

Blended Worship

10:00am

PRELUDE.....Tony Mercer
 NEWS.....Ann Mathison
 CALL TO WORSHIP.....Shaun Hartsell
 ADVENT READING
 The Haldane Family

Δ HYMN..... p249
 "O Come, All Ye Faithful"

Δ FAITH AFFIRMATION.....Ann Mathison
 What do you believe? We believe that Jesus Christ is the only savior of the world, and the true awaited messiah. For we teach and believe that this Jesus Christ our Lord is the unique and eternal Savior of the human race, and thus of the whole world, in whom by faith are saved all who before the law, under the law, and under the Gospel were saved, and however many will be saved at the end of the world. (2nd Helvetic Confession, 5.077)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE.....Ashley Lee
 Immediately following the children's message, the children will be escorted to our preschool building with Carolyn Haug for Sunday School. Please pick children up in the youth building after the service.

ELF ON THE SHELF.....Jeff Davis

Δ PRAISE SONG
 "Glory in the Highest"

PRAYER.....Don Brice
 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING (coins will go to 3-Cents-Per-Meal)
 Offertory
 Δ Doxology #166 & Prayer of Dedication

Contemporary Worship

11:15am

COUNTDOWN
 WELCOME.....Shaun Hartsell
 ADVENT READING
 The Haldane Family

Δ GATHERING SONG
 "Take It All"

Searching the world
 The lost will be found
 In freedom we live
 As one we cry out
 You carried the cross
 You died and rose again
 My God
 I'll only ever give my all

Δ PRAISE SONG
 "Hosanna/Praise is Rising"

Praise is rising
 Eyes are turning to You
 We turn to You
 Hope is stirring
 Hearts are yearning for You
 We long for You

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE.....Ashley Lee
 Immediately following the children's message, the children will be escorted to our preschool building with Carolyn Haug & Ashley Lee for Children's Church. They will return to the Sanctuary during the closing song.

ELF ON THE SHELF.....Jeff Davis

Δ OFFERING SONG
 "Glory in the Highest"

You are the first, You go before
 You are the last, Lord You're the encore
 Your name's in lights for all to see
 The starry host declare Your glory

Δ PRAISE SONG
 "10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"

Bless the Lord O my soul
 O my soul, Worship His holy name
 Sing like never before, O my soul
 I'll worship Your holy name

PRAYER.....Billy Madden

MESSAGE

"The Rooms of Christmas:
 The Waiting Room"
 Scripture: Luke 21: 25 - 36 (p 1636)



Shaun Hartsell

COMMUNION (intinction)

Δ HYMN.....p244
 "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus"

Δ BENEDICTION.....Shaun Hartsell

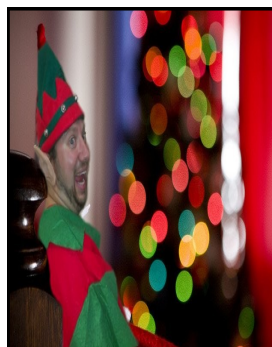
COMMUNION (intinction)

Δ CLOSING SONG
 "Your Grace is Enough"

Δ CHARGE.....Shaun Hartsell

Δ Please stand if able and willing. If not, lift your voices high!

Upcoming Events



ADVENT SEASON

Join us for Advent as we go room to room to prepare for the birth of a Savior! **Starting today**, enjoy the antics of the LIVE and silly Elf on the Shelf during each worship service (10:00am blended or 11:15am contemporary).

"Waiting Room" - Sunday, December 2nd
 "Choir Room" - Sunday, December 9th
 "Dining Room" - Sunday, December 16th
 "Living Room" - Sunday, December 23rd

Also, please mark your calendars for **Mon, 12/24**, for the Children's Service (5:30pm) & Candlelight/Communion Service (7:00pm).



SENIOR MINISTRY

Everyone is encouraged to mark your calendars for an evening of laughter, good friends, and dinner at the PCH+ annual Christmas party **tonight, Sunday, December 2nd, 6:30pm**. This event will feature a white elephant gift exchange and pot luck dinner. Please bring a dish to share and a wrapped gift that is \$10 or less. Free childcare will be provided at this church-wide event, sponsored by the Senior Ministry. Contact Diana Sprague with questions: dianasprague84@yahoo.com.



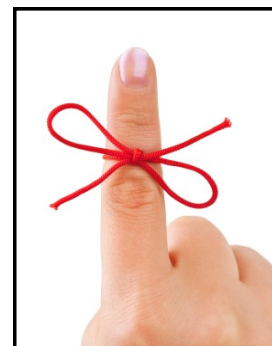
STUDENT MINISTRY

Get ready for candy, frosting and everything that screams holidays! The SrHi, Elementary, & and nursery holiday parties will be **Weds, Dec 19th from 6:30-8:00pm**. The Epic MidHi party will be on **Fri, Dec 21st from 4:00-5:30pm**. The college parties will divide into two time slots: **Weds, Dec 5th (8pm)** will be our XA party for those who are leaving Lakeland for the holidays—we will be meeting at Starbucks. Then a Christmas party will be held on **Dec 19th, 8:00pm**. Lakeside Chilis for all returning college students. We hope all students will come out and get into the Christmas Spirit with us! For info on participation or how YOU can donate holiday treats for the events, contact Jeff: cedirector@pchighlands.com or 646-3121.



HOLIDAY POINSETTIAS

Help bring some Christmas cheer to our sanctuary by purchasing a holiday poinsettia. The cost for plants will be \$11 again this year. You may take the plants home following the Christmas Eve worship service. Donors names & dedications will be listed in the bulletin. Order forms are located on the perforated portion of today's bulletin. Your completed form can be placed in the offering plate or submitted to the church office. For more information, please contact Lynn Schindler: larschindler@gmail.com.



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Don't forget! A Congregational Meeting will be held on **Sun, Dec 9, 2012, after the 10:00am worship service, but no sooner than 10:45am**. The purpose of the meeting is to elect four (4) Elders to the Class of 2015 and one (1) Elder to the Class of 2013. The 2012 PCH Nominating Committee will present a slate of nominees for the positions to be elected by the congregation. Please note that if a member plans to make a nomination from the floor, the nominee must have been contacted to confirm that s/he is willing and able to serve.

Your Staff

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Your Elders

Class of 2012
 Holly Bishop.....Missions
 Jim Dayvault.....Personnel
 Linda Hudson.....Ministry of Care
 Diana Long.....Ministry of Care

Elder
 of the
 Month



Holly
 Bishop

Class of 2013
 Bob Haug.....Student Ministries
 Ann Mathison.....Admin/ Financial
 Lynn Schindler.....Worship Arts
 Jack Vogt.....Facilities & Grounds

Class of 2014
 Don Bennett.....Facilities & Grounds
 Eric Phillips.....Adult Ministries
 Steve Rodeffer.....Worship Arts
 Ann Wortman.....Clerk of Session

This Week @ PCH

Sunday	December 2, 2012
9:00am-10:00am	Adult Sunday School
10:00am-11:00am	Blended Worship
10:00am-11:00am	Student SS
10:45am-11:15am	Coffee & Fellowship
11:15am-12:00pm	Adult SS & Children's Church
11:15am-12:00pm	Contemporary Worship
12:00pm-1:00pm	Worship Arts Team Meeting
6:30pm-9:00pm	Senior Ministry Christmas Party
7:20pm-8:20pm	1st and 10 College & Career
Monday	December 3, 2012
2:00pm	Announcement Deadline
6:30pm-8:30pm	Session Budget Meeting
Tuesday	December 4, 2012
10:00am-11:00am	Weekly Pastor's Staff Meeting
7:00pm-8:00pm	AA meeting
Wednesday	December 5, 2012
9:30am-11:30am	MOMS
6:30pm-8:00pm	Small Groups: Adult Coed, Men's, Women's, & Working Women's
6:30pm-8:00pm	Lifeline High School Ministry
6:30pm-8:00pm	Pathfinders Elementary Ministry
8:00pm-9:00pm	Connect College/Career Ministry
Thursday	December 6, 2012
8:15am-3:30pm	Presbytery Meeting
7:00pm-8:00pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
8:30pm-9:30pm	Praise Team Rehearsal
Friday	December 7, 2012
4:00pm-5:30pm	Epic Middle School Ministry
Saturday	December 8, 2012
Sunday	December 9, 2012
9:00am-10:00am	Adult Sunday School
10:00am-11:00am	Blended Worship
10:00am-11:00am	Student SS
10:45am-11:15am	Congregational Meeting
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7:20pm-8:20pm	1st and 10 College & Career

Want to Join?



Complete below, tear off,
 and place in the offering plate.

Name(s): _____

Contact Information: _____

"Yes! I want to join the church!"

Flower Order Form

Please write a check payable for \$25 to PCH with "Flower Donation" in the memo section. Also, complete the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

Name(s): _____

- In Memory of...
 In Grateful Appreciation of...
 In Celebration of...

Date To Display: _____

Check #: _____

I'd like to sign-up for...

Please place in offering plate and you will be contacted by a member of our team.

Name: _____

Contact Info: _____

- Children's Choir (Wednesdays)
 Senior Ministry Christmas Party (Sunday December 2nd)
 Student Ministry Christmas Party

