

This week's opportunities:

Sunday, November 6

9:30a Serve Day
12:00p Lunch

Thursday, November 10

8:00am Men's Bible Study
7:00pm Traditional Choir Rehearsal

Monday, November 7

6:00p Scout Troop 288

Tuesday, November 8

10:00a Intercessory Prayer (Room 209)
6:00p Scout Troop 291
6:30p Praise Choir
7:30p Praise Band

Wednesday, November 9

6:00p C.I.A. (Children In Action)
6:00p Y.C.A.M. (Youth Creative Arts
Ministry)

**Please silence cell phones and
other electronic devices during
our worship.**

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THE HOLE IN OUR
GOSPEL

The Church Has Left the Building

November 6, 2011

Making Fully Devoted Followers

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Today following a brief time of worship we embark on six projects, listed below. May God bless you and those whom you serve.

Senior Center Clean-Up

Morning at Pablo Towers

Micklers Beach Clean-Up

Feeding the Homeless of Downtown Jax

Holiday Gifts for Lincolnvill (at church)

Fighting World Hunger (at church)

Please return for lunch around noon... We want to hear how things went!

The flowers at the altar today are given by Kevin and Donna WeMett in celebration of the renewal of their wedding vows and their anniversary.

Our study of **The Hole in Our Gospel** has come to an end. Today we begin filling the hole! We're providing you a **list of resources** to help you connect with our neighbors in need across the street, across the tracks, across the sea in a way that is meaningful to you. If you didn't receive this in the November edition of *The Wave*, pick one up from the information table. As you leave the sanctuary, turn right. The table is in the hallway.

Our thanks to all who brought **groceries for BEAM**. We broke our record with collection of **92 bags** of groceries. Thank you to our Trunk or Treaters and congregation for their efforts to help our community.

Our thanks to all who gave to the **Florida United Methodist Children's Home** through the 5th Sunday Offering last month. You gave **\$1,293**. Good going, church!

Thank you to everyone one who helped make Ponte Vedra UMC's Halloween Eve **blood drive** a huge success. We had 29 people attempt to donate and **we collected 25 units of blood**. It is nice to know that some of the blood that we donated has already saved lives in the Jacksonville area. Thanks again to all who turned out for this important community mission.

Men's Fellowship breakfast in the foyer at 8:15am **next Sunday**. We'll move upstairs for a panel discussion with photos on the recent Mountain T.O.P. and Haiti mission trips. Good food & good fellowship!

Operation Christmas Child brings joy and hope to children in desperate situations around the world through gift-filled shoeboxes and the Good News of God's love. This program of Samaritan's Purse provides an opportunity for people of all ages to be involved in a simple, hands-on mission project while focusing on the true meaning of Christmas – Jesus Christ. Our church will once again be sponsoring this mission by filling shoeboxes for the children. Our collection of boxes will be received **two weeks from today**. For more information visit www.samaritanspurse.org.

Our annual charge conference will be held at **8:00pm** on **Thursday, November 10** in the sanctuary. Our district superintendent has designated The Reverend David Spaulding as presiding elder of the charge conference. All are welcome to attend; members of the Church Council are entitled to vote.

Did you invest an hour **building a relationship** with a person who needs a friend, or needs a friend in Jesus? You are one of our **Salty Servants**. God bless you! Be sure to place a card in the offering plate along with all those who have invested an hour or more this week in making a positive difference in the lives of others for the sake of Christ.

Ushers are needed for 9:30 Alive! Max Stanley coordinates the ushers; he says it's the best volunteer job in the church - you get to be the face of PVUMC. Smile, be friendly and hand out bulletins. Contact Max at max.stanley@pv-umc.org.

Wanted: **Narrators** for the Christmas musical **I Have Seen the Light: The Search for Christmas** to be presented by our own traditional choir and Children In Action (C.I.A.) at both services on Sunday, December 4. Be in touch with minister of music **Elisabeth Callahan**, elisabeth.callahan@pv-umc.org.

Interested in getting the latest on PVUMC happenings? Sign up at pv-umc.org or via the Welcome Card for **the weekly email**. (You may easily unsubscribe anytime.)

For details on our small groups, see pv-umc.org/groups.

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- Inquirers.** Sundays at 9:45am upstairs in Room 209.
- Cornerstone Class.** Sundays at 10:45am upstairs in Room 207.
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- Youth Group H2O.** Students in grades 6-12 Sundays 5:30-8:00pm.
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- Prayer Group.** Tuesdays from 10:00 - 11:00am in Room 209.
- Traveling Tuesdays.** Tuesdays at 7:00pm in various homes.
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- Women's Bible Study.** Thursdays, 10:00am in Room 207. Resumes in the fall.
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Studying the Gospel of John.
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