



May 7, 2023

Opening Worship Song....."Hallelujah"  
 Welcome & Invocation.....Jim Loeffler  
 Prelude....."The Solid Rock".....Linda Morey  
 Old Testament Reading (Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16).....Chrissy Dougan  
 Praise & Worship....."How Can I Keep from Singing"  
 "We Believe"  
 Kids' Talk.....Jim Loeffler  
 Prayer  
 Testimonial.....Gretchen Tinsley  
 Hymn #368....."My Hope Is Built"  
 Offering/Blessing of Gifts  
 Doxology  
 New Testament Reading (1 Peter 2:2-10)  
 Message.....Pastor Tim  
**STUMBLE OR RISE UPON THE STONE**  
 Communion  
 Communion Song....."Come As You Are"  
 Responding to God's Love....."Your Name"  
 Benediction/Blessing  
 Exit Song....."Battle Belongs"

**ATTENDANCE PADS**  
 Please sign the pad and pass it along!



## Fruit of the Spirit: Peace

Jesus Visits Mary & Martha

Luke 10:38-42

Sunday school classes are:  
 K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade & 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade



(grades 7 & up)

During the month of May the SHUMY youth group will have some special programming rather than their regular schedule. So stay tuned!

A new 7-week Bible Study, *Good Boundaries and Goodbyes* by Lysa TerKeurst with Paula DeDionisio has started in the multi-purpose room directly after worship. All are welcome! See Paula.



TODAY at 3:00 p.m., Linda Morey's music students will present a recital. It is open to all. Come and listen to these talented musicians!



We are looking for **2023 GRADUATES**. If you have a child, grandchild, niece/nephew who is graduating from high school, college, graduate school, or tech school, please let Sue Fuller know. We would like to honor them and their achievement!



Barb's office hours are changing for the summer. Starting in May, she will be in the office on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 am until 2 pm. She will still be checking e-mails throughout the week though if you need to get in touch.



Interested in being on the sound team? We have a few openings and **training is provided**. See Linda Morey if interested.

## Ella Cochran Food PANTRY

April needs for the Ella Cochran Food Pantry are:

Toilet Bowl Cleaner  
 Windex  
 Multi-purpose Cleaner  
 Sponges



If you are able to help out, we will be collecting these items from April 16 to May 14. You'll find a basket in the narthex to put them in.



We have **Gordy Locke's** new address if you'd like to keep in touch: 9408 Dallas Hollow Rd., Soddy Daisy, TN 37379-9008

YIKES!



HELP

Our lawn crew, who have already been hard at work cutting grass, have noticed quite a few holes in the lawn --- made by moles! We need help in covering up all the holes so that anyone walking, playing, or cutting grass doesn't step in one. We plan on filling the holes on Saturday, May 13 at 9:00 a.m. If you have a 4-wheeler & wagon, wheelbarrow, shovels and can help us out, please sign up in the narthex.

## Church Directory



We are planning a **new photo church directory!** We have so many new people coming to the church and we'd like to put the name and face together. If you are interested in submitting a picture or having your picture taken, please either **sign the attendance pad and put a star by your name** or **sign up in the narthex**. Because of copyrights, you cannot use your picture from the last directory. Colleen Poeta will be taking pictures which will not be for reprint or for sale as they are strictly for the directory. You can submit a selfie or a picture that is not professionally done, too.



Save the Date!

### EUMA GOLF TOURNAMENT

June 19, 2023

Questions, see Chuck Myers or Gary Faulhaber.



Jill & Dane Charlton are continuing THE CHOSEN (Season 3) Bible Study here at the church on Mondays at 10:00 a.m. This is a 8-wk. course. If interested in attending, please see Jill or Dane.



Help raise funds by donating gently worn, used and new shoes. Ask friends, family, neighbors & co-workers, too. Collected shoes will be given a 2<sup>nd</sup> life and reused by people in need. Drop them off at Faith Lutheran Church, 5414 E. Lake Rd., or contact Mary Jo Szewczyk (814) 240-8582.



## Scholarship applications for camp must be submitted by June 1!

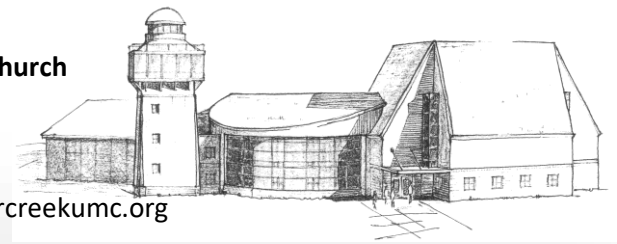
SHUMC plays a supportive role in the Summer Camp Program! We believe Christian-based camps provide events that have the Gospel of Jesus Christ at their heart and that Summer Camp is a place for kids to find themselves, meet new friends, and above all connect with God.

Don't let finances deter you from registering as financial assistance is available for most campers. So please take a look at the brochures on the campership table and think about registering for summer camp this year!

Any questions, see Sue Fuller, Adrienne Morton, Julia Stranahan or LeAnne Morton.

## South Harborcreek United Methodist Church

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*Welcome! If you are visiting with us today, we extend a warm welcome. Each guest is considered special here at South Harborcreek Church and we are thankful you chose to be with us! We hope this will be a meaningful time of worship for you.*

**THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH IS TO MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD** by proclaiming the good news of God's grace and by exemplifying Jesus' command to love God and neighbor, thus seeking the fulfillment of God's reign and realm in the world. God uses the church to save persons, heal relationships, transform social structures, and spread spiritual holiness, thereby changing the world.

We make disciples as we:

**PROCLAIM** the gospel, seek, welcome and gather persons into the body of Christ;

**LEAD** persons to commit their lives to God through baptism by water and the spirit and profession of faith in Jesus Christ;

**NURTURE** persons in Christian living through worship, and the sacraments, spiritual disciplines;

**SEND** persons into the world to live lovingly and justly as servants of Christ by healing the sick, feeding the hungry, caring for the stranger, free the oppressed being and becoming compassionate, caring presence, and working to develop social structures that are consistent with the gospel;

**CONTINUE** the mission of seeking, welcoming, and gathering persons into the community of the body of Christ.

# *Great Thanksgiving for Easter Season*

The Lord be with you.

***And also with you.***

Lift up your hearts.

***We lift them up to the Lord.***

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God, brought us to a land flowing with milk and honey, and set before us the way of life.

And so with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.***

***Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.***

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.

By your great mercy we have been born anew to a living hope through the resurrection of your Son from the dead and to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading.

Once we were no people, but now we are your people, declaring your wonderful deeds in Christ, who called us out of darkness into his marvelous light. When the Lord Jesus ascended, he promised to be with us always, in the power of your Word and Holy Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

When the supper was over he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

On the day you raised him from the dead he was recognized by his disciples in the breaking of the bread, and in the power of your Holy Spirit your Church has continued in the breaking of the bread and the sharing of the cup.

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

***Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.***

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one in Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. ***Amen.***

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