

## Prayer Requests

### Thanksgiving

**My friends in Thursday night Bible Study**, who have been praying for me through my health challenges. **Catherine Dutkiewicz**

**My son & his family**, with thanksgiving that they finally made it to Maine. **Catherine Dutkiewicz**

**Bishop Hee-Soo Jung**, as he is installed as our new Bishop, 10/14, for guidance, strength, and the Holy Spirit's presence as he leads our conference. **PUMC**

**Terry Troutman**, as he is recognized as the Outstanding Volunteer of the Year by the Delaware County Foundation. **PUMC**

### Comfort, Healing, Discernment, Strength & Peace

**Jim & Nancy Johnston**, for peace and comfort as he is in the end-stages of hospice care. **Carrie Schwab**

**Tim**, my son, as his needed cataract surgery has been postponed again to the end of the month. **Jan Stout**

**Chris Brackney**, my son, evacuating from his home in Venice, FL due to the hurricane. **Jan Stout**

**Mark**, my son, & **Jenni**, my daughter-in-law, who live in Asheville where water needs to be restored and infrastructures need to be cleared following the Hurricane. **Helen Claibourne**

**Joe**, my husband, having facial cancer surgery and reconstructive plastic surgery, 10/8. **Jane Chelena**

**Jim Ash**, a fellow volunteer at PIN, recently diagnosed with cancer, for strength and healing. **Faith Williams**

**Carol Huddleston**, my friend, as she gets settled in her new residence. **Dave Woodyard**

**Troy Leatherman**, my son, as he deploys to Jordan for eight months. **Charles Leatherman**

**Tommy Kipfer**, our son, for complete healing after surgery on 10/23 for a season-ending foot injury. **Tom & Lori Kipfer**

**Cathy Paxton**, who is struggling with harsh chemo to continue her fight. **Debra Kreis**

**The Woodcock family**, my friends, as they have helped my daughter who just moved to Florida, and have needed to evacuate with their elderly parents. **Kristina MacKenzie**

**My mom**, for relief from severe back pain. **Karen Mager**

### Growing Together in Faith

**Children's Ministry Fall Festival**, as our families gather to celebrate the season and deepen their connection with God and one another. **PUMC**

**Iron Men**, as they meet to wrestle with some of the most challenging questions of our faith as they study Adam Hamilton's book *Doubt*. **PUMC**

### Sharing God's Love and Changing Our World

**Those training to be Stephen Ministers**, as they spend 16 weeks in class preparing to provide Christ-centered care for those experiencing life difficulties. **PUMC**

**Those who are empowering our church to host Friday Night Life**, as they donate food, prepare the meal, and go to Athens to serve and build relationships with the Good Works community. **PUMC**

## What Is My Next Step?

**Attend Pizza with the Pastors**, Sunday, Nov. 10, at 12:15pm. Learn about the history of our church, our vision, how to get connected, and grow in your faith. Meet the pastors and others like yourself who are taking steps to get connected. Sign up online or at the Welcome Center.

**Commit to Jesus:** If you have never made a decision to follow Jesus as the Lord of your life and you feel like that is a commitment you would like to make, we would love to discuss this further. Contact one of our pastors.

**Be Baptized:** Baptism is an opportunity for you to profess your faith in God and receive God's grace. If you have never been baptized and are interested in baptism, contact one of our pastors.

**Become a Member:** We view membership as a step in discipleship. To become a member of the church means to become a partner in the ministry of Powell UMC. Join the next new member series on Sundays, Oct. 6 and 13, 12:30-2:30pm. Register online or at the Welcome Center.

**Serve in a Ministry:** Each of us have been given gifts, talents, and skills to serve others. Our vision is for everyone to be serving in a ministry. If you are interested in serving, contact a staff member.

**Join a Small Group:** We believe that joining a group where you can connect with others as you grow in your faith is essential to being a disciple. Find a group where you can belong. Contact [KimLaRue@PowellUMC.org](mailto:KimLaRue@PowellUMC.org).

**Invite Others to Come:** We believe that Powell UMC is an excellent place to grow together in faith to share God's love and change our world. Invite others to come and be part of this transformation!

October 13, 2024

Let's  
**Do Unto Others**



**Kindness &  
Respect &  
Love &  
Humility &  
Compassion**

**Powell**  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Church Office Hours: 9:00am-3:30pm Monday-Thursday, Closed Friday & Saturday

# Welcome to Powell United Methodist Church!

If you are new to the church, we invite you to visit the Welcome Center.

