

Calendar of Events

Sunday, January 11, 2026:

Baptism of the Lord Sunday

8:45 Fresh Start Host: Sharon Biddle & Brian Mather

9:30 **Worship Message:** Pastor Scott Racut

Liturgist: Jackie McLaughlin

Ushers: Tom & Erika Fulginiti

Counters: Jim Riha & Arlene Messenger

4:00 Bear Scout Meeting

Monday, January 12, 2026:

9:30 Women's Bible Study

7:00 Bible Study @ Bill & Jo Hudson's home

Tuesday, January 13, 2026:

7:00-8:00 Hallelujah Handbell Choir Rehearsal

7:00 Scout Troop 71

Wednesday, January 14, 2026:

8:00 Men's Fellowship Breakfast at Perry Family Diner

3:00 Prayer Time: Live streamed on Facebook and YouTube. The Sanctuary is open to all during prayer time.

4:00 Worship Team Practice

Friday, January 16, 2026:

7:00 Movie Night - The Chosen (season 5)

Free Popcorn & Soda

Sunday, January 18, 2026:

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

8:45 Fresh Start Host: Pam Thompson

9:30 **Worship Message:** Pastor Scott Racut

Liturgist: Arlene Messenger

Ushers: Tom & Erika Fulginiti

Counters: Margie Gibson & Jim Riha

4:00 Bear Scout Meeting

Announcements



PERRY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

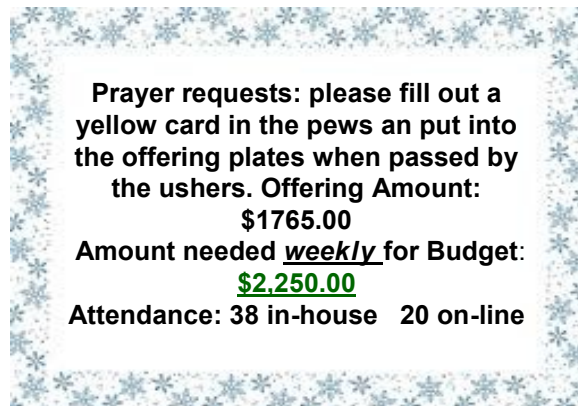
Friday night movies, 7:00 pm.

Every Friday Night starting January 16, 2026

Featured attraction: **THE CHOSEN** (season 5)

Open to the public, free popcorn & soda

3875 Main St., Perry, Ohio



Perry United Methodist Church



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Live streaming on YouTube

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Church Office Hours:

Monday 10a - 4p and Wednesday 10a - 4p

These are not the Pastor's office hours.

Welcome to Worship

**Stand to worship the Lord as you are able in body or in spirit*

GATHERING MUSIC/PRELUDE Brian Mather
BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Scott Racut

*CALL TO WORSHIP Jackie McLaughlin
L = Liturgist P = People

L: Let us kneel in the darkness,
P: Until we see God’s light emerge.
L: Let us wait with hope-filled hearts,
P: As Christ’s image grows within us and shows us life.
L: Let him speak to us and teach us love,
P: Until we open our hearts to be his home.

*OPENING PRAYER (Unison)
Most wonderful God, foolish and flawed though we are, we too delight in your beloved Son. As in his name, we gather in the house of many praises, may the heavens be opened for us, that we may catch a glimpse of that Light and Love that transforms our common days with a beauty not of our making. Through Christ, Jesus, our Lord. Amen!

*OPENING HYMN: “Open The Eyes of My Heart” VIDEO
By Paul Baloche
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MIGHTY MOMENT WITH OUR MINIS Miss Jackie

GIVING INVITATION: Pastor Scott Racut
USHERS: Tom & Erika Fulginiti

*RECEIVING OF THE GIFTS:
“PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW” UMH # 95
*DEDICATION OF THE GIFTS Pastor Scott Racut

SHARING OF PRAISES & PRAYERS Mary Jaques
Livestream CommUNITY Requests

*HYMN “The River” VIDEO
Colby Wedgeworth, Jordan Feliz, Joshua Silverberg
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SCRIPTURE READINGS: Isaiah 42: 1-9 Jackie McLaughlin
Acts 10: 34-43
Matthew 3: 13-17

MESSAGE: “Baptismal Glory” Pastor Scott Racut

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

*CLOSING HYMN “Lord of the Dance” UMH # 261

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE ~ Go in Peace and Live in Love! ~ Brian Mather
Anyone needing additional Prayer, please join Mary at the front of the church after service.

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