

### 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

**Sunday, 22**      9:30 AM      **Worship Service**  
Wednesday, 25      8:00 PM      AA Meeting

## Upcoming Schedule

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

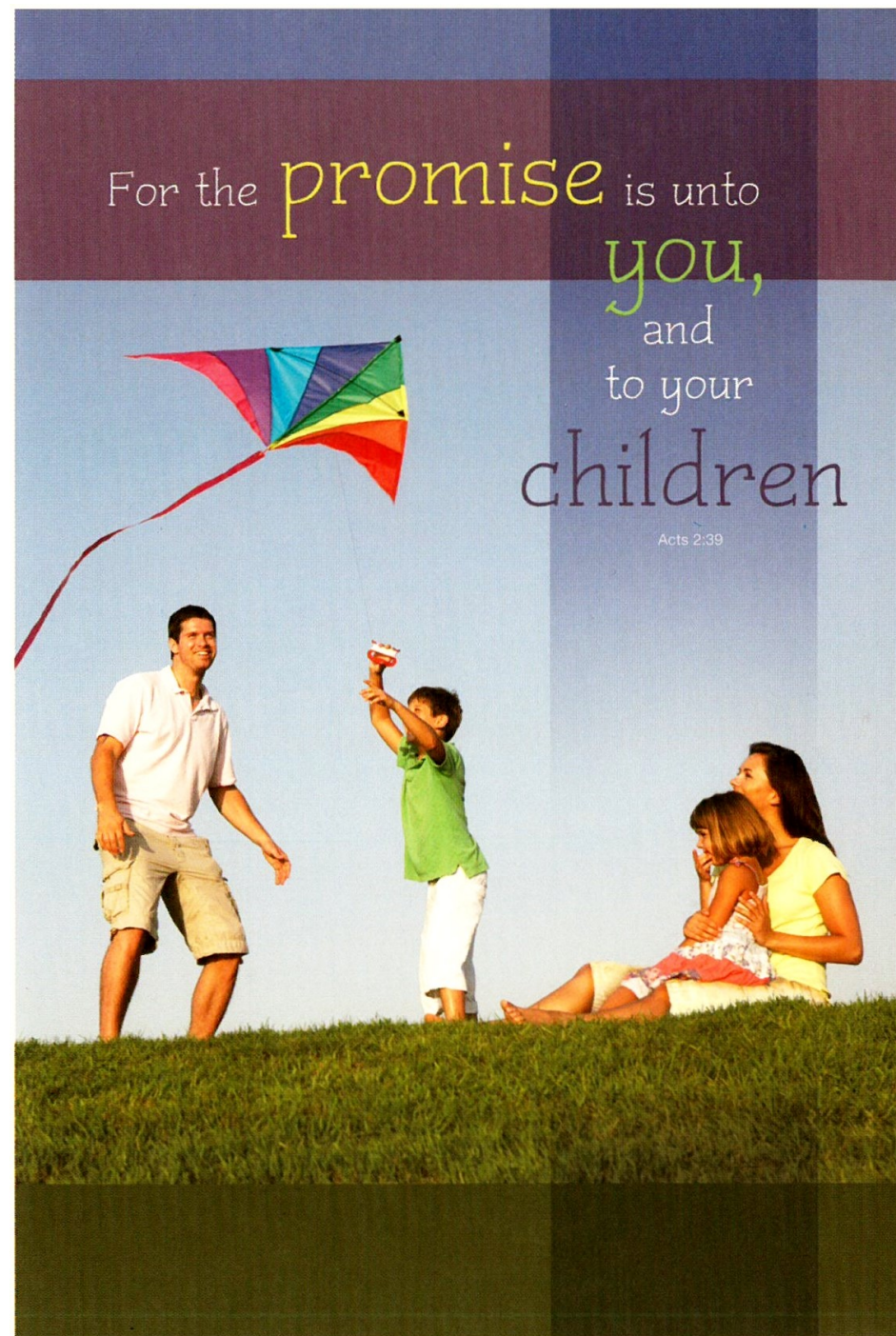
Sunday, 5      1 - 5 PM      Saira's Baby/Wedding Shower  
Hawthorne Park Community Center (upstairs back room)

