

# 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2019

## GATHERING

\*Opening Song..... "Beautiful One"

Welcome, Attendance, Announcements

Prayer of Invocation

Prelude..... "Indescribable"

\*Call to Worship: (Ezekiel 36:23-29a)

Leader: The nations will know that I am the LORD, declares the Sovereign LORD, when I am **proved holy through you** before their eyes.

**People:** *For I will take you out of the nations; I will gather you from all the countries and bring you back into your own land.*

Leader: I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean; I will cleanse you from all your impurities and from all your idols.

**People:** *I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh.*

Leader: And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.

**People:** *Then you will be my people, and I will be your God and I will save you from all your uncleanness.*

## ENTERING INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

\*Hymn #349..... "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Children's Sermon..... Judi Faulhaber

\*Praise & Worship..... "Great Are You Lord"  
"Indescribable"

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

The Lord's Prayer

Offering/Offertory..... "10,000 Reasons"

\*Song of Worship..... "10,000 Reasons"

## THE PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

Message of the Hour ..... Pastor Keith

EVERYONE IS SOMEONE IN THE BODY OF CHRIST

"And the Winner Is . . . Jochebed!"

Exodus 1; 2; 6:20 & Numbers 26:59

## RESPONSE, COMMITMENT & BLESSING

\*Song of Response..... "Hymn of Promise"

Benediction

\*Please stand

## This Week at South Harborcreek UMC:

**Sunday:** 9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. Worship  
10:15 a.m. Children's Sunday school

**Monday:** 6:30 p.m. Celebrate Recovery Service  
7:00 p.m. Chime Rehearsal

**Tuesday:** 9:30 a.m. 9:30 Bible Study with Elna  
6:00 p.m. Missions Meeting  
7:00 p.m. Council on Ministries Meeting

**Thursday:** 9:00 a.m. Men's & Women's Breakfast  
6:15 p.m. Sweet & Salty Bible Study  
7:15 p.m. Inspirational Dance  
7:30 p.m. Praise Team

**Saturday:** 8:45 a.m. Mission Outreach – Dutton Road



## We Pray for Mothers

Loving God, we ask your blessings on all mothers.  
May they be inspired with your mercy, wisdom,  
strength and selfless love.

## Happy Mother's Day!

**Chime Rehearsal:** Chimes will meet on Monday, May 13 @ 7:00 p.m.

**Missions Meeting:** There will be a Missions meeting on Tues., May 14 @ 6:00 p.m.

**Council on Ministries Meeting:** Council on Ministries next meeting is Tues., May 14 @ 7:00 p.m.

**Mission Outreach:** As part of our Mission Outreach, we are partnering with the Harborcreek Township to do a property clean up on Dutton Rd. **We'll meet at the church at 8:45 a.m. on May 18.** We are looking for 20-25 people and a couple of guys with chainsaws. If you are able to help out, please see Denny Scalise or sign-up in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!



**Donut Sunday:** Come join us in the fellowship hall after worship on Sunday, May 19 for some coffee & donuts – This will be the last Donut Sunday until the Fall.



**Let's Go Fly a Kite – Sunday, May 19:** We will provide kites for each person to decorate after worship during donuts in the Fellowship Hall. Then we'll go out and fly them in the parking lot or parsonage yard to see whose goes the highest. Come one, come all!

**Administrative Church Council Meeting:** The Church Council will meet on Monday May 20 at 6:30 p.m.

**Book Club:** Next Book Club meeting will be on Tuesday, May 21 at 6:30 p.m. We'll be reading, "It's Always the Husband" by Michele Campbell.

**Summer Sunday School Teachers:** We are looking for volunteers to teach Sunday school during the summer. We have some great topics lined up, material ready to go, and kids ready to learn. There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, please see Elna Morton.

### SHUMY Schedule for May:

Sunday, May 12 No SHUMY – Happy Mother's Day!  
Sunday, May 19 SHUMY (6-8 pm)  
Sunday, May 26 SHUMY (6-8 pm)

**Men's & Women's Breakfast:** Don't forget the men & women meet for breakfast the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month @ Perkins on Buffalo Rd. at 9:00 a.m. All men and women are welcome to join in.



**Reminder:** We want to thank everyone who brings in a dish to share or prepares something for a funeral dinner, event, etc. The food is always delicious! But, we are running out of storage room for the food containers. At the end of the month, if they have not been picked up they will be donated to the Rainbow Connection.

### Upcoming Events:

**Women's Chautauqua Retreat:** All women of the church are invited to the Chautauqua Retreat on May 31-June 2. There are sign-up sheets in the Fellowship Hall or you can see Diane Senger or Kris Loeffler for any questions. Nicole Drayer will be our speaker!



**SAVE THE DATE - Rummage Sale on June 21-22:** The U. M. Women will hold their annual Rummage Sale on June 21-22. We will be accepting gently used items, and also clothing for adults & children. **PLEASE NOTE: We would appreciate you bringing items in early -- You can start dropping off your Rummage Sale items now to the downstairs' storage area. The week of the sale (June 18 & 19) you can drop them off in the Fellowship Hall. We will not accept any more donations for the sale after Wed., June 19. Please make sure your items are clean & ready for sale. THANK YOU!**



**Vacation Bible School:** It's coming – July 22 thru July 26! The program, "ROAR" will take you on a wild ride through the African Savannah to reveal God's character of goodness. There are Rhinos, Giraffes, and Lions to illustrate true stories from the Bible that display how good God truly is! (Nahum 1:7) Look for volunteer sign-up sheets in the Fellowship Hall.



**Calling All Campers:** 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. Please take a look at the brochures on the campership table in the Fellowship Hall and **REGISTER TODAY!**



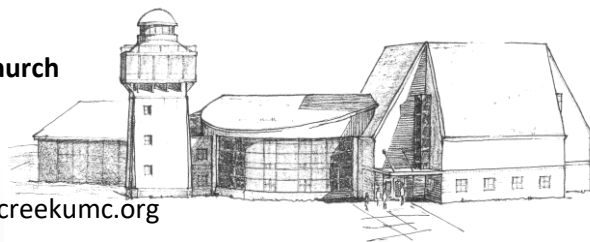
**Lawn Mowing Sign-Up Sheet is now in the Fellowship Hall!** Please volunteer! We need volunteers to mow the church and parsonage grass. In lieu of mowing, donations for gas, oil & maintenance of the mowers are always appreciated.

5/1	Jeff Lijewski	5/9	Kayla Carpenter	5/20	Dan Kane
5/2	Phil Gotham	5/9	Joe Anderson	5/22	Leona Thompson
5/3	Melanie Smith	5/9	Lori Williams	5/23	Louis LaFuria
5/6	Dave Schiemer	5/10	Don Malmgren	5/25	Kay Conkling
5/7	Debbie Lemke	5/14	Sean Gotham	5/26	Martha Brady
5/7	Mallory Flowers	5/15	Colleen Poeta	5/28	Lyle Carnes
5/7	Kirk McFadden	5/19	Natalie LaFuria	5/30	Amy Hall
		5/19	John Neenan	5/31	Bob Snyder

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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.