

# SUNDAY WORSHIP NOVEMBER 15, 2015



**"WAKE UP, SLEEPER,  
RISE FROM THE DEAD,  
AND CHRIST WILL SHINE ON YOU."**

- EPHESIANS 5:14



## THE PEOPLES CHURCH

200 W. Grand River Ave. | East Lansing, MI 48823  
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### SUNDAY MORNING

**8:30 a.m.**

Worship Service, Chapel

**9:30 a.m.**

Adult Sunday School  
Christmas Program Rehearsal  
\*Confirmation Class  
PCYG Open Hang Out  
Peoples Forum

**10:30 a.m.**

Worship Service, Sanctuary  
\*Children's Sunday School

**11:30 a.m.**

Coppertone Rehearsal  
\*Lunch & Lounge | Campus Ministry  
\*Dance 149

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### WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE!

**5:30 p.m.**

Community Meal

**6:00 p.m.**

Youth Choir Rehearsal

**6:30 p.m.**

Art as Worship | Adult Formation  
Uganda | Adult Formation  
Holy Moly | Children's Education  
Peoples Church Youth Group  
Yoga Class

*\*Off This Week*

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## COUNCIL OF ELDERS

Elders meet at 7 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Robertson Room.

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## BE SURE TO VISIT THE ANNUAL YOUTH GROUP CAKE AUCTION IN FRIENDSHIP HALL FOLLOWING TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE.

Proceeds will benefit PCYG's 2016 summer mission trip to the Adirondack Mountains.

## SEMINARIAN SUNDAY

Sunday **NOV. 22** is Seminary Support Sunday at The Peoples Church. Our Campus Minister and UCC seminarian, Betsy Aho, will preach and a special offering will be collected to benefit her education expenses.



## WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE!

5:30 P.M. COMMUNITY MEAL

**NOV. 18** | Tacos & Taco Salad with all the fixings, Chips & Cheese, Seasonal Fruits, Ice Cream and Frozen Yogurt.



## MAKE A GIFT ONLINE

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.

**ALL ARE WELCOME** | *Whether you are young or old, rich or poor, doubtful or hopeful ... no matter where you are in your faith journey, YOU are welcome here. For those with children, be assured that noises and wiggling are signs of a church that is alive and growing; your entire family is welcome in worship.*

## ORDER OF WORSHIP | NOVEMBER 15, 2015

### **Prelude**

"Timbrel and Dance"

*Coppertone Ringers directed by Elizabeth Reed*

### **Welcome to The Peoples Church!**

Rev. Drew Filkins  
Jacob Gates, Youth Director

### **Call to Worship**

Zoe Aho, PCYG

Leader: Holy Lord,

**People: Let us witness your greatness.**

Leader: When we turn away,

**People: We are absent from your glory.**

Leader: But you never turn away from us,

**People: Thank you gracious God for always pursuing us.**

### **Liturgical Dance**

"Breathe"

The Brilliance

*Dance 149 directed by Jodi Cook*

### **Gathering Hymn**

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

**No. 39**

*(Please stand if able.)*

### **Procession of the Light of Christ** (10:30 a.m.)

### **Dedication of Shoeboxes** (10:30 a.m.)

### **Prayer of Confession**

Jessie Mitchell, PCYG

**Awesome God, we ignore you, even though we know we should turn to you in times of need. We think we can solve our own problems, even though we know that we need your love to help guide us. Please forgive us for not acknowledging your presence, your power, and your love. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.**

### **Celebration of Holy Communion** (8:30 a.m.)

**Children's Moment** (10:30 a.m.)

Karli Gonzales, Bronwynn Kewin, Ethan Phillips,  
Zoe Aho, Mia Manolakoudis, Henry Sparrow

**Passing the Peace of Christ** *(Please stand if able.)*

Kelsey Mongoven, PCYG

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

**New Testament Reading**

Ephesians 5:8-14

Isaac Pratt, PCYG

(Pew Bible Page 1,176, Large Print Page 1,780)

**Anthem**

"Our God"

Redman, Myrin, Tomlin, Reeves

Youth Choir directed by Elizabeth Reed

**Prayers of the People**

Lily Callis, PCYG

*(During the pastoral prayer there will be a time to offer prayers of joy and concern, voiced aloud or silently for and on behalf of others.)*

**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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading**

Hosea 11:1-9

Christian & Claire Lundy, PCYG

(Pew Bible Page 905, Large Print Page 1,374)

**PCYG Video Presentation**

**Director/Videographer/Editor:** Jessie Mitchell

**Writers:** PCYG High Schoolers

**Actors:** Katie Miller-Purrenhage, Jacob Rust, Kelton Reedy, Lochlyn Reed, Lily Callis

**Sermon**

"Untiring Love"

Rev. Drew Filkins

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**Thanksgiving and Dedication of Gifts**

**Offertory**

"Architecture"

Jonathon Thulin

Kelsey Mongoven