*\*\*They are registered at Target and are expecting a boy\*\**

### **FINANCIAL SUMMARY, WEEK OF JULY 15, 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 15 <sup>th</sup> budget offering:	\$ 1,652.00
On-Line offering for week:	\$ 0.00
Budget giving surplus (deficit) for the week:	\$ 445.06
July 15 <sup>th</sup> <b>Debt Reduction offering:</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>
Budget surplus (deficit) after debt reduction:	\$ 545.06

*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 22, 2018

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**PRELUDE** *Anna Kalbe*

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

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

**POSITIVE THOUGHT OF THE WEEK (In Unison)** *Judy Reales*  
"If you look at the world you'll be distressed. If you look within you'll be depressed. If you look at God you'll be at rest."  
*Corrie Ten Boom*

**\*OPENING HYMN** *UMH #277*  
"Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** *Judy Reales*  
L: Some of us are exhausted.  
**C: We come to rest.**  
L: Some of us are curious about Jesus.  
**C: We come to learn.**  
L: Some of us are hungry.  
**C: We come to be fed.**  
L: Some of us are disoriented.  
**C: We come to pray.**  
L: Some of us are broken.  
**C: We come to be healed.**  
L: We gather around You this morning, O Christ.  
**ALL: Teach us, feed us, hear us, heal us. Grant us your peace.**

**\*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER (In Unison)** *Judy Reales*  
Patient God, we wait all year for the summer months when we can rest and relax. Our schedules change from the demands of weekly living, to times which are supposed to be devoted to leisure. But we have redefined leisure to mean a flurry of activities. We need some time to rest, to sit quietly and listen to the beautiful sounds of the world. Forgive us when we are

determined to crowd every moment of our lives with activity. Help us to find a quiet center with you where we can just relax and not try to get everything done as though life was some sort of a contest. Give us peace for a little while. Refresh our souls so that we can truly serve you, not out of exhaustion but out of enthusiasm. Be with us this day, for we ask these things in Jesus' name. AMEN.

followed by "GLORIA PATRI" *UMH #70*

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

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

*"Jesus Gives His Time"*

**RESPONSIVE READING** *Judy Reales*  
Psalm 89:20 - 37 *UMH #808*

**RECEIVING JOYS AND CONCERNS** *Pastor Dee Miller*  
**PASTORAL PRAYER** followed by *The Lord's Prayer*

**WORSHIP OF GIVING: Tithes, Offerings & Gifts** *All*  
"In Christ Alone" \*\*  
followed by "The Doxology" \* *Screen*

**THE EPISTLE** *Judy Reales*  
Ephesians 2:11 - 22

**SERMON: Mark 6:30 - 34, 53 - 56** *Pastor Dee Miller*  
*"Jesus Means Compassion"*

**\*CLOSING HYMN** *UMH #121*  
"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

*- Closing Words & Benediction -*

**CONGREGATIONAL BLESSING** *All*  
"Grace, Love and Fellowship" \*\*

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

*\*\* Video Presentation*

# Prayer Requests

## Joys:

**Zach Fulton** is turning 21 next Monday.

Thankful to see new faces in worship!

Happy to have **Baby Grayson** in church last Sunday.

**Cowboy Church** at TrueNorth was a good experience.

Nice to see **Rancie Lucas** with us again!

## Recent Prayer Requests:

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

**Fern Duvall** - needs prayer

**Elmer Mannen** - health

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

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

**Nancy Pacholke** (Kim's mom's cousin) - recently diagnosed with aggressive acute myeloid leukemia - poor prognosis

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

**William Kuhns & Linnea Hokanson** - health

## 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

## 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**

Altar flowers are given today by Chuck & Sandy Allmon in celebration of Sandy's birthday today to benefit the school supplies for Yost.

## **WESTCHESTER NEIGHBORS FOOD PANTRY**

For the month of July, please bring in boxes of cold cereal and packaged potato mixes. 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.

## **NEW 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!**

Anna Kalbe is heading up a committee to help plan the annual church picnic that will be held on Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> following our outdoor service at 10:15 a.m. She would *love* to have some help in this big endeavor, so please sign up on the sheet passed around today if you want on the committee (*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**

There are several things that need cleaning around the church, so a work day has been set up for Saturday, August 11<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. 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**

Once again, we will be supporting a mission outreach to area elementary schools through the collection of school supplies. A list of items needed can be found in the newsletter, on Facebook, or website.

## **TRUE NORTH COWBOY CHURCH**

"Cowboy Church" is a very unique, casual service that is held every 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday through October. The next service is August 10<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.