

ANNOUNCEMENTS . SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

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TODAY

Fruitful Worship Series: LOVE

Sundays, September 2 - October 28

Join us each Sunday this fall to consider the fruits of the Spirit (Galatians 5). How can we cultivate these characteristics in ourselves to bless the lives of others?

Sep 9 Joy	Oct 7 Generosity
Sep 16 Peace	Oct 14 Faithfulness
Sep 23 Patience	Oct 21 Gentleness
Sep 30 Kindness	Oct 28 Self-control

Labor Day Holiday Hours

The church campus will close today at 2:00 pm. The campus will remain closed on Monday, September 3 in observance of the Labor Day Holiday.

PRAYER

New! Midweek Prayer Service

Wednesdays, starting September 12

12:00 pm, Moore Chapel

Each Wednesday we invite you to join us for special moments of reflection and devotion. Lunch will be available immediately afterward.

Prayer: The Essentials

Practical Theologians on Prayer

Sundays, Sanctuary & Moore Chapel

Candler School of Theology faculty share about the importance of prayer on the journey of life.

Sep 16 10:00 am - Bishop Larry Goodpaster

Sep 23 6:30 pm - Rev. Ellen Shepard

Sep 30 6:30 pm - Rev. Tom Elliott

Oct 14 6:30 pm - Bishop Woodie White

Fall Intercessory Prayer Ministry

September 9 - November 17

Share one hour of your week praying for the needs of others. Volunteers pray for each request and write notes of encouragement, hope, and support. Contact Brittany Charron at 404.240.8260 or brittanyc@prumc.org.

BIBLE STUDIES

Fall Bible Studies

To be a follower of Christ, we must study His teachings *deeply* and *with consistency*. Only then can we know and interpret God's words in ways that help us act them out in our daily lives. Don't let the opportunity to deepen your discipleship pass you by this fall. Course options may be reduced if minimum numbers are not met, so please register today! Visit prumc.org/bible-studies for class information and to sign up.

Wed - Sep 5

10:30 am	Journey Together <i>The Apostles' Creed</i>
6:30 pm	Deep Waters <i>Images of Christ in Art</i>

Thu - Sep 6

7:00 am	Women's Coffee Group
7:00 pm	Everybody Always

Sun - Sep 9

10:00 am	Disciple 4 (Sunday School)
6:00 pm	Disciple 2 - Fast Track
6:00 pm	Margin

Mon - Sep 10

12:00 pm	Psalms
6:30 pm	Biblical Poetry

Wed - Sep 12

10:00 am	Morning Light - Gilley <i>Conversations with God</i>
10:00 am	Morning Light - Bell <i>All Things New</i>
10:30 am	Morning Light - Copeland <i>The Armor of God</i>
6:30 pm	Breathing Room
6:30 pm	Evening Light - Bilthouse <i>Comparison Trap</i>

Thu - Sep 20

9:30 am	Prayer Painting Workshop
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Sun - Sep 30

5:00 pm	Breathing Room
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Thu - Oct 4

6:30 pm	Journeys of Paul
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IF YOU ARE NEW

Fall Kickoff Special Joining Day

Sunday, **September 9**, 8:45 or 11:15 am service
We look forward to welcoming a great group of new members on our Fall Kickoff. For information, contact Mimi Brunson at 404.240.8221 or mimib@prumc.org.

Coffee with the Clergy

Sunday, **Sep 30**, 10:00 am, Hospitality Suite
Meet ministers and staff, as well as long-time and new members. Ask any question and learn ways to connect in the church community!

FOOD & FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday Meals Begin

Wednesday, **September 12**

Lunch - 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, Grace Hall

Dinner - 5:00 - 7:00 pm, Grace Hall

Kick off a great new season of food and fellowship with church friends. Visit prumc.org/food-fellowship for complete menus.

Sep 12 Taco Salad Bar

Sep 19 Lasagna

Sep 26 Lunch: Sandwiches & Salads
Dinner: Brats & Hot dogs

CHILDREN & YOUTH CHOIR

Choir Registration

We are excited to welcome all children and youth to a new season of music-making, friendship, worship, service and adventure through choir opportunities created just for them! We believe that music is important for all ages, and this year we are making it easier for busy families to participate in the choir experience. Details and registration at prumc.org/events.

Sun - Sep 9

9:00 am Doxology Parent Meeting

3:15 pm Chorale Auditions

Wed - Sep 12

Most Children's Choirs Begin

Thu - Sep 13

Thursday Cherub Choir Begins

Sun - Sep 16

Doxology & Peachtree Ringers in worship

THE PRESCHOOL

A New Year Begins with Andrea Petsche!

