

**OFFICE HOURS**

Dulcie will be out of the office on and off for the foreseeable future. During this time we ask that your requests of the office be limited. Dulcie will be working remotely and we will have office coverage most days from 9 am—12 pm. But this will limit extra projects. Thank you for your consideration and patience during this time. ~ Dulcie

**CONFIRMATION CLASSES...**

Confirmation Classes for grades 6—12 will be offered beginning in February 3rd. Classes will be every Sunday from 4:30 pm—5:45 pm with Confirmation Sunday being June 9th. Classes will be led by Pastor Jeff Little & Janet Yoder.

There will be **two chances** to attend the **MANDATORY PARENT MEETING**. Sunday, January 27th or Sunday, February 3rd following the 11 am service in the Community Room.

There is a sign-up on the Welcome Table or let the office know that you are interested.

**YOUTH EVENTS...**

Pick up a copy of this week's H<sub>2</sub>O Youth Flyer just outside the sanctuary entry for information about upcoming events.

**2019 GIVING ENVELOPES & 2018 STATEMENTS...**

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are on the Card Ministry Table for 2019.

If you currently do not receive giving envelopes and wish to, please contact the office at saegertownumc@gmail.com and we will add you. Remember the online giving option. Visit our website:

www.saegertownumc.org

and click on the "Online Giving" green icon to be linked to the Vanco giving site. It is a very easy option that allows you one time or scheduled giving options.

**FOOD PANTRY...**

Our Food Pantry serves on average **20 families** monthly.

**Wish list: cereal, peanut butter, pancake mix, syrup, spaghetti noodles, Spaghetti O's**

We are not permitted to distribute expired food or unlabeled food. NO corn or green beans at this time.

**SUPPORT OUR TROOPS...**

Requested items are:

January—pocket size trail mix, instant coffee packs, chapstick  
Collection boxes for donations are located on the landing outside the sanctuary.

**Faith In Action**

**Announcements due in by Wednesday morning please!**

**TODAY: Sunday, January 27**

Daily scripture reading: Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

6 pm Youth Group

**Monday, January 28**

Daily scripture reading: Ephesians 3:17-18

10 am Bible Study (L)

6 pm Music Lessons (E1)

6 pm Walking Exercise Class (CR)

6:30 pm Bible Study (L)

7 pm Campus Life (CG)

**Tuesday, January 29**

Daily scripture reading: Isaiah 40:11

Release Time

7 pm JBF (S)

7 pm BSA (CR & FH)

**Wednesday, January 30**

Daily scripture reading: Daniel 2:20

10 am Midweek Bible Study (CR)

3:30 pm Music Lessons

6 pm Walking Exercise Class (CR)

6:30 pm Chancel Choir practice (S)

7 pm SPRC committee meeting (L)

8 pm Praise Band practice (S)

**Thursday, January 31**

Daily scripture reading: John 14:13-14

5 pm Music Lessons (E1)

**Friday, February 1**

Daily scripture reading: Psalm 150:3

7 pm Friday Night Café (CG)

**Saturday, February 2**

Daily scripture reading: Isaiah 55:8

**Prayer chain~**

We have prayer warriors standing by ready for prayer.

Prayer Chain contacts are:

\*Chris Grubbs, coordinator  
814-337-5455 /  
cegrubbs6@gmail.com

Phone chain coordinator is:

Almeda D'Amico at 763-4665  
\*Bev Kantz at 398-8382  
\*Howard Roxberry at 763-2449  
Janet Williams at 763-6572  
Church office at 763-6685 /  
saegertownumc@gmail.com

\* indicates members available after 10 pm.

*Pray for the staff at Saegertown United Methodist Church~*

Rev. Jeffrey B. Little  
Senior Pastor

Mr. Frank Tipping  
Pastoral Assistant  
9:30 am Worship Leader

Mrs. Dulcie Anderson,  
Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Susan Egyud  
Business Administrator

Ms. Jennifer Sliker  
pianist / organist

Phone: (814)763-6685  
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**Office Hours:**

**Monday—Friday:  
9 am—12 pm**

**Room chart:**

CR-Community Room  
L-Library S-Sanctuary  
E-Education Wing Classroom  
(1-Ephesians, 2-Galatians, 3-Romans)  
FH-Fellowship Hall K-Kitchen  
CG-Common Grounds

**MISSIONS...**

Gary's Angels mat weaving group **DOES NOT**  
need plastic store bags at this time. ~ *Thank you.*

The Missions Team will again be providing LOVE BAGS for the 29 residents of the Quality Living Center for Valentine's Day. Please help fill the bags by bringing note cards, stationary, magazines, puzzle books, adult coloring books, colored pencils, pens, chap stick, hand lotion, etc. **by Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Please do **NOT** donate any food, candy or gum due to many of the residents having health issues. The LOVE collection box will be located next to the Project Support Our Troops display in the Narthex.

The Missions Team will be collecting money for **SOUPERBOWL of CARING**. The money raised on **Sunday, February 3** will be used to support the Meadville Community Soup Kitchen

The 2018 goal for the **Penny Pail** of \$300 was met. The congregation's change paid to support the purchase of treadle pumps through Heifer International so that others can have access to clean drinking water.

The Missions Team has set the **2019 Penny Pail goal** for \$270. This time, the monies will be used to purchase a menagerie of animals through Heifer International in small increments:

- \*10 - share of a goat
- \*\$20 - flock of ducks
- \*\$20 - flock of chicks
- \*\$20 - flock of geese
- \*\$30 - honey bees
- \*\$60 - trio of rabbits
- \*\$50 - a share of a heifer
- \*\$60 - tree seedlings

Please help support this worthy project and help families around the world transform their futures.

**CHURCH WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT—1/6/2019**

**Offering:** \$3199.00

\$7,143 needed each week to support the ministries of Saegertown UMC for 2019.

**Attendance:**

Sunday: 8 am—21 9:30 am—31 11 am—15

**Nursery** is located in Education Wing (same level as sanctuary). It is unlocked during worship service for parents of young children to use as needed.

**Visually impaired** - Large-print Hymnals & Bibles available. See ushers for assistance. Bulletins may be arranged ahead of time by calling church office.

**LADIES NITE OUT...**

January's book is "Bringing Maggie Home" by Kim Vogel Sawyer

Discussion will be held on **Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6:30 pm** here at SUMC.

This is an open group welcoming newcomers all the time! For more information see Marnie Caldwell (caldwell5@zoominternet.net) or contact the church office.

**LAST CHANCE FOR SPORTSMEN'S DINNER...**

SUMC Men present "Hunting Across North America and Africa" by Bill Winters this **Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup>**. Dinner at 5:30 pm, program at 7:30 pm. FREE advance reservations (limited to 100). Prizes for all children & youth plus two grand prizes.

Bring a tureen dish to share and enjoy the family fun and fellowship. Donations accepted. For reservation tickets or more information contact: Bill Winters, Mark Dawson, Dave Stearns, Mike Nageotte or Doug Jordan. Check out the posters on the bulletin board for more details.

**MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY...**

Join Pastor Jeff for Monday evening bible study. We are currently exploring "**Why?**" by **Adam Hamilton**. This study will meet every Monday at 6:30 pm in the Romans Classroom.

**INDOOR WALKING PROGRAM...**

Too cold to walk outside? Try our new Indoor Walking Program.

Mondays and Wednesday here at SUMC in the Community Room at 6 pm. No fancy gear needed, just comfortable clothes and shoes. For more information check out the posters on the bulletin boards or ask Judy Partridge (program director).