## TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored that you have chosen to spend your morning with us. We hope you find us a friendly Christian family, sincere in our desire to understand God's will and show His love. Our primary goal is to resemble, as closely as possible, the original church described in the New Testament.

The entire congregation can join in every song. Our singing is a cappella, meaning we sing with just our voices. The prayers you hear are from the speaker's heart, not read or memorized from a book. Participation in any part of worship is completely voluntary. You are welcome to simply listen if you so choose.

Are you wondering how you can become a member of the Port Charlotte Church of Christ? Give your name and phone number to one of the elders or the preacher. Someone will contact you as soon as possible.

# **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

# **Sunday**

Bible Study	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
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# SCRIPTURE FOR THE DAY

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven."

Matthew 5:16

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Join us for a one-hour **Christmas cruise** out of Fishermen's Village. The boat, *Charlotte Lady*, will depart this Friday at 6:00 p.m., but please arrive by 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$35.00 and can be purchased online at www.kingfisherfleet.com.

Wednesday, December 31, will be our **fifth Wednesday singing**. Immediately afterward, we will have a **game night** in the fellowship hall. Please bring a snack to share. You can ring in the new year with your church family!

Samuel Pettigrew and Kyla Tolbert will be married on Saturday, January 3, in Murfreesboro, AR. If you would like to purchase a gift for them, please use the QR code on the bulletin board to view their gift registry.

The Mount Dora Children's Home is holding two fundraising events: the **Change for Children** campaign, which runs through January 4, and a **benefit dinner** on Saturday, January 10, at 5:30 p.m. at the Carlisle Inn in Sarasota. Please see the bulletin board for details on how to RSVP.

The annual **congregational meeting** to vote on church officers will be held on Wednesday, January 7, before Bible study.

The 53<sup>rd</sup> Avenue church in Bradenton is hosting an **area-wide singing** on Sunday, January 18, at 6:00 p.m.

The Florida School of Preaching will host its **annual lectureship** from January 19–22. Details are posted on the bulletin board.

#### PRAYER LIST

Tim Abbott - looking for a new job "B" Bates - needs prayers **Connie Jones** - finished physical therapy **David Nash** - needs prayers Heather Nash - personal and health issues Tony and Heidi Orellana - missionaries, Heidi is recovering from surgery Leah Ray - recovering from foot surgery Bambi Rossi - needs prayers Jerry Sidock - needs prayers Wendy Sileo - health issues **Donna Snipes** - needs prayers Mike Tuell - macular degeneration Linda Warren - health and housing issues Our family and friends: Alyssa Aguire; Cheryl Bolduc; David Booth; Betty Clark; J.J. Donaldson; Tom Fendon; Oscar Gavin; Carolyn Hall; Rodney Jean-Bart and family; Marian Minor; Barbara Panno; Matt Paula; Jamie Pendergrass; Linda Pendergrass; Alicia Price; Ronnie; Brittany Stewart; Marsha Urumoglu; Wesley Ward; Sean Warren;

OUR RECORD		
Sunday Bible Study	52	
Sunday Worship	80	
Wednesday Bible Study	47	
CONTRIBUTION		
Last Week	\$3616	
Budget	\$3747	

Charles West; Jane Westlake

## THOSE WHO SERVE

# **BIBLE STUDY**

**Opening Prayer:** Tom Akins

#### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

Announcements: Phil Degelia
Song Leader: Daniel Snipes
Opening Prayer: Tim Simmons
Lord's Table: Roland Snipes
Assist: Dean Rosser
Assist: Opie Opatola
Assist: Don Smithbauer
Assist: Jeff Kiel
Sermon: Bryan Winn

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING

**Closing Praver:** Mike Tuell

**Building Security:** Mike Fox

Announcements: Ron Akers Song Leader: Karter Tolbert Opening Prayer: B.J. Robbins Closing Prayer: Roland Snipes

# BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

#### **Birthdays**

December 14 - Kimberly Winn December 16 - Susan Chitwood

#### **Anniversaries**

December 14 - Gary and Diane Finley