The 65th year of The Preschool brings a special excitement as we welcome our new Director, Andrea Petsche! Andrea is an educator passionate about hands-on learning and student-centered education with a focus on the whole child. Committed to the importance of a Christian education, she has served in faith-based schools for most of her career. We warmly welcome Andrea and her family to PRUMC!

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Kids' Worship

Sunday, **September 9**, 11:15 am, The Loft

1st - 5th graders enjoy engaging worship, cool music, a relevant message, and friends!

Third Grade Bible Sunday

Sunday, **September 16**

8:45 am, Bible presentation, Sanctuary

9:45 am, Parent meeting, Moore Chapel

Our third graders receive the gift of a Bible and embark on an exciting journey exploring how to use and understand God's Word.

Fall Family Picnic!

Sunday, **September 30**, 5:00 pm

Bob and Becky Hill's

Children and Youth families are invited for a casual Sunday afternoon of fun and fellowship! Enjoy outdoor games, an awesome DJ, delicious BBQ, and a special prize. \$5 per person. Ages 2 and under no charge. Registration at prumc.org/events.

Intentional Parenting

Sunday, **October 14**, 4:00 - 6:00 pm, Grace Hall

Sissy Goff and David Thomas lead this seminar with humor, truth and grace. Details and registration at prumc.org/events.

Halloween Extravaganza

Wednesday, **October 24**

5:30 - 7:30 pm, Harp Center

We'll have a carnival, Trunk-or-Treat, games, DJ, face painting, haunted house and more! Food for purchase at event. This is a family-friendly event that is open to the community. Registration coming soon.

YOUTH

Parents of 6th Graders!

As we begin a new school year, we want to make sure you are receiving emails from us. If you have not received any information regarding the 6th grade Confirmation Class this year, please contact Grace Nadeau at gracen@prumc.org.

Confirmation Retreat

October 19 – 21, Camp Glisson, Dahlonega, GA
This will be a great opportunity to get to know each other and our amazing confirmation leaders! Activities will include zip lining, climbing towers, ropes courses, daily devotions, and more. Registration coming soon.

YOUNG ADULTS

Young Professionals Class Kickoff

Sunday, **September 9**, 10:00 am, C102

We will follow the Bible from Genesis to Revelation in story form, with Max Lucado's book, "The Story." Led by Leslie Watkins and Carolyn Stephens. Coffee and light breakfast served. All are welcome.

Bible & Brews

Sunday, **September 9**, 6:00 pm, Ann Lassiter's
You won't want to miss our fun Bible studies this fall! Pizza, local brews and sweet tea provided once a month. RSVP at prumc.org/events.

Top Golf

Sunday, **September 30**, 1:00 pm, Top Golf Atlanta
No golfing ability? No problem! Everyone plays and wins at this fun outing.

ADULTS

Monday Morning Pops Choir

Mondays, 10:30 am – 12:15 pm, Music Suite
Join us as we sing pops, Broadway songs, old favorites, and hymns. All are welcome – no experience necessary!

Grapes, Leaves and Apples Tour

Tuesday, **October 9**, 10:00 am, Jaemore Farms
We'll travel to Cleveland, GA for a private wine tasting at the scenic Cottage Vineyard & Winery followed by a visit to Jaemore Farms for apples! All the while, enjoy the fall leaves in the North Georgia mountains.

Wednesday Seasoned Saints

12:00 pm Lunch, 1:00 pm Program, C104

On Bingo days, please bring a \$5 wrapped gift/prize. Movies begin at 12:30 pm.

Sep 5 School Days Bingo

Sep 12 Marian Scopa, Canine Companions

Sep 19 Service Project

Sep 26 Movie: *Forever Young*

Senior Adult Sunday

Sunday, **October 14**, 8:45 & 11:15 am

Celebrate the age of wisdom and grace as our adult members serve in worship.

MEN

Men's Breakfast with Charlie Paparelli

Tuesday, **September 25**, 7:00 am, Heritage Hall
As an entrepreneur, father, angel investor, and disciple of Christ, Charlie Paparelli does not compromise any of his roles. In this demanding age, learn how he thrives in faith, business and life. RSVP at prumc.org/events.

Men's Morning Coffee

Wednesdays, 7:00 am, C105

Come be encouraged in your faith! Topical discussion, no preparation necessary. Contact Geoff Beakley at geoffb@prumc.org.

Men's Bible Study with Ken Boa

Fridays, 7:00 am, C106

Uncover the timeless wisdom of Christ and apply it to your daily life. Come as you are, no preparation necessary.

WOMEN

Save the Date! Breathing Room

An Evening with Sandra Stanley

Thursday, **November 1**, 7:00 pm, Sanctuary

6:30 pm Doors Open

7:00 pm Sandra Stanley, speaker

8:00 pm Book signing reception

Sandra Stanley is a local woman of faith, blogger, and author. Her newest devotional book *Breathing Room* reminds readers that God offers a way to trade your overwhelming pace for one that will finally bring you peace. Be sure to check our Bible Study offerings to read and discuss *Breathing Room* and *Comparison Trap* this fall. RSVP at prumc.org/events.

