

# Blue Water

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**November 28<sup>th</sup> Update**

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**EVENTS/PROJECTS/OUTREACHES/SERVICES** – Let us know about your church happening here at Operation Transformation **by Monday each week at noon** and the information will go out in the weekly update. You can check future dates of upcoming events at <http://optrans.org/communitycal.html>. (Ctrl + Click to follow link)

**Small School Bus For Sale:** 2000 International School Bus, short version, 177,000 miles, uses diesel fuel, automatic transmission, air brakes, air ride, 11 seats, 28 ft. approximate length. The bus is in great shape, inside and out. For more information, please call Dale at 810-531-0430. The bus is located at 4223 State Rd.

**Pastor's Prayer** – EACH Thursday morning, 7:30 – 8:30 am at the MOC 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room.

**Thanksgiving Service** – The Community Thanksgiving Service was held last Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> at First Congregational Church. There was a wonderful spirit as 24 pastors (below) and 200 people attended the wonderful show of spiritual unity and praise to our Heavenly Father!



**WN Radio** is hosting an Open House for all pastors and their families in the Blue Water Area on **December 1<sup>st</sup>** from 10:00am – 1:00pm at WNFA/WNFR Studios (inside Ross Bible Church). For more information, please call Brian Smith, Station Director, at 1-800-989-9637 or email [brian@wnradio.com](mailto:brian@wnradio.com).

**Westhaven Baptist** is holding its annual Living Nativity on Friday, **December 2<sup>nd</sup>** and Saturday, **December 3<sup>rd</sup>** from 6:00-8:30pm. Soup, warm drinks and desserts will be provided inside. Also through December, donations of gloves, hats, scarves, and new socks are being collected for the men's shelter. For more information, please call 810-982-7331 or go to [www.westhavenbaptistchurch.net](http://www.westhavenbaptistchurch.net).

**The Polar Bear Plunge**, sponsored by Kiwanis Club of Port Huron, will be held on Saturday, **December 3<sup>rd</sup>**, at Lakeside Beach. For more information, please call Michelle Shepley at 810-434-2660.

**Hunter Hospitality House** will have its grand opening on Wednesday, **December 7<sup>th</sup>** from 12:00 to 2:00pm. It is located at 1010 Lincoln St., Port Huron, across from Port Huron Hospital. For more information, please call 810-987-3911 or visit their website [HunterHospitalityHouse@gmail.com](mailto:HunterHospitalityHouse@gmail.com). Refreshments will be provided.

**Salvation Army Christmas Sign-up** – Those in need can sign up for the Christmas Outreach at the Salvation Army November 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> and **December 9<sup>th</sup>** (all 9:00 am – 3:00 pm). **Volunteers are needed** to help as well. Call the Salvation Army to volunteer at 984-2679.

**Bridges out of Poverty** will be held Friday, **December 9<sup>th</sup>** at 9:00am – 4:00pm at SC4 Performing Arts Theater. Participants will review key lessons in dealing with individuals from poverty. For more information or to register, please call Alan Lewandowski at 810-982-8541 or email [lewandowskialan@caascc.org](mailto:lewandowskialan@caascc.org).

**DivorceCare: Surviving the Holidays** will be held on Saturday, **December 10<sup>th</sup>** from 10:00am – noon at Colonial Woods Missionary Church. The cost is \$5 per person or \$7 per family unit. Surviving the Holidays 4 Kids (ages 5-12) will run simultaneously. For more information, please call 984-5571 or email [val@colonialwoodsmc.com](mailto:val@colonialwoodsmc.com).

**3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Christmas Gala & Silent Auction**, sponsored by Woman's Life Chapter 757, on Monday, **December 12<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00pm at the PH Yacht Club, 213 Quay St., Port Huron. \$25/person; \$40/couple. RSVP by 12-5-11 by calling Barb Britz at 810-324-2253. Proceeds to benefit Blue Water Pregnancy Care Center.

**Prayer Meeting** – There is a monthly prayer meeting at Zion Tabernacle the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month from 6:00 pm to midnight. The dates are November 18<sup>th</sup> and **December 16<sup>th</sup>**. Zion is located at 3003 Moak St.

**Christmas Musical** – Colonial Woods will be having their annual Christmas Musical **December 16-18** at 7:30pm. The church is located at 3240 Pine Grove Ave. Call the church at 984-5571 for details.

**Blue Water Free Methodist** will be hosting Harbor Impact Day on Tuesday, **December 20<sup>th</sup>** from 9:00-11:00am. Free food, clothing, and general needs and supplies will be available. No proof of income is required. For more information, please contact Barbara Hanneke at 982-5312. There is also a free Spanish Class offered every Saturday from 10:00am-12:00pm by Tim Owens. Free Tutoring is also provided, call Elaine at 810-364-4117.

**New Life Christian Academy** presents *Let heaven and Nature Swing* – Christmas Concert – held at Colonial Woods Missionary Church in Port Huron on **December 20<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00pm. For more info, call 810-367-3770.

**Colonial Woods Missionary Church** will be hosting the Dave Ramsey Total Money Makeover Simulcast on Saturday, **March 17<sup>th</sup>** from 12:30-6:00pm. Tickets are \$39. For more information, please call Dwight Weber at 810-984-5571.

**Helping Hearts Thrift Shop & Donation Center**, 1503 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. in Port Huron, bringing quality and real savings together! Free clothing giveaway **every Saturday 11:00am-2:30pm**. For more information, call 810-985-8550.

**Francophone Ministries for Christ** – Office equipment and supplies are also needed. Call Franklin at 982-9399 for specific needs and details on the next trip going from the area.

**Cell Phones for Soldiers** – Operation Transformation is **accepting old cell phones, chargers and i-pods** to be used to buy phone cards for our military personnel. Drop off to 1904 Poplar St., PH during office hours.

**NOTARY PUBLIC** – OT Administrative Assistant Abby is now a Notary Public. This service is available should you need it. Call OT to make an appointment (as Abby is part-time).