



JANUARY 8, 2023

- Opening Worship Song....."Made to Worship"
- Welcome & Invocation.....Jim Loeffler
- Prelude....."We Three Kings".....Linda Morey
- Old Testament Reading (Isaiah 60:1-6).....Angela Anderson
- Praise & Worship....."How Many Kings"
"What A Beautiful Name"
- Kids' Talk.....Jim Loeffler
- Prayer.....Sue Fuller
- Hymn #254....."We Three Kings"
- New Testament Reading (Matthew 2:1-12)
- Message.....Pastor Tim
Follow the Star
- Responding to God's Love....."Glory to God Forever"
- Benediction/Blessing
- Exit Song....."Sing to the King"

ATTENDANCE PADS
Please sign the pad and pass it along!



Jesus Our Shepherd
The Shepherd
Psalm 23

Youth **Jr. High Confirmation Class** (grades 6-8) and the **Sr. High** (grades 9 & up) - Classes resume TODAY from 6-7:30 PM. There will be a PARENT MEETING at 7:30 PM to discuss the January schedule and WINTER RETREAT @ Camp Findley.

Administrative Church Council will meet for a very brief meeting in the Conference Room in the basement today directly after worship.



Un-decorating

We'll be taking down the decorations after the worship service today. So, if you can stick around and help us out it would be greatly appreciated.



Band of Brothers Kick-Off is Tuesday, January 10 at 7:00 p.m. All men (Sr. High boys, too) of the church are invited to come and see what we are all about!



Band of Brothers is sponsoring a Men's Bowling Night
Date: Friday, January 13, 2023
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Where: Eastway Bowling Lanes
Cost: Shoes will be free/\$4 per game

Please sign up!



Women's Launch Party -- Your input matters!
When: Saturday, January 14, 2023
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Where: Multi-purpose room

We'll have food, fun, and a game or two. We are hoping to share ideas of what you want in a women's ministry and to get to know one another just a bit better.



Youth Milkshake and Game Night
Sunday, January 15 from 5-8pm
Inflatables, video and board games
Make your own milkshakes!
Cost \$5/person:
(includes milkshakes and pizza)
Location – South Harborcreek UMC



Greeters & De-Greeters: We are looking for volunteers who would like to greet/de-greet people as they arrive and leave the church on Sunday. We want those attending to know that they may come as a visitor but they'll leave as our friend. If this is your Spiritual Gift, please see Penny Gotham.



Ushers: We are looking for volunteers who would like to hand out bulletins and show people to their seat. Also, help to serve communion once a month. If this is something you'd be willing to help out with, please see Gordy Locke.

Winter Retreat @ Camp Findley



All youth 6th grade – college

Worship with Brandon Fox
Tubing and Skiing
Bible Study
Fellowship
Epic Nerf Gun Battle

Mark Cable Concert



Mark Cable is the perfect blend of comedy, song, and real-life stories, with the hope of Jesus Christ woven throughout.

He'll be here on February 25!

The doors open at 6:30 p.m.
Refreshments will be provided at intermission.
A free will offering will be taken to cover the cost of the concert.

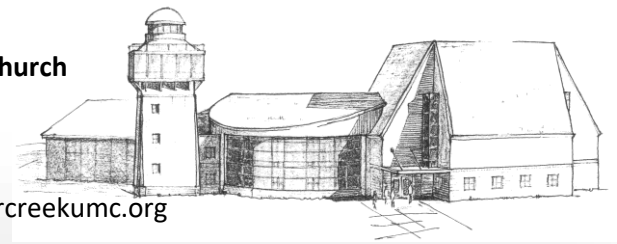
February 25
7:00 p.m.

2023 GIVING ENVELOPES

For those who receive **Giving Envelopes** - you'll find your **2023 envelopes are in your mail slot or on the table in front of the mail slots**. If we missed you, there is a sign-up sheet if you'd like to receive them. If you are unable to come to church to pick them up, please call the church office in January and we'll find a way to get them to you.
Thank you - The Finance Committee

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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.