DOGWOOD SHOP

Fall Grand Opening!

Sunday, **September 9**, 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Sundays, 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Mondays, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Wednesdays, 9:30 am - 6:30 pm

We are excited to bring you new, beautiful and intentional gifts for fall. Every purchase helps someone in need. So far, in 2018, The Dogwood has designated \$54,000 in support of our global projects. Sales and stock volunteers are needed to continue this great ministry! To volunteer, contact Tracy Noble at tracyn@prumc.org.

GLOBAL MISSIONS

Kenya Team Meeting

Sunday, **September 9**, 10:00 am, B153

Information session about our March 7 - 17, 2019 adult mission trip.

LOCAL OUTREACH

September Outreach Drives

Bring items here, or order and deliver via Amazon using the links at prumc.org/outreach-drive.

Donate **diapers and formula** to the Children's Lobby bin for families in need.

Donate **new, white underwear and socks** to Rollins or Grace Hall bins for Hollis boys and girls ages 6-8.

Agape Tutoring Opportunities

Sep 10 CUPP Reader Training

2210 Marietta Blvd, Atlanta, 30318

Hear program highlights, meet the staff and complete necessary paperwork. To tutor, you must attend orientation and the "Darkness to Light" training. RSVP to dtate@agapeatlanta.org.

BeLoved Landscaping

Do you enjoy working outdoors in the fall weather? Volunteers are needed to cut grass, rake leaves and landscape for the BeLoved homes located on the Westside. BeLoved is a community of women who have survived trafficking, prostitution and addiction. Contact Beth Spencer at beths@prumc.org to volunteer.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Pastoral Care

For the most current information, please visit our Pastoral Care page at prumc.org/pastoral-care.

Congratulations To

Farrell and Brett Jackson on the birth of their child.

Terilyn and Eric Johnson on the birth of their child.

Katie and Will Childers on the birth of their child.

Katie and Charles Gibson on the birth of their child.

Sympathy To

Carol Martin on the death of her brother, Bob Huggins.

Carroll O'Brien on the death of her mother, Dene Branham McCullough.

New! Respite Care Atlanta

Respite Care Atlanta is a safe weekday place for those with mild cognitive impairment. We provide vital interaction for clients and self-care time to caregivers, and are **now accepting participant applications**. Visit our new website at www.respitecareatlanta.org. For more information, contact Julie Wright at 404.240.8203 or juliew@prumc.org.

Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings

Mondays, 7:00 am, C210

Discover strength and hope through the fellowship of those recovering from alcoholism. If you are looking for help and encouragement to stop drinking, please join us. For more information, contact Carolyn Stephens at 404.240.8207 or carolyns@prumc.org.

GriefShare

Tuesdays, starting **September 18**, 6:30 pm, C105
If you've lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend, you may feel isolated and have many questions about things you've never faced before. GriefShare meets weekly to help you face these challenges. Led by Carol Thurman & Lindley Small. Guidebook \$10. For more information, contact Julie Schendel at julies@prumc.org.

WELCOME!

Welcome to Peachtree Road United Methodist Church

Thank you for worshipping with us today! We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in our worship, program and service life here at Peachtree Road. Our hope is to make a warm, caring community that you can call home. To keep up with PRUMC events, services and more, we invite you to visit us at www.prumc.org or download the PRUMC App on your mobile device.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

8:45 & 11:15 am, Sanctuary

Our Sunday morning worship in the Sanctuary is rich, warm and meaningful. Built upon traditional Christian liturgy, these formal services combine the sacred elements of scripture, prayer, and hymns led by clergy and choir. Holy Communion is held once a month to remind us of our unity as Christians.

HOLY COMMUNION

9:00 am, Moore Chapel

Chapel communion is a service celebrating the gift of the Eucharist. Each week, in this intimate service, worshipers have the chance to hear the different voices of the PRUMC clergy. Music is led by staff and other guest musicians accompanied by the organ.

THE ROAD

11:15 am, Heritage Hall

The Road is an inviting worship experience that blends familiar church elements with an engaging atmosphere. Here you will find approachable fellow-worshippers who enjoy a fresh message, current music and a shared experience. At The Road you can come as you are, when you are able. No matter where you are in your life or your faith, our doors are open to you.

SUNDAYS @ 5

5:00 pm, Moore Chapel

Life can get too busy, but don't let that define you. Reconnect with your faith, your church and yourself at a comfortable, informal service on Sunday afternoons. This is a great time to re-center before heading into a new week.