinley  
November 29 – Paul Browder  
Donna Wessel  
November 30 – Pat Bak

*In Remembrance: November 22 – Joan Krumpholtz would've turned 82 years old.*



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*Missing a birthday or anniversary and wishing to add to the list? Please email [staff@poporlando.com](mailto:staff@poporlando.com)*

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