Our mission is to grow together in faith to share God's love and change our world.

## Special Announcements

Senior Pastor, [JustinWilliams@powellumc.org](mailto:JustinWilliams@powellumc.org)

**Capital Campaign Survey** We are working with Horizons Stewardship to conduct a study in anticipation of a possible campaign. As a part of this study, this survey will ask for your insights, your hopes for the future, and your thoughts on how we can best respond to God's call for our church. Your voice matters. To complete the survey, scan the QR code at the right. Please complete the survey by Monday, Oct. 14.



**The Youth Pumpkin Patch is Open** Support PUMC youth by purchasing pumpkins, gourds and more on the front lawn. Pumpkins will be for sale throughout the month of October or until sold out. Shop for pumpkins via the honor system box or the QR code.

## Missions

Associate Pastor, [CarrieSchwab@powellumc.org](mailto:CarrieSchwab@powellumc.org)

### PUMC Providing the Meal for Good Works Friday Night Life on October 18

Here are ways to get involved. To sign up go to [powellumc.org/good-works](http://powellumc.org/good-works)

- **Donate food** Grab a tag or two off the tree in the Main Hall, purchase the items, and bring them back to the church kitchen by THIS Wednesday, October 16.
- **Prep the meal** THIS Thursday, October 17, 6-8 pm. Come to help prepare the meal by chopping, mixing, and baking.
- **Serve the meal** THIS Friday, October 18, 2-9 pm. We will carpool to Good Works to set up and serve the meal. We will enjoy an evening of fellowship with the community.

**Church Work Day at Camp Wanake** Saturday, Oct. 26, 7am-4pm. Our whole church community is invited to partner with Camp Wanake for a day of service to ensure camp is an inviting and safe place for all. Our projects will include flowerbed maintenance, painting, constructing Adirondack chairs and bunk beds, splitting firewood, and light tree work. Sign up online under "What's Happening."

**Lunch with Keith Wasserman** Sunday, Oct. 27, 12pm. Join us for lunch with Keith Wasserman, founder of Good Works. Keith will share an update about the mission and ministry of Good Works. We will enjoy some of the menu items that we prepare and serve when we host Friday Night Life. RSVP is required by Monday, Oct. 21. Sign up online under "What's Happening."

## Caring Ministries

Associate Pastor, [CarrieSchwab@powellumc.org](mailto:CarrieSchwab@powellumc.org)

**Unashamed: Mental Health Summit, Focus on Relationships** Saturday, Nov. 2, from 9am to 1pm at Heritage Christian Church in Westerville. The summit will focus on mental health and relationships. We will explore the best ways to interact in a variety of relationships that may be affected by mental health. To learn more about the summit or to register, visit <https://heritagecc.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/2526242>

**Transportation Ministry** In the last three months, our transportation ministry has provided 86 rides for members of the congregation to enable them to attend worship, classes, and medical appointments. As the need for transportation continues to grow, we are looking for new drivers to join our team. To sign up, contact Kim LaRue, [KimLaRue@powellumc.org](mailto:KimLaRue@powellumc.org).

**Cancer Support Group** will meet this Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 7pm on Zoom to encourage and provide a sense of hope and community. All impacted by cancer are invited to be a part of this group. To get a Zoom link, contact Mike Wholf, [mwholf@columbus.rr.com](mailto:mwholf@columbus.rr.com).

## Giving

Office Administrator, [DebbieWenner@powellumc.org](mailto:DebbieWenner@powellumc.org)

**Equal Exchange Sale** TODAY in the Main Hall. A variety of delicious food products that both support and empower farmers and consumers is available for sale.

**Support Those Affected by Hurricane Helene** Donate to UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) and put "Hurricane Helene" on your donation or give online at [powellumc.org/giving/](http://powellumc.org/giving/) 100% of your money will go to help those in need.

## Children's Ministries (Infant—5th grade)

Children's Ministries Director, [RebeccaBrownlee@powellumc.org](mailto:RebeccaBrownlee@powellumc.org)

**Family Fun Fall Festival**, THIS Wednesday, Oct. 16, 6:00-7:30pm in Fellowship Hall. Dinner will be a potluck. Come as a family, dress in costume, do crafts and play games. Sign up for this fun event online under "What's Happening."

**Upcoming Wednesday Night Children's Ministry Events** Programs take place 6-7:30 pm. Dinner will be provided. Go to [powellumc.org/childrens-ministries](http://powellumc.org/childrens-ministries) for more information and to register.

