

SUMC CHURCH DIRECTORIES...

Additional pictorial directories are available for \$10 each. They are located on the card ministry table.

FOOD PANTRY...

Our Food Pantry serves on average of **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:

March—Drink mix packets, snack crackers, eye drops (fresh tears)

MISSIONS...

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

MONDAY BIBLE STUDIES...

Join Pastor Jeff for Monday at 10 am or 6:30 pm for bible study. Currently studying "The Story of Heaven" by Max Lucado & Randy Frazee.

Weekly bible studies will begin a new series for Lent titled "not a fan" through RightNowMedia. Sign-up on the Welcome Table for a book. Books are \$13 per person.

RIGHTNOW MEDIA