

HEALING PRAYER SERVICES

We offer a healing service quarterly. This is a special time of prayer, praise music, communion, testimonies, and a special message with scriptural guidance. At the end of communion, prayer teams are available around the sanctuary to offer prayers for your concerns.

This is a Christian healing service presented in the sanctuary because we believe Jesus authorized us to pray and heal each other. In Matthew 11: 7-8 Jesus tells us: *“Go and announce to them that the Kingdom of Heaven is near. Heal the sick, raise the dead, cure those with leprosy and cast out demons. Give as freely as you have received!”* and in Matthew 28: 18 He gives us authority: *“I have been given complete authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.”* We ARE his disciples, and we follow his teachings.

We understand we cannot heal anyone, but the healing comes from God’s Holy Spirit. Nor are we counselors, but we can guide ones in need to the Great Counselor, Jesus Christ. Through Jesus and the Holy Spirit, come spiritual, emotional, physical healing.

Before the service, you are encouraged to enter the first names of those for whom you wish prayers in our Prayer Book. Prayers will be offered during the service as well as through the week by team members.

Our healing prayers are ecumenical as our team members come from more than one Christian denomination.

Everyone is welcome and no financial request is made.

We have witnessed powerful healing, not just physical, but spiritual and emotional as well. Come join us and feel His power.

Announcements of dates and times of these services are in the church bulletins and on the PUMC homepage.

Again, childcare is offered.