

DECEMBER BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

5-	Jessica Clements	18-	Kelly Blum
	Kelly Perket	20-	Nicole Nelson
6-	David Wickesberg	21-	Taylor Peiffer
7 -	Mark MacRae	22-	Maximus Shupe
14 -	Lily Dimmer	25-	Courtney Cowen
15 -	Jim Schmit	26-	Vegas Mantsch
16 -	Kyle Schneider		Emma Riemer
	Cory Schneider	27-	Michael Rego
	Elijah Perez	29-	Aila Bretl
	Gary Tackes	31-	Scott Briese

DECEMBER WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- 26 - Howard and Alice Clausing
- 27 - Steve and Cheri Farnsworth

*Please contact Beckie Perez, at
office@portucc.org, if you would like to
add a Birthday or Anniversary.*



SUNDAY SERVERS - ONLINE SIGN-UP

We are utilizing the online SignUpGenius tool which allows for easier scheduling. Below are the areas we need your participation. Simply click on the links and choose which Sundays you would like serve. Sign up once, or as many times as you'd like! Together we can fill in all the gaps. If you have any questions, please reach out to Beckie in the church office.



You may click the button to see all of the Sunday Servers sign-ups or click below to view the individual sign-ups.

USHERS

Greet congregants, hand out service bulletins, and collect the offering at the 8:00 or 10:00 Sunday morning worship service

ACOLYTES

5th, 6th, and 7th graders are invited to light the altar candles just before the start of every 10:00 worship service

WORSHIP LEADERS

Help Pastor Scott lead the congregation in responsive readings, unison prayers, and scriptures during the 8:00 or 10:00 worship service

NURSERY CAREGIVERS

Watch over children newborn through elementary in our nursery (currently in the Gilomen Room) during the 10:00 service. The 8th grade Confirmation Class will still be helping, but with a smaller class, we need some additional help. Please note, 8th graders and high schoolers must be accompanied by a parent

FELLOWSHIP HOUR HOSTS

Serve coffee and provide simple treats following the 10:00 service on the second and fourth Sundays - two families preferred

DECEMBER 2022 CALENDAR

				1 8 am Men's Breakfast - The Beacon 6:30 pm Executive Team	2	3
4 Second Sunday of Advent 8 am Communion Service 9 am Fellowship Hour 10 am Communion Service, Nursery Care 11 am Advent Craft Workshop & Cookie Exchange	5 6:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal	6 9:30 am Staff Meeting	7 12 pm Lunch Group 6:30 pm Advent Vesper Service 7 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	8 8 am Men's Breakfast - The Beacon 6:30 pm Church Council Knellsville 4-H Club	9	10 5 pm PW Pride
11 Third Sunday of Advent 8 am Worship Service 10 am Worship Service Church School Chancel Choir Nursery Care 11 am Fellowship Hour 11-11:30 am Children's Choir Rehearsal	12 6:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal	13 9:30 am Staff Meeting	14 12 pm Lunch Group 5:30 pm Lighthouse Youth Group- Assist Family Promise Christmas Party 6:30 pm Advent Vesper Service 7 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	15 8 am Men's Breakfast - The Beacon 6 pm Confirmation Class Mission-Family Promise	16	17
18 Fourth Sunday of Advent 8 am Worship Service 10 am Family Service Confirmation Class Assists Children's Choir Nursery Care 11 am Fellowship Hour 11 am – 12:30 pm Confirmation Class Christmas Pageant Rehearsal	19 6:30 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm Confirmation Class	20 9:30 am Staff Meeting	21 12 pm Lunch Group 6:30 pm Advent Vesper Service 7 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal	22	23 1 pm Property Team	24 Christmas Eve Services 5 pm Christmas Pageant 7 pm Worship Service 9 pm Worship and Communion

25
Christmas Day
10 am Worship Service

(Limited Office Hours the Week Following Christmas)

Happy 2023!

FREE BUILDING USAGE FOR MEMBERS

In an effort to bring back more activity to our church building, especially since the departure of Port Pre-School during the week, the Church Council recently approved free church building usage for Members through the program year. Are you having a family get together and need a larger space? Use Fellowship Hall! Do you need a meeting space? Use the Dennett Room!

Contact Beckie in the church office to reserve a date.



CHURCH INFORMATION

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Church Office Hours

Monday - Friday mornings from 8:30 - Noon

Pastor Scott's Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursdays, and by appointment

Financial Administrator Phil's Office Hours

Mondays from 4:30 - 6:30

Office Staff

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ONLINE GIVING WITH PAYPAL

PayPal is an easy way to give to the church to pay your pledge and/or make an extra financial gift. You can find the **PayPal** button on the home page of the church website (portucc.org) or use this QR code. Thank you!

