

### Office Hours

Monday – Thursday | 9:00 AM to 1 PM | Office (219) 926 - 1586  
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*Pastor Dee Miller, hours available by appointment*

## This Week's Schedule

<b>Sunday, 29</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
Wednesday, 1	8:00 PM	AA Meeting
Saturday, 4	7:00 PM	Models Club

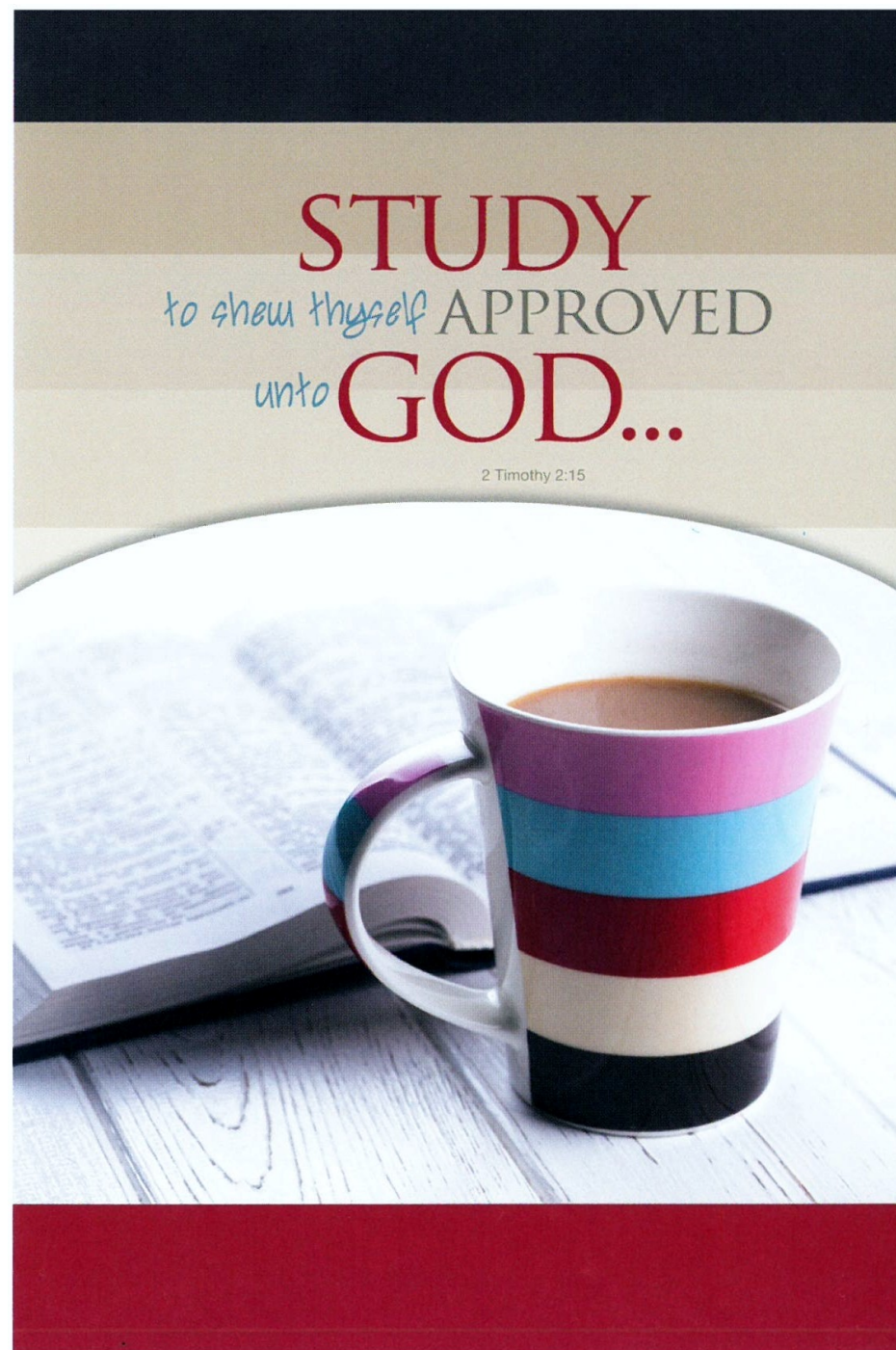
## Upcoming Schedule

<b>Sunday, 5</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
	1 - 5 PM	Saira's Baby Shower
		Hawthorne Park Community Center
Wednesday, 8	8:00 PM	AA Meeting
Saturday, 11	9:00 AM	Work Day at Church
	1 - 5 PM	TrueNorth Golf Event (Brassie)

### **FINANCIAL SUMMARY, WEEK OF JULY 22, 2018**

2018 Non-discretionary Budget:	\$ 62,761.00
2018 Total Budget Offering	\$ 18,485.99
Weekly giving required to meet this projection:	\$ 1,206.94
July 22 <sup>nd</sup> budget offering:	\$ 580.00
On-Line offering for week:	\$ 260.00
Budget giving surplus (deficit) for the week:	\$ (366.94)
July 22 <sup>nd</sup> <b>Debt Reduction offering:</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
Budget surplus (deficit) after debt reduction:	\$ (366.94)

*We thank you for your continued support in helping us meet our budget and for your ongoing commitment to the work of Jesus Christ through Porter UMC!*



# Porter United Methodist Church

Sunday, July 29, 2018

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**PRELUDE** *Joyce Craig*

**CHIMES WITH BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF LOVE**

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP** *Pastor Dee Miller*

**POSITIVE THOUGHT OF THE WEEK (In Unison)**

"If the Lord can do great things with a single loaf, imagine what He can do with a single life."

**\*OPENING HYMN** *UMH #617*  
*"I Come with Joy"*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Come, rest your spirits in the Lord.

**C: We come, hungry and thirsting for God's word.**

L: This is a place of peace and hope, where all may be fed and healed.

**C: Bring us to the time of healing.**

L: Come, place your trust in God who is always near you.

**ALL: Open our hearts, Lord, to hear Your word and feel Your presence.**

**\*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER (In Unison)**

You know how we are, Lord. We say that we will take time to refresh our spirits and our souls and then we quickly crowd our lives with activities to the point of exhaustion. We turn to You for feeding and nurture, asking You to give us something to sustain us through our times. We even are willing to tell you what we have, but when we look closely, we discover that we bring so little to you. Take what we have, our gifts and our needs. Heal and forgive us when we boldly disobey your word. Remind us that You have given to us all that we need to serve You in this world. The world abounds with Your miracles of love and hope.

Open our eyes to see them and our hearts to know that these are from you and not of our own making. Heal and restore us to your everlasting love. In Jesus' Name, we pray. **AMEN.**

followed by "*GLORIA PATRI*" *UMH #70*

**PASSING THE PEACE:** "*Meet & Greet*" *All*

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT** *Pastor Dee Miller*

*"No Problem is Too Big for God"*

**RESPONSIVE READING**

Psalm 14 *UMH #746*

**RECEIVING JOYS AND CONCERNS** *Pastor Dee Miller*

**PASTORAL PRAYER** followed by *The Lord's Prayer*

**WORSHIP OF GIVING: Tithes, Offerings & Gifts** *All*

*"No Greater Love" \*\**

followed by "*The Doxology*"\* *Screen*

**THE EPISTLE**

Ephesians 3:14 - 21

**SERMON:** John 6:1 - 21 *Pastor Dee Miller*

*"Living Loaves"*

**\*CLOSING HYMN** *UMH #599*

*"Break Thou the Bread of Life"*

*- Closing Words & Benediction -*

**CONGREGATIONAL BLESSING** *All*

*"Grace, Love and Fellowship" \*\**

*\*Indicates **STANDING** if you are able.*

*\*\* Video Presentation*

# Prayer Requests

## Joys:

*Deb Scharp's mom* is turning 90 in August; celebration with family camping.

*Judy Reales* is visiting her mother; travel safety.

*Scott, Karla & family* at Disney World - safe travels.

## Recent Prayer Requests:

*Anna Kalbe* - recovering from angiogram

*Fern Duvall* - needs prayer

*William Kuhns, Elmer Mannen, & Linnea Hokanson* - health

*Lila Hallberg* (Kim's mom) - unable to walk due to meds

*Cade* (2-yr old) - diagnosed with brain tumor; had surgery to remove 99% of tumor & is undergoing treatment.

*Judy Hoffman* - health needs & recovery from foot surgery

## Continue Prayers for:

*Brenda Brueckheimer* - healing

Traveling mercies to those on vacation.

*Laurie Schaefer* (Bob & Mary's friend) - recurrence of cancer

Judy Hoffman's son-in-law *Matthew* - undergoing chemo

*Dick Freestone* (Russell Burton's cousin) - brain aneurism

*Nellie* (friend of Jacci Moore) - breast cancer

## Pray for the families of:

† *Nancy Pacholke* (cousin of Kim's mom Lila) †

† *Jeff Lafata* (uncle of Kim's daughter-in-law Val) †

## Ministry Partners & Organizations

Frontline Organization; Duneland Medical Loan Closet;

Westchester Neighbors Food Pantry; Duneland Resale;

Westchester Meals; VNA Phoenix Center; Royal Family Kids

Camp; Boy Scout Troop 928;

TrueNorth Training Stables; Yost

# Announcements

## **ALTAR FLOWERS**

There are still some dates available for altar flowers. Please check the chart in the Narthex and sign up for your special dates!

## **WESTCHESTER NEIGHBORS FOOD PANTRY**

For the month of July, please bring in boxes of cold *cereal and packaged potato mixes*. Next month, the food pantry would like canned green beans as they are running low. As always, thank you for your donations!

## **CHILDREN'S MISSION: CHRISTMAS WITH THE COPS**

This quarter we are collecting for *Christmas with the Cops* (formerly known as *Shop with a Cop*). This outreach helps make the holidays brighter for disadvantaged families in the Duneland area.

## **QUARTERLY MISSION: YOST KIDS**

Our 3<sup>rd</sup> quarterly mission focus is the Yost School Adoption Program. This outreach helps provide winter gear for Yost students in need. We want to make sure we have the funds available ahead of time so when sales hit, we can purchase them. *This is separate from our giving tree.*

## **CHURCH PICNIC PLANNING COMMITTEE NEEDS YOU!**

If you haven't already signed up to help Anna Kalbe plan the annual church picnic on September 9<sup>th</sup>, please do so today. (NOTE: it's not a sign up sheet for what you will bring, or if you plan on attending, just to be on the planning committee).

## **WORK DAY AT THE CHURCH**

A work day has been set up for Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. for jobs that need to be done around church. If you would be willing to do a particular job when it fits into your schedule instead of helping that day, please sign up on the sheet that will be passed around today. Thank you!

## **SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

School will be starting again in just 2 weeks! We are collecting school supplies for area elementary schools. A list of items needed can be found in the newsletter, on Facebook, or website.

## **BABY SHOWER FOR SAIRA (NELSON) FULTON**

You are invited to attend a baby shower for Zach & Saira Fulton on Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup> from 1 - 5 p.m. in the upstairs back room at the Hawthorne Park Community Center in Porter. They are registered at Target & are expecting a boy.