- **Boys Night**, for 1st - 5th grade: October 23
- **Children's Check In**, for preschool - 5th grade: November 6
- **Girls Night**, for 1st—5th grade: November 13

## Youth Ministries (6th—12th grades)

Associate Pastor, [CarrieSchwab@powellumc.org](mailto:CarrieSchwab@powellumc.org)

**Volunteer at the Family Fun Fall Festival** THIS Wednesday, Oct. 16, 5:30-8pm. The youth will help host the Children's Fall Festival. We will run the face paint, craft, game, and snack stations for the children and their families. Sign up online at [powellumc.org/youth-ministries/](http://powellumc.org/youth-ministries/)

**District Wide Youth Gathering** Friday, Nov. 15, from 6:00-9:30pm. Our church will host the Fall District Wide Youth Gathering. This event is open to youth across our district and conference, providing a night of food, games, worship, small groups, and a youth panel. Our featured speaker will be Rev. Amy Aspey, who will share a powerful message for our youth.

## Adult Ministries

Adult Ministries Director, [KimLaRue@powellumc.org](mailto:KimLaRue@powellumc.org)

**The Tuesday Morning Group (TMG)** invites you to a study of six scriptures using Josh Scott's book *Context* beginning Tuesday, Oct. 15 at 10am. Our first scripture is 1 Corinthians 13 "A More Excellent Way."

**Finding God in Best Sellers** group meets the first Wednesday of each month at 9:30am at Scramblers on Route 23. The book for November 6 is *The Women* by Kristin Hannah; the book for December 4 is *Frozen River* by Ariel Lahon. Contact Joy Waldron, [jkw71550@gmail.com](mailto:jkw71550@gmail.com) for more information.

## Preschool

**PUMC Preschool** is looking to add an additional board member with finance and/or accounting experience. If interested, please contact Board President Megan Ricci, [meganricci@gmail.com](mailto:meganricci@gmail.com).

\* Childcare Provided

^ Hybrid Class (meets on Zoom and In Person)

## Music and Worship Arts

Music Ministries Director, [JeffDaubenmire@powellumc.org](mailto:JeffDaubenmire@powellumc.org)

**Music Ministries at PUMC** Our adult, children, and youth music groups are always accepting new members. If you would like to share your musical gifts, please contact Jeff for more information.

## Weekly Calendar of Events

### Sunday, October 13, 2024

- 08:15am - Traditional Worship service \*
- 09:30am - Children's and Youth Sunday school \*
- 09:30am - Traditional Worship service \*
- 10:30am - Adult Bible study \*
- 10:35am - Cherub Choir and Children's Choir rehearsals
- 10:45am - 10:45 Sunday School \*
- 11:00am - Contemporary Worship service \*
- 12:30pm - New Member Series \*
- 04:15pm - Youth Praise choir rehearsal
- 04:15pm - Joyful Ringers handbell rehearsal (3rd - 5th grade)
- 05:00pm - Glorybells handbell rehearsal (6th - 8th grade)
- 05:45pm - Alleluia Bells rehearsal (9th - 12th grade)

### Monday, October 14, 2024

- 09:15am - Upper Room study
- 10:00am - Disciple II Bible study
- 06:00pm - Young-ish Adult small group \*
- 06:30pm - Stephen Ministry training
- 06:30pm - Iron Men
- 07:00pm - Mission committee

### Tuesday, October 15, 2024

- 10:00am - Tuesday Morning Group (TMG)
- 12:45pm - Women's H2O Bible study
- 06:30pm - Tuesday Women's Bible study \*
- 06:45pm - Disciple IV Bible study
- 07:00pm - Cancer Support Group on Zoom

### Wednesday, October 16, 2024

- 09:00am - MomCo \*
- 06:00pm - Celebration Ringer rehearsal
- 06:00pm - Family Fall Festival
- 06:30pm - Disciple I Bible study
- 07:00pm - Chancel Choir rehearsal

### Thursday, October 17, 2024

- 10:00am - Thursday Morning class
- 06:00pm - Friday Night Life meal prep
- 07:00pm - Thursday Evening women's study
- 07:00pm - Lily Circle meeting

### Saturday, October 19, 2024

- 08:30am - Stephen Ministry training

### Sunday, October 20, 2024

- 08:15am - Traditional Worship service \*
- 09:30am - Children's and Youth Sunday school \*
- 09:30am - Traditional Worship service \*
- 10:30am - Adult Bible study \*
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