

9:00 AM Modern Worship

Welcome & Announcements

\* Passing of the Peace

\* Prayer, Praise & Worship

\*Prayer of Confession

\*Assurance of Pardon

Morning Prayer

Offering

Children in Grades K4 thru 2<sup>nd</sup> grade may leave for Children’s Church

Message & Prayer

\* Music

\* Closing with Blessing

\*Indicates where those who are able, please stand



The 2025 Church Flower Calendar is posted at the side entrance of the Sanctuary.  
Please sign up to place flowers in the Sanctuary in Honor or Memory of someone you love or a special event in your life.



Rev Bruce Palmer  
Rev Bobbie Ethridge  
Judy Gossett  
Ann Hooper  
Jennifer Marsengill  
Meg Dillard  
Sharon Knepper  
Mary Ann Marsh  
Tracey Walker

Nancy Wilkinson  
Bill Pace  
JC Cook  
Nancy Hellams  
Melissa Arant  
Whitney Sexton  
Pam Cox  
Jane Hopkins

SPONSORED MISSIONARIES:

Ben and Jenny Reyes and children  
Luke & SunHee Rhyee and children

SERVING OUR COUNTRY:

SGT Gilean (Gil) Arant (USMC)  
SSgt Athon (Trey) Arant (US Air Force)  
PO3 Kenneth Bighma (US Navy)  
PO2 Ethan Byrne (US Navy)  
SrA Cole Lingefelt (US Air Force)  
MSgt Justine Meece (US Air Force)  
SPC Ty Norris (US Army)  
LT COL Adam Williams (SC National Guard)  
MAJ Caitlin Williams (US Army)  
MSGT Dustin Williams (SC National Guard)  
COL Michael Mihalik (IL Air National Guard)  
LT Alexandra Moran (US Navy)

Names in Red indicate those service men/women who are deployed or stationed abroad.

11:00 AM Traditional Service

Prelude

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\*Passing of The Peace

\*Opening Hymn Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing Hymnal # 400

\*Prayer of Confession

Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your steadfast love.  
According to Your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions.  
Wash us thoroughly from our iniquities and cleanse us from our sin.  
For we know our transgressions and our sins are ever before us.  
Against You, and You alone, have we sinned and done what is evil in Your sight.

Create in us a clean heart, O God. Put a new and right spirit within us.  
Cast us not away from Your presence, and do not take away Your Holy Spirit,  
restore to us the joy of Your salvation and sustain in us a willing spirit.

\*Assurance of Pardon

Hear the good news:  
Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God’s love toward us.  
In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. Glory to God. Amen.

Choral Anthem

Prayer of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven hallowed be thy name.  
Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory, Forever.  
Amen.

Tithes & Offering

\*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above the heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.  
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Scripture Reading Matthew 4:1-11 ESV

Sermon When You Realize You’re Lost

\*Closing Hymn On Jordan’s Stormy Banks I Stand Hymnal # 724  
Stanzas 1, 2, and 4

\*Benediction

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Today’s Scripture  
Matthew 4:1-11 ESV

Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. <sup>2</sup> And after fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. <sup>3</sup> And the tempter came and said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread.” [1] <sup>4</sup> But he answered, “It is written,

“Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.”

<sup>5</sup> Then the devil took him to the holy city and set him on the pinnacle of the temple <sup>6</sup> and said to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down, for it is written,

“He will command his angels concerning you,’ and  
“On their hands they will bear you up, lest you strike your foot against a stone.” [2]

<sup>7</sup> Jesus said to him, “Again it is written, ‘You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.’” <sup>8</sup> Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory. <sup>9</sup> And he said to him, “All these I will give you, if you will fall down and worship me.”[3]  
<sup>10</sup> Then Jesus said to him, “Be gone, Satan! For it is written,

“You shall worship the Lord your God and him only shall you serve.”

<sup>11</sup> Then the devil left him, and behold, angels came and were ministering to him.

The Dynamics of Sin

- 1) Craving Self-Interest
- 2) Pleading for Affirmation
- 3) Striving for Power





# April 2025

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

April 1st - Church Council  
at 6 PM

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### Alliance of Pendleton Area Church Lenten Lunches

All are invited to gather on Wednesdays from 12-1 PM  
for soup and sandwich lunch with a devotional.

March 26th – Mt. Zion Presbyterian  
April 2nd – Zion United Methodist Church  
April 9th – Christ the Redeemer Anglican  
April 16th - Open





# PENDLETON METHODIST CHURCH

A Global Methodist Congregation



## Combined Worship Service

March 30th at 10:30 AM

with Soup & Sandwiches afterwards.  
Bring your favorite soup, platter of sandwiches or a dessert.

Recipe:

for the PMC Cookbook

Ingredients:

Sponsored by the Outreach Committee

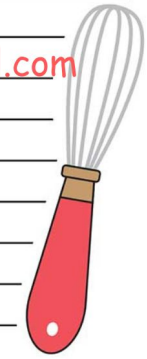
Proceeds to help update kitchen

Appetizers, Brunch, Breads, Main Dishes, Vegetables, Instant Pot/Slow Cooker, and Desserts.

Directions:

Extended till April 1st

email recipe to: pmcscoutreach@gmail.com





March 23, 2025

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent

## PMC Kids Upcoming Events

<b>JAN 26</b> 4-6 PM BIG AIR ANDERSON	<b>FEB 9</b> 4-6 PM VALENTINE GAMES, PRIZES, & PIZZA	<b>FEB 21</b> 7 PM 5TH GRADE TO WINTER JAM
<b>MAR 16</b> 4-6 PM OASIS MINI GOLF	<b>APR 13</b> BOTH SERVICES PALM BRANCHES & EASTER READINGS	<b>APR 13</b> 4-6 COMMUNITY EASTER EGG HUNT, BOUNCE HOUSE, & HOT DOGS
<b>MAY 18</b> 4-6 PM END OF SCHOOL PARTY	<b>JUNE 1-3</b> TBD YEE HAW VBS	<b>AUG TBD</b> BOTH SERVICES BACKPACK BLESSING

## Holy Week Schedule



April 10 - PALM SUNDAY  
9 AM Contemporary Service  
11 AM Traditional Service

April 17 - Maundy Thursday  
7 PM in the Sanctuary

April 18 - Good Friday  
Sanctuary open from 12 -2 for Meditation Stations of the Cross.

April 20 - Easter Sunday  
9 AM Contemporary Service  
11 AM Traditional Service

Contemporary Worship 9 AM  
Sunday School 10 AM  
Traditional Worship 11 AM

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 Adam Coats – Choir Director  
 Jeff Dillard & Chris Johnson – Sound  
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Lynn Greene – Admin. Assistant  
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 Josh & Brandi Runion – Children’s Ministry  
 Lena Mullikin & Olivia Gilbert - Nursery

Text “@club22” to 81010 to receive updates on Children’s Ministry Happenings.