

**DECEMBER 2025 CALENDAR**  
**PORT BYRON FIRST UMC EVENTS & MEETINGS**  
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**Church Office Hours: 8:00 AM-Noon on Monday & Wednesday;  
8:00-10:00AM on Thursday**

**Pastor Krey's Cell #309-226-3327 Pastor Krey's Sabbath is:**

**Pastor Becky's Cell #309-292-2287 Pastor Becky's Sabbath is: Friday**

As with any schedule, changes occur. Please refer to the bulletin and weekly eblast  
announcements for updates.

**If you need anything church related, please contact Pastor Becky, Nikki, or Kathy until further notice.**

Pastor Becky: 309-292-2287

Nikki Stuart: 309-738-8099

Kathy Mahraun: 646-729-3919

**Every Wednesday**, GROW: a faith community for youth in grades 6-12. Doors open at 6:30pm, Dinner 7:00 pm, Discipleship Activities 7:30-8:30pm.

**Every Sunday**-Discipleship Groups for PreK-12th Grade 9:30 am-10:15 am

***\*If you/your family/your friend would like to be an Advent reader, please let Pastor Becky know!***

**Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, and Tuesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>**-Christmas Traditions Candy Making! 6 pm. A great time of fellowship for all ages! You may even get a sample or two!

**Wednesday, December 3**-Informational meeting for the Youth Summer Service Youth Trip. 6 pm. We have 20 youth spots reserved!

**Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>** Christmas Traditions 9-noon! Tiny Tour of Homes-Create a gingerbread house based on your favorite storybook to be put on display! Christmas Traditions Home Tour 10 am-1 pm.

**Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>**-Communion Sunday during worship

**Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup>**-P3 2-4:30pm

**Monday, December 8<sup>th</sup>**-Angel Tree gifts due back to the church

**Tuesday, December 9<sup>th</sup>**-SPRC Meeting

**Wednesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**-Pastor Becky attends Upper Rock Island County Ministerial Association Lunch Meeting, noon at The Brothers

**Thursday, December 11<sup>th</sup>** - United Women in Faith are meeting at the church at 11:30. Bring a snack to share. All women of the church are invited. **\*\*Please note the change in date and time\*\***

**Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>**-Children collect Noisy Offering for Missions after Children's Moment

**Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup>**-1<sup>st</sup> Day of Hanukkah

**Sunday, December 21<sup>st</sup>**-Kids Korner after the Children's Message

**Wednesday, December 24<sup>th</sup>**-Christmas Eve Celebration Service 7 pm. We will have a time of fellowship following the service.

If the 7 pm time does not work for you, or you prefer a quieter, more reflective Christmas Eve, the Sanctuary will be open and available until 10 pm for anyone to come and sit in the presence of God in that place, surrounded by the lights all aglow.

**Thursday, December 25<sup>th</sup>**-Saturday, January 3, 2026-Pastor Becky on vacation. Please contact Kathy Mahraun or Nikki Stuart with any emergencies.

**Sunday, December 28<sup>th</sup>**-Guest Lay Speaker, Mary Land from Christ UMC, East Moline

We're excited to announce our **2026 Summer Youth Service Trip to Detroit, Michigan**, to partner with **Motown Mission** as we serve and learn more about city and our neighbors who live there. We have 20 youth spots reserved for students in grades 8-12 for the week of July 19-25, 2026. See Pastor Becky for more information! Deposits and paperwork are due by February 1<sup>st</sup>. Incentives for those who register early!