

## Announcements

**Pledge Envelopes:** Boxes of pledge envelopes for anyone who made a pledge or requested envelopes for giving are now available in the church office (on a table, in alphabetical order). If you want them and do not find them, please leave your name in the office and they'll be available to pick up the following Sunday. Of course, those of you now using the online giving process no longer need weekly envelopes. We thank you for picking up your envelopes – it saves the church the \$3.00 postage it costs to mail them.

**Our Sock Tree in the Narthex is ready to receive gifts of crew socks.** They will be given to CCSA to distribute to the men living on the streets. We all know how a new, clean, and warm pair of socks feels on our feet. Imagine how they warm the feet and hearts of the homeless people trying to keep warm at this time of year. CCSA and the Board of Deacons thank you for your support!

**CHRISTMAS IS IN THE AIR!** Time to think of others; the hurting, the poor, the needy. Time to donate to charities and causes. Time to look forward to this church's future. **Please add the Endowment Fund to your gift giving list.** Give generously to help our church build for a stable future. Any gift placed in a pink envelope or marked "Endowment" will reach us. Thank you for your generosity at Christmastime!

**PLEDGE UPDATE:** To-date we have received 59 pledges for a total of \$233,106.00. This represents 87.96% of the 2016 goal of \$265,000. The Stewardship Ministry Team and the Session of PBPC want to thank you for your participation in the annual giving campaign. These funds will be used to support and further the Mission of God's Church both locally and globally. If you have not submitted your pledge for 2016, please consider how you can make a difference in the world and fill-out a pledge card which can be found in the pew racks in the sanctuary. Even a small donation when multiplied can help to support our various ministries. Thank you for your continued prayers and financial support.

**The ushering schedule for 2016's first quarter at PBPC has been e-mailed to all the great members of the ushering team.** If you did not receive it or would like a printed copy, please contact Betsy Martin (betz@san.rr.com or 858-273-6882).

Today at PB Pres  
December 20, 2015

## Sunday School Schedule


Sunday school classes for children and youth will be held during the church service after the children's message. Young elementary students (approx. 4-7 years old) will go to class weekly, older elementary students and youth will go on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Please enter through the back door from the parking lot.

## Please Pray

**In Rehab:** Fran Sime at VI La Jolla gaining strength after pneumonia cardioversion and a dissolved blood clot in her lung. **At Home:** John Melbourn recovering from recent surgery. Betty Zander healing from a fractured pelvis. Diana Clark healing from leg surgery. Carolyn Anderson healing from knee replacement. Jean Campbell healing from back surgery on Dec 15<sup>th</sup>. Jody Jeffrey continues physical therapy. Lynda Wohletz receiving chemo for 6 weeks preparing for bladder removal surgery. Reva Greim's current chemo treatments are no longer effective so she will stop all treatments for the holidays while asking the Lord for guidance on what her next step should be for her health and to His Glory. Rosalie Kostanzer continues with an alternative treatment for her cancer and having positive results.

*Please Note: Names will remain on the list for 30 days unless they are receiving continued treatments.*

**Families & Friends Grieving** for loved ones who have died in 2015: **Members/Friends:** Bob Cottle, Carol Loh, Charles Falterman, Dorothy Thompson, Edith Wheeler, Edward Rojas, Faye Adams, Lloyd Sime, Norma Gibbs, Pat O'Donnell, and Trudy Flenniken.



The 2016 flower chart is now posted in the church office! If you would like to help beautify our sanctuary next year, please come by and sign up to sponsor flowers on a Sunday of your choosing!

## Rooms in Use & Meetings This Week at PB Pres

<b>Sun.</b> <b>12/20</b>	10:00am 11:15am 5:00pm 7:00pm	<b>Christmas Joy Offering Taken</b> Morning Worship, Sanctuary Lunch Bunch, Café Athena Sunday Night Ministries, Calvin Hall Roots Sunday Night Service, Sanctuary
<b>Mon.</b> <b>12/21</b>	10:30am 6:30pm 6:30pm	Roots Women's Bible Study, Founders Hall Crusader Bells, Sanctuary Scout Troop #59 Committee, Founders' Hall
<b>Tues.</b> <b>12/22</b>	6:30pm	Boy Scouts, Calvin Hall
<b>Wed.</b> <b>12/23</b>	7:00am 8:30am 5:30pm 6:00pm	Men's Bible Study, IHOP on Grand Ave. Wednesday Work Crew Silver Bells, Sanctuary Youth Christmas Party!, Calvin Hall & Ed. Bldg.
<b>Thurs.</b> <b>12/24</b>	6:30pm 7:00pm 11:00pm	<b>Christmas Eve, Church Office closes at noon</b> <b>Christmas Eve Family Service, Sanctuary</b> AA Garnet Group, Calvin Hall <b>Christmas Eve Evening Service, Sanctuary</b>
<b>Fri.</b> <b>12/25</b>	11:45am	<b>Christmas Day, Church Office Closed</b> Bell Tower Chime Outreach, Sanctuary
<b>Sat.</b> <b>12/26</b>		<b>No Events</b>
<b>Sun.</b> <b>12/27</b>	10:00am 5:00pm 7:00pm	Morning Worship, Sanctuary Sunday Night Ministries, Calvin Hall Roots Sunday Night Service, Sanctuary



**Please note: The Church office will be closed on Monday, December 28th for the Christmas Holiday.**

**Last Sunday's Attendance: 170**  
**Last Week's Giving: \$9,896.00**

## Today

**Lunch Bunch, today, Sunday, December 20th, following morning worship service**— everyone join together for lunch and fellowship at **11:15am at Café Athena Restaurant**, across Garnet Street.

### Christmas Joy Offering Taken TODAY!

A gift to the Christmas Joy Offering provides critical financial assistance to eligible workers in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and their families, and to qualifying retired church workers and their families. In addition, funds are used to enable deserving students to attend Presbyterian-related racial ethnic schools and colleges. **We will be taking this offering today, December 20.** Offerings received are distributed equally between the Presbyterian Board of Pensions and the Mission Agency. Thank you for your gifts.

**Your Mission and Outreach Team**

## Planning Ahead

**FRIENDSHIP CLUB** will "ring out the old and ring in the new" at their **DECEMBER 28th noon meeting**. Lunch will be provided, so just bring yourself and a donation for CCSA if you are able. All ladies are welcome!

## Year-End Office Announcements

**Church Printed Directory Update Reminder!** Moved? Changed your email address? Please let the office (Mavis, Lisa, Meri) know before Sunday, January 3rd if you have any changes to be made in the way your member information is shown in our Annual Printed Directory.

**It's almost time for our Annual Report again!** Please have all of your submissions in by **Monday, January 11, 2016** for inclusion in the report, which will be published for the Annual Congregational Meeting. We prefer to receive reports digitally (emailed to Meri & Lisa), but hardcopy reports will also be accepted.

It is our tradition here at PB Presbyterian to celebrate communion on the first Sunday of every month. We now offer gluten-free bread in addition to traditional bread.