

**SUMMER WORSHIP  
SCHEDULE  
CONTINUES  
THROUGH  
SEPTEMBER 1**

**8:30a Eucharist Service**  
**9:30a Worship Service**  
**9:30a Sunday School**  
**for children through**  
**5th grade**

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**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**



**July 7—11, 6:30-8:30pm**

**WOW! VBS begins TODAY!**

We will need volunteers to stay after the 9:30 service **TODAY** for VBS set-up. Please consider staying and helping us out. Thank you!

**Young Men's Group** ~ The young men's group is meeting for lunch at 12:30 at Hop Scotch and Vine. Hope to see you there!

**PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

- \*Jennifer Armstrong's friend, Sara Slaybough
- Sue Bennett
- \*LaVerne Corzan's sister, Donna Sayers
- \*Elmer & Judy Eddy's friend, Jane Turnbough
- \*Leota (Sue) Highley
- \*Carole Holloway's Aunt & Uncle, Nancy & Wayne Richie
- \*Lauri Malnati's Mom, Karen Hewitson
- \*Diane Roberts' friend, Paul Schlueter
- \*For the families of the 19 Arizona firemen
- \*Nancy Mattison Trevino's husband, Al; son, Dwight; and grandson, Elijah
- \*Janine Valkema
- \*Everett Van De Voort
- \*Marcia Vaughan
- \*\*Those serving in the military.

If you want to include someone on the prayer list, please complete a Prayer Request Card (found in the pew rack).

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**COMING! ONE DAY EVENT!  
THE REALLY, REALLY,  
FREE MARKET**



The Green Team Small Group is organizing an event that we have never done before. Just imagine, bringing in everything you don't want and taking things that you can use! Things that are unused can be redistributed, and potentially saved from becoming the "property" of a landfill. We all have "things" that don't make sense in our lives anymore and we are consumers with a capital C. It is a fact that America consumes more than any

other country in the world. Here is a great way to change that. Consume less, reuse more. And, as a bonus, you will make new friends and help others who are not in a position to purchase such items. The Green Team is also looking for volunteers to help sort and display items before and during the event. As a thank you for volunteering we will be open to all volunteers one hour before the doors open to the public!

Other churches in Plainfield will be participating and we hope to spread the word throughout the Plainfield, Joliet, and Aurora areas. For more information contact Carol May [carolsuemay@gmail.com](mailto:carolsuemay@gmail.com) or Char Baker [cbaker151@ameritech.net](mailto:cbaker151@ameritech.net).

**Date of Market—Saturday, August 3**  
**Time: 10am to 4pm**

Where: PUMC Fellowship Hall  
Accepting: clothing, pieces of art, jewelry, small furniture, household appliances, linens, toys, games, luggage, totes, electronics in working condition, tools, decorations, holiday "stuff". Everything must be clean and in good condition. For large things, (too big to carry in and out) like big pieces of furniture, appliances, firewood, etc. bring a picture of it so we can advertise it on our bulletin board with your name/ phone number. People can arrange for a pick up. Start bringing in items after July 22 or on the day of the event. Look for the room # posted on the front door.

## PROJECT 12



Each week during the 12 weeks of summer, we will lift up one of the projects on our Rainbow Covenant list. We will tell you a bit about it and give you the opportunity to support it with a donation of \$1.00 (or more). You may either put your donation in the little blue envelope located in the rack in front of the pews, or write a check payable to PUMC with the notation "Project 12," and drop it in the offering plate. You may specify this week's project or a different project. If you do not specify a particular project, we will use your donation for one that needs a little help reaching goal.

### PROJECT OF THE WEEK

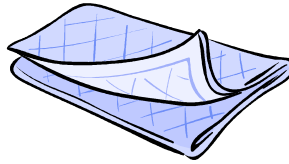
- The Del Valle Migrant Worker Head Start School - This school, located on Ridge Road at the edge of town, cares for the small children of the migrant workers in our area. The children receive snacks, meals and lots of care and nurturing from the Del Valle Staff. We hope to raise at least \$300 for the school. ( Our church family also provides donations of clothing, household goods, Christmas gifts, etc. for the families.)

This is one of our "local" projects on our Rainbow Covenant list.

### "Summer Reading Opportunity":

A study on the book Torn: Rescuing the Gospel from the Gays vs. Christians Debate by Justin Lee is being developed for the fall. If you are interested in previewing the book over the summer and contributing to the discussion, please e-mail hollilong@yahoo.com for more information.

## SUCCESS!



Thanks to the generous donations of PUMC Blanket Group members, our church and it's families, as well as GS Troop #987

each of the 50 children attending the Royal Family Kids' Camp in Joliet, IL (royalfamilykids.org) for severely neglected and abused children will receive their very own new sheet set, pillow and tie-knot fleece blanket on their first day of camp.

Our PUMC blankets will each have a tag attached with Jeremiah 29:11 'For I know the plans I have for you', declares the LORD, 'plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.'

- Total donations of fleece/blankets totaled over \$1500.
- Total donations of pillows and sheet sets totaled over \$1000.

**THANK YOU ALL** for making this Change the World project a success!

### Book and a Movie



The Women's book group continues this summer's "Book and a Movie" series! Come join us!

**For July:** We will be diving into Life of Pi by Yann Martel. We'll gather at the church in Friendship Hall on July 25th at 7pm for the movie (note the change of the meeting date).

CALENDAR JULY 7 - July 13		
Sun. 7/7	8:30 A	Eucharist Worship
	9:30 A	Worship & Sunday School
	12:00 P	Sunday Brunch Bunch (Offsite)
	12:30 P	Young Men's Group (Offsite)
	6:30 P	VBS (Entire Church)
Mon. 7/8	6:30 P	VBS (Entire Church)
Tue. 7/9	9:30 A	Tutoring Center (203)
	6:30 P	VBS (Entire Church)
Wed. 7/10	9:00 A	MEM's (Offsite)
	4:30 P	Tutoring Center (203)
	6:30 P	VBS (Entire Church)
Thur. 7/11	11:30 A	Widow's Small Group (Offsite)
	9:30 A	Tutoring Center (203)
	6:30 P	VBS (Entire Church)
Fri. 7/12		Office Closed
Sat. 7/13	9:00 A	Plainfield Area Infertility Group (205)
	6:00 P	Restaurant Samplers (Offsite)

### COMING IN JULY: ★★★★★

**TODAY:** Hymn Festival: Singing favorite hymns and praise songs as we worship God.

**July 14:** VBS Celebration: Athens

**July 21:** Youth Mission Trip Celebration

**July 28:** Video Mash up: Glimpses of Heaven through Segments of Video  
\*Commissioning of young adult mission trip to the Bahamas, August 4-10

**July 30:** (Tuesday): Pet blessing on PUMC church lawn 6-8 pm. Come to Cruise Night, eat hot dogs and popcorn on Lockport Street, and then walk one block to the PUMC church lawn for the blessing of your pets. Invite neighbors' pets!