

**NOW HIRING \*\*Nursery Staff\*\*** PUMC is



currently hiring for 1-2 new nursery staff positions. Hours are variable on Sunday mornings during worship services and Sunday School. Applicants

must be at least 18 years of age, agree to a background check, and have a heart for babies and toddlers. This is a paid position. Interested? Please contact Pastor Sherry at [sherry.steele@plainfieldumc.com](mailto:sherry.steele@plainfieldumc.com) or 815-436-9651.

**Come try yoga!** Experience meditation with



movement as a different way to connect with God. Come any age, any size, and especially if you can't touch your toes, to benefit from this practice together. Yoga is for everyBODY! Our classes are the **1st and 3rd Wednesday**

**evenings each month from 6:30-7:30pm.**

This class is not designed to break a sweat, but rather to focus on breathing and moving your body in a way that is good for your mental and physical health. Bring a mat or towel and comfy clothes.

**ITEM NEEDED**



If anyone has any extra pre cut fat quarters quilting fabric (18"x 22"), please drop them off at the church office. Thank you in advance!

**NEW OFFICE HOURS**

**Mon. through Thurs.: 9:00 am ~ 5:00 pm.**  
Office is closed on Fridays.



**PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

- \*Ginny Alberini
- \*Fern Angelos' nephew, Ken Vallrugo
- \*Roger Beitzel's friend, Pastor Ken Schultz
- \*Beitzel family friends, Kean Wicklund & Collin Hall
- \*Beth Best's dad, Miley Palmer
- \*Roger Bonuchi's friend, Tom Bowen
- \*Louise Corey
- \*Kim Anys-Cornell's parents, Charlie & Sally Anys
- \*Elmer & Judy Eddy
- \*Patty Habersberger's friends, the Heriot family
- \*Paul & Kathy Lutz, brother-in-law, Dan Jiricek
- \*Susan Koch's friend, Ross Loenze
- \*Misty Martin
- \*McGrail Family
- \*Karen Mizwicki's uncle, Elvis "Tolly" Watson
- \*Shelby Nelson's friends, Elizabeth & Jennifer
- \*Kim Pondelicek's friend's son, Chase Colby & Family
- \*MickeySue Traver's dad, Jack Moore
- \*Elizabeth Wigton's dog & cat
- \*Carrie Wrubel's son, Connor Jenkins

- \*\*Those serving in the military, our fire fighters and police officers.
- \*\*Victims of war, violence and oppression around the world.
- \*\*Missionaries & aid workers around the world

**If you would like to include someone on the prayer list, please complete a Prayer Request Card.**

**PUMC CALENDAR**  
**September 23 through September 29**

Sun. 9/23	6:30p	Cussers & Discussers - Animate Faith/Adult Study (C/L)
	6:30p	Jr. Sr. High Youth Gathering (JBFH)
	6:45p	Youth Parents Mtg. (Sanctuary)
Mon. 9/24	11:30a	Lunch Bunch (C/L)
	7:00p	AD Council (JBFH)
Tues. 9/25	6:30p	Staff Parish Relations (C/L)
Weds. 9/26	11:00a	Trinity Food Pantry (Offsite)
	6:00p	Worship Band (Sanctuary)
	7:00p	Chancel Choir (Choir Room)
Sat. 9/29	8:30a	Bellissimo Practice (Sanctuary Balcony)

## Outdoor Worship and Potluck Picnic Sept. 30 at 10:00 AM

Location: Grande Park Pavilion  
Grande Park Boulevard

On the last Sunday in September (9/30) PUMC will be hosting a worship service and potluck picnic at the pavilion in Grande Park. This is the date of the Plainfield Harvest 5K Run when parking is always a challenge at the church, so we gather offsite to enjoy what we hope will be a beautiful fall day! This is also a chance to get to know each other better since there will be just one worship service, at 10:00 AM.



**The service will start at 10:00 AM with a potluck picnic to follow. Except in case of rain (see next page) there will be no worship services, Sunday School, or any other activities at the church that morning! Childcare will be available at the park during the worship service.**

Here's the schedule:

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM Setup (the more, the merrier!)  
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Worship Service  
11:00 AM – 2:30 PM Picnic

### Directions

Grande Park is easy to access from PUMC and there is plenty of parking! Take Lockport Street (Rte 126) west out of downtown to Ridge Road, which is about three miles. Turn right/north on Ridge and follow it about two miles to 135th Street (Paydon Road). Turn right/east on 135th and take the first left onto Grande Park Blvd. The park entrance will be on your left.

\*\*There is a map on our website @  
plainfieldumc.com\*\*

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### What to bring:

- Folding/lawn chairs (if desired - picnic tables offer seating in pavilion)
- Potluck item to share, such as: main dish, side dish, salad, fruit/veggies, or dessert
- Serving utensils and any needed condiments
- Soft drinks if desired (see what church will supply, below), but no alcohol please
- Yourself! If you can't bring anything else, at least bring this!

### The church will provide:

- Fried Chicken
- Iced tea, lemonade, water, and ice
- Paper plates, plastic utensils, plastic cups
- Napkins
- Serving tables
- Picnic/outdoor game equipment

### It won't rain, but in case it does...

In case of rain, a note will be posted on the PUMC website and Facebook page by 8:00am that Sunday morning. We will also send an email note via Constant Contact. Those without a computer can call the church office that morning, or have a friend check and give you a call. In that case, we will simply move the 10:00am service back to the church (race traffic should improve by later in the morning) and have an indoor potluck picnic instead.

### We hope to have a great turnout!

This is a wonderful chance for those who attend our two worship services at different times to get to know each other better. It will be a welcoming and fun event with games and shared activities for all ages!! Feel free to bring friends!

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Need a ride? We have drivers! We have volunteers who will gladly pick you up at home! Simply call the church office no later than Wednesday, 9/26, to arrange your ride.



**About Grande Park**  
Grande Park is a fully accessible site, with plenty of paved parking, including reserved handicapped spots

with sidewalk ramps/easy access. Our worship service will be in the main pavilion adjacent to the parking lot, and is under a shaded canopy with picnic tables. There is electricity for microphones and speakers, so everyone will be able to hear.

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR** ~ We meet the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month from 6:00-7:00pm in the choir room. We would love to have you join us. Everyone in grades K-5th is welcome to attend. You don't need any experience, we accept all!! Any questions?? contact Karyn Holstead at 630 779-3443



## **YOUTH PARENT MEETING TONIGHT at 6:45 PM**

Please join Youth Director Roger Beitzel for a short meeting to talk about Youth Group this year and other aspects of Youth Ministry at PUMC. Drop off your youth in Fellowship Hall, then gather in the Sanctuary to chat with Roger about some of the goals and dreams for your youth!

Plus, get a free book on parenting teens!!!