RICH ENOUGH TO GIVE?

OCTOBER 25, 2026
CLASSIC WORSHIP | 8:45AM & 10:00AM

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2 CORINTHIANS 8:1-15
REV. DAVID NEUEN

What does it mean to be rich? Paul's words in 2 Corinthians invite us to explore how Christian discipleship reshapes our understanding of abundance, inviting us to share what we have so that others may experience the richness of God's love.

WELCOME!
We are so glad you're here!

WORSHIP TIMES

CLASSIC WORSHIP Sundays at 8:45 & 10:00am in the Sanctuary.
NEWDAY PRAISE WORSHIP Sundays at 10:00am in the Worship Annex.
YOUTH WORSHIP Wednesdays at 7:00pm in room 200.
LIVE STREAM *at pumc.tv*

KIDS AND YOUTH

INFANT AND TODDLERS Care is provided in room 127 from 8:30–11:00am.
PRESCHOOLERS Room 207 at 10am.
K–GRADE 5 Room 203 at 10am.
GRADES 6–12 Small groups meet in room 200 at 10am.

ADULT SMALL GROUPS

Find adult small groups and classes at ***pumc.org/groups***

KIDS@PUMC WEEKDAY PROGRAMS

PRESCHOOL AGES 1–5 Email Charity Aton at ***caton@pumc.org***
KIDS CONNECTION GRADES K–5 Email McKenzie Smalley at ***msmalley@pumc.org***

PASTOR AND STAFF APPRECIATION MONTH

October is Pastor and Staff Appreciation Month! Be sure to stop by the Staff Parish Relations Committee (SPRC) table in the lobby to write a note of appreciation.

JOB OPPORTUNITY We are looking for an Office Assistant to provide administrative support to the church's ministry while ensuring a smooth, organized, and inviting office environment. Learn more and apply at ***pumc.org/jobs***

CONSECRATION SUNDAY Today we will commit ourselves to generosity for the coming year, offering thanks for God's blessings, and responding with joyful giving that reflects the abundance of God's provision. Pastries and refreshments are available in the Main Lobby to celebrate.

YOUTH HALLOWEEN PARTY Get ready for a fun night on October 25 at 7pm! Learn more and register at ***pumc.org/registrations***

TRUNK OR TREAT ***We need cake donations!*** Enjoy a fun evening filled with candy, costumes, and community on Thursday, October 29 from 5–7pm. Candy donations can be made in the Main Office and at the Kids Desk inside door 1. Register to attend, host a trunk, and support the event through serving opportunities at ***pumc.org/registrations***

CARE PACKAGES Join us on Sunday, November 1 at 11:15am in the Worship Annex to assemble care packages and write cards for young adults. Learn more and register at ***pumc.org/registrations***

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS The Stephen Ministers will host a single–session on Sunday, November 15 and Tuesday, December 1 about the challenges after the loss of a loved one, particularly during the holiday season. Register at ***pumc.org/registrations***

WEST CENTRAL PLAINS DISTRICT CHARGE CONFERENCE We are exited to be hosting the Charge Conference on Saturday, November 21 from 2–4pm. Churches and their leadership teams from our district get together for this annual meeting.

A TIME TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE
Andante Pastorale — by Charles E. Stephens
Nick Fennig, organ

* **GREETING**

* **HYMN UMH 98**
To God Be the Glory

* **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Liturgist: Beloved, when hope is high, abundance surrounds us, and we bask in the goodness of God's provision, God calls to us...
People: Open your heart and your hands.
Liturgist: When disaster strikes, need overwhelms the senses, and we carry the weight and worry of a perilous present and unknown future, God calls to us...
People: Open your heart and your hands.
Liturgist: When we are moved with compassion, our hearts urging us to reach out to support our siblings in Christ, God calls to us...
People: Open your heart and your hands.
Liturgist: Children of God, as we gather for worship today, listen! God call us to serve one another in need and in abundance.
People: Lord God grant us open hearts and open hands as we learn to give generously as the Body of Christ.

* **HYMN UMH 399**
Take My Life, and Let It Be

OPENING PRAYER

WELCOME

ANTHEM
Trust and Obey — arr. Michael Helman
Sanctuary Bells

A TIME FOR PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE — 2 Corinthians 8:1–15

ANTHEM
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name — arr. Patti Drennan
Sanctuary Choir & Daniel Lawson, piano

MESSAGE
Rich Enough to Give? — Rev. David Neuen

HYMN UMH 87
What Gift Can We Bring

GIVING IN GRATITUDE

A RESPONSE OF THANKS AND PRAISE

* **CLOSING HYMN UMH 117**
O God, Our Help in Ages Past — vv 1–4

* **DISMISSAL & BLESSING**

* **POSTLUDE**
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty — setting by Craig Phillips

(*) asterisk indicates time for persons, who are able, to stand.

DIVE DEEPER

2 CORINTHIANS 8:1-15

Sunday, October 25

Open It: What does it feel like to have enough?

Explore It: What stands out to you about the Macedonian churches' generosity? Paul points to Jesus, who became poor so that others might become rich. What do you think he means?

Get It: How does following Jesus reshape our understanding of what it means to be rich? How do you measure abundance? How does your definition change how you live?

Apply It: Ask yourself: "Am I using what I have in a way that reflects God's generosity?"

WHAT'S NEXT

THE GREATESTS AMONG YOU

MATTHEW 23:1-12

Sunday, November 1

Focus: Jesus redefines the qualities of a legacy of greatness.

VITALS - BASIC BUDGET

10/18/2026	$8,097
Year-to-date	$804,826
Previous year-to-date	$839,269

PRAISE & PRAYER

Please pray for our Community Partners
- Charter Senior Living of Hobbs Station
- Jessica Elston, President, Plainfield School Board

CALENDAR: OCTOBER 25-31

SUNDAY

Classic Worship	8:45 a • S
Kids Sunday School	9:30 a • 203
Classic Worship	10:00 a • S
NewDay Praise Worship	10:00 a • A
Revelation Class	10:00 a • L
Ordinary People Class	10:00 a • W
Rewired Class	10:00 a • K
Genesis Class	10:00 a • 101
Youth Small Group	10:15 a • 200
Youth Band Practice	11:10 a • Y
F.U.N. Class	11:15 a • K
IGNITE Halloween Party	7:00 p • Y
Girl Scouts	2:30 p • ML

MONDAY

Homeless Meal Prep	1:00 p • Ki
Homeless Meal Delivery	5:00 p • O
Sanctuary Bells Rehearsal	6:30 p • B
Threshold Singers Rehearsal	7:15 p • M

TUESDAY

Tuesday Morning Prayer Group	10:00 a • W
Discipleship Team Meeting	6:00 p • L
Cub Scouts Pack Meeting	7:00 p • A

WEDNESDAY

Youth Worship	7:00 p • Y

THURSDAY

Trunk or Treat	5:00 p • Parking Lot
Praise Team Rehearsal	7:30 p • A

FRIDAY

Friday Morning Bible Study	9:45 a • K

SATURDAY

Mission Sewing	9:00 a • K
Last Saturday Lunch	11:15 a • A

Calendar Legend: A=Worship Annex, B=Bell Room, K=Koinonia Room, Ki=Kitchen, L=Library, M=Music Room, ML=Main Lobby, MR=Multiple Rooms, O=Off-site, S=Sanctuary, W=Wesley Room, Y=Youth Room

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