



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2022
10:00 A.M.

OPENING WORSHIP SONG.....*“Oceans”*

WELCOME & INVOCATION.....*Jim Loeffler*

PRELUDE.....*“Blessed Assurance”*

THE TABLE (video)

PRAISE & WORSHIP.....*“Way Maker”*
“Holy Spirit Rain Down”

KID’S TALK & DISMISSAL.....*Adrienne Morton*

HYMN #369..... *“Blessed Assurance”*

PRAYER

APOSTLES’ CREED

SCRIPTURE (John 14:15-21; 26-27).....*Kevin May*

MESSAGE.....*Pastor Keith*

What Happens at Your Kitchen Table?
John 14:15-21;26-27

SOLO.....*“Come to the Table”.....Linda Morey*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

COMMUNION SONG.....*“A Place at the Table”*

BENEDICTION/BLESSING

EXIT SONG*“Enough”*



**In Sunday School TODAY:
Blind Bartameus**
We can call Jesus our friend.
(Mark 10:46-52; Psalm 40:1-3, 16)

Our Nursery



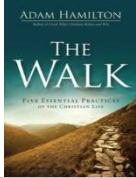
The nursery room is open! It is not staffed, as yet, so parents will need to stay in the nursery room. Masks are optional but encouraged. You will be able to view the worship service on the TV in the Fellowship Hall.



New **REGISTRATION CARD!** We are back to taking registration again. We would like all members and friends of the church to fill out the registration card that you were handed as you walked into worship today. Please drop it in the collection box as you leave today. **THANK YOU!**



LENT BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2! Beginning Wednesday, March 2, Pastor Keith will be starting a new Lenten Devotional Series – *Celtic Devotions for Lent*. So, stay tuned in on Wednesday mornings on Facebook @ 9:00 am or later on the app & website.



During the 6 weeks of Lent, the Bible Study, **The Walk** by Adam Hamilton will be offered. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex. The most requested time will be offered, so please sign up on the sheet or call the church office 899-5962 if you're interested in participating. **Times to choose from are: Wed @ 1:00 p.m. or 6:00 p.m. also on Sunday @ 6:00 p.m.**



MEN'S GAME NIGHT
March 8 @ 6:30 pm
We'll play corn hole and card games with light refreshments offered. Bring a friend!



Band of Brothers Bible Study
March 15 @ 6:30 pm
We'll start the new video Series 33 Volume 3, *A Man and His Traps*. All men are welcome!



Would you like to become part of the SHUMC family? Would you like to learn more about the Methodist denomination?

Anyone interested is invited to join in the **NEW MEMBERS' CLASS** on Saturday, March 26 from 9:00 am until noon. On Sunday, May 8 we will celebrate **all** new members (whether by Profession of Faith or by transfer) into the SHUMC family.

Please call the church office at 899-5962 if you are interested.



SHUMC plays a supportive role in the Summer Camp Program! We believe Christian-based camps provide events that have the Gospel of Jesus Christ at their heart and that Summer Camp is a place for kids to find themselves, meet new friends, and above all connect with God. Don't let finances deter you from registering as financial assistance is available for most campers. So please take a look at the brochures in the narthex. If you have any questions, please see Sue Fuller, Adrienne Morton, Julia Stranahan or LeAnne Morton.

If you go to www.wesleywoods.com and register by Feb. 28 and pay in full, they are offering \$50 off.



The men's chorus will sing on Sunday, March 13. Song choice is "Be Thou My Vision," an Irish hymn. Any man who enjoys singing with a choir is welcome. Practices (whichever is convenient for you) are **Thursdays @ 7:00 p.m. or Sunday directly after worship.**



The Annual Women's Retreat in Chautauqua will be held Friday, June 3rd through Sunday, June 5th.

COVID PROTOCOLS

As a leadership team, we are making decisions daily & will continue to do so regarding COVID protocols here at SHUMC. SO... We're asking a couple of things of you as you come to worship:

- 1) That people be mindful of responsible 'distancing' between family units
- 2) We are watching the School District for direction. We're still encouraging everyone to wear masks until the children are dismissed for Sunday School. Once the children are dismissed, you're welcome to take off your mask for the balance of the service.
- 3) We're asking that we all wear masks as we leave the sanctuary and return to our cars.

With love and care,

SHUMC



Please hit the "Like" button so we know that you are viewing! It helps us with our attendance to know who is watching.

What Happens at Your Kitchen Table?

John 14:15-21;26-27

Our lives seem to converge at the 'kitchen table.' Life's most important lessons are often learned at the 'kitchen table.'

John 14:15-21;26-27

¹⁵ "If you love me, keep my commands. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and **HE WILL give you another advocate to HELP YOU and BE WITH YOU FOREVER—** ¹⁷ **the Spirit of truth.** The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. **But you know him, FOR HE LIVES WITH YOU AND WILL BE IN YOU.** ¹⁸ I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. ¹⁹ Before long, the world will not see me anymore, but you will see me. **Because I live, you also will live.** ²⁰ On that day you will realize that **I am in my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you.** ²¹ Whoever has my commands and keeps them is the one who loves me. The one who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love them and show myself to them."

²⁶ **But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you.** ²⁷ **PEACE IS LEAVE WITH YOU --- MY PEACE I GIVE TO YOU. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.**

1. JESUS – GOD INCARNATE WILL RETURN TO HIS HEAVENLY THRONE UNTIL HE COMES AGAIN.
2. IN "MY PLACE" GOD WILL SEND AN ADVOCATE --- ANOTHER OF THE TRINITY --- THE HOLY SPIRIT ---
3. GOD'S SPIRIT DESCENDS UPON ALL "WHO BELIEVE."
4. GOD'S SPIRIT BEING SUPERNATURAL AND DIVINE POWER (THE SAME THAT JESUS HAD) TO MAKE AVAILABLE TO US THE IMAGE OF GOD --- THE POWER AND PRESENCE OF GOD (Romans 8:29; Romans 10:9-10; 1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 6:8)
5. AS "IMAGE BEARERS OF GOD" ... and as "DISCIPLES OF CHRIST" --- WE ARE CALLED TO BECOME MORE AND MORE LIKE AND TO BE CHRIST TO THE WORLD.
6. SO --- TO "ENTER INTO THE FAMILY OF GOD" IS EASY --- BELIEVE.
7. TO PROVE AND SUBSTANTIATE OUR BELIEF ... WE MUST ALLOW THE HOLY SPIRIT TO FORM US —TO TRANSFORM US INTO GOD'S IMAGE.
8. ONE OF THE KEYS --- TO RENEW AND REFRESH OUR RELATIONSHIP AND CONNECTION TO GOD.
9. TO PRAY AND TO STAY CONNECTED TO GOD.
10. SACRAMENTS --- INITIALLY = BAPTISM ---- and then HOLY COMMUNION
 - a. TO PRESENT OUR WILLINGNESS AND COMMITMENT
 - b. TO ASK FOR AND RECEIVE FORGIVENESS
 - c. TO RECEIVE THE PRESENCE, POWER & CALL OF GOD TO BE LIKE A "LIGHT ON THE HILL" --- TO SERVE THE WORLD --- TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS ...

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION IS A VITAL AND SACRED PRACTICE THAT RESTORES AND REUNITES US WITH THE POWER AND PRESENCE OF GOD --- CHRIST WITH US.

COMMUNION IS MORE THAN A "MEMORY" ... COMMUNION IS ACTUALLY BEING ONE WITH GOD AND ONE WITH ONE ANOTHER ... COMMUNION IS A MOST HOLY AND SACRED MOMENT.