

Palma Ceia United Methodist Church

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Ministers Dr. Kevin M. James, Sr. and Rev. Larry E. Cook

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USHER CAPTAIN: Henry Bennafield (8:30)
Britt Bell

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GREETERS: Xtreme Youth

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ACOLYTES: Jackie Peate, Courtney Chalmers

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Sunday, May 30	Monday, May 31
8:30 Worship Service	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
9:15 – Contemporary Service, "The Gathering" – Fel. Hall	9:30 Prayer Group – Par. I
9:15 Sunday School	Wednesday, June 2
10:30 Bible Study – Par. I	No Wonderful Wednesday
10:30 Worship Service	Thursday, June 3
6:00 Youth	8:30 M.O.M.S. Bible Study
	Saturday, June 5
	7:30 Bible Study/Breakfast - Perkins
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 30, 2010

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COMFORTABLE SUNDAYS: With the Florida summer heat upon us, you are invited to dress in appropriately comfortable clothing as you attend church worship.

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAYS The next dinner/program will be July 7th, however, the Xtreme Youth will still be meeting on Wednesdays. Mark your calendars and join us for great fun and fellowship.

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VOLUNTEER CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED! We have many young children in our church who come to Sunday School on Sunday mornings and to Wednesday night programs. We need: a Sunday morning substitute at 9:15 a.m., a teacher at 10:30 a.m. and a Wednesday night 6:30 p.m. Pebbles teacher. For more info call Patti DiOssi at Home 253-2766, Cell 787-4708, or patti.diossi@verizon.net Thank you! ☺

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TEXT: Psalm 8

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