

January 2019

Birthdays

01/05 Cecilia Richards
 01/10 David Kolb
 01/12 Nancy Thomas (Mayfield)
 01/13 Jimmy Haithcock
 01/16 Bailey Johns
 01/20 Ivana Hunt
 01/23 Kylie Ward
 01/28 Susan Edmonston,
 Dorse Townson
 01/29 Patsy Doty, Jim Stoltz
 01/30 Darren Matranga
 01/31 David Fife

Anniversaries

01/02 Tim & Rebecca Sawyer
 01/08 Jim & Valerie Little

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), <i>Sanctuary</i> 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, <i>Grace Center</i> 6:30pm—Praise Band Practice, <i>Sanctuary</i>	3 6pm, Children's Ministry Meeting, <i>Grace Center</i>	4 7pm, Celebrate Recovery, <i>Agape Center</i>	5
6 Nursery: Susan Griffith & Kathy Maillet 3yr-Kind: Christina Bordelon 1st-3rd Grade: Lori Wallace	7 6pm, Care and Share, <i>Gathering Room</i>	8	9 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), <i>Sanctuary</i> 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, <i>Grace Center</i> 11:30am, Primetimer's, <i>Phil's Marina Cafe</i> 6:30pm—Praise Band Practice, <i>Sanctuary</i>	10 11am—Prayer Shawl, <i>Grace Center</i>	11 7pm, Celebrate Recovery, <i>Agape Center</i>	12 8:30am, CCC Food Distribution, <i>Precious Pearls Parking Lot</i>
13 Nursery: Joyce Branaman & 3yr-Kind: Peggy Colon 1st-3rd Grade: Stephanie Sherlock 12:00pm, Confirmation class starts	14	15 6pm, Finance Meeting, <i>Grace Center</i> 7pm, Church Council, <i>Agape Center</i>	16 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), <i>Sanctuary</i> 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, <i>Grace Center</i> 6:30pm—Praise Band Practice, <i>Sanctuary</i>	17 7pm—Men's Group, <i>Gathering Room</i> 7pm—Ladies Ministry Team, <i>Agape Center</i>	18 7pm, Celebrate Recovery, <i>Agape Center</i>	19
20 Nursery: Dee Dee Mullins & Catherine Marino 3yr-Kind: Becky Pecot 1st-3rd Grade: Renee DiVincenti	21	22	23 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), <i>Sanctuary</i> 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, <i>Grace Center</i> 6:30pm—Praise Band Practice, <i>Sanctuary</i>	24 11am—Prayer Shawl, <i>Grace Center</i>	25 7pm, Celebrate Recovery, <i>Agape Center</i>	26
27 Nursery: Charlotte Calandro & 3yr-Kind: Irene Wenner 1st-3rd Grade: Carol Fife	28	29	30 9:30am—POP (Power of Prayer), <i>Sanctuary</i> 10am—"Sunday's Scriptures" Bible Study, <i>Grace Center</i> 6:30pm—Praise Band Practice, <i>Sanctuary</i>	31		



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Breakfast of Champions Food Drive

Be a Champion against hunger in the New Year with our Breakfast of Champions Food Drive. The Ladies Ministry Team is sponsoring this mission during the month of January. The last day of the Food Drive, will end on Super Bowl Sunday. Please bring your nonperishable breakfast items to the Gathering Room table by the Coffee Station, and they will then be delivered to Pearl River Second Harvest Food Bank for distribution in the community.

Children's Ministry Team January 3rd



The Children's Ministry Team will have their first meeting of the new year on **Thursday, January 3rd at 6:00pm**, in the Grace Center. Come help us make plans for our children and youth of our congregation in 2019. Hope to see you all there. If you have any questions, please feel free to give Susan Kolb a call at 985-788-3790 or Valerie Little at 985-285-9117.



Care & Share Support Group

Join Rev. Cindy Kaupp, JB and Becky Brown on **January 7th at 6pm**, for a time of sharing, listening, and prayer. If you have something weighing on your heart that you feel you need to talk about and get some loving support, join Rev. Cindy, Becky and JB for this monthly gathering. All discussions kept confidential.

Primetimers to Meet Wednesday, January 9th

The PrimeTimers group will meet on **Wednesday, January 9th**, immediately following the "Sunday Scriptures" Bible Study. Everyone is invited to join them for lunch at Phil's Marina Café, 1194 Harbor Drive, Slidell. If you have any questions, please give Marsha Felder a call at 985-290-5366.

Pearl River Feeding Ministry January 12th



Join our Missions Team at 9am on **Saturday, January 12th**, as they hand out food boxes at the old Precious Pearls parking lot on Hwy. 41. This is a much-needed mission in our community. New volunteers are always welcome. For more info, call Jerry or Marsha Felder at 985-290-5366

Pride
Envy
Gluttony
Lust
Anger
Greed
Sloth

Coming is January - "The Seven Deadly Sins: 2019 Edition!"

You know what they are: Anger, Gluttony, Lust, and the rest. But do we 21st century people have anything to learn from this ancient list of the Deadliest Sins? Yes, indeed we do - these vices still have a tight hold on our hearts. So join us, beginning Sunday, January 6th at 10:00am as we connect these ancient sins with modern ways to stay on God's path, as a New Year begins!

2019 Confirmation Class Begins January 13th

Do you know a young person in the sixth or seventh grades who is ready to make a commitment to living as a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ? Then you may know someone ready to be confirmed in the United Methodist Church! Pearl River UMC's 2019 confirmation class will begin on **Sunday, January 13th immediately following worship in the Agape Center**, and be confirmed as full members on Palm Sunday. In Confirmation, those who have been baptized declare their faith in Christ, they learn about Christianity and about our Methodist heritage, and they are received into the church as full members in Sunday worship. If your son or daughter is ready to "claim the name" of Christ for themselves, please contact pastor Susie or Pastor Cindy at 985-863-7452. or e-mail at pastor@prumc.net.

Men's Covenant Group Thursday, January 17th



Join Rudi Polderman and the men of our congregation as they share time in fellowship and study. If you have something you would like to share, please join them in the Gathering Room at 7:00pm on Thursday, January 17th.



Ladies Ministry Meeting Thursday, January 17th

Come join the ladies of our congregation for a light meal and a brief devotional on **Thursday, January 17th @ 6:30pm in the Agape Center**. We will be discussing our spring calendar. Bring your ideas and suggestions. Women of all ages are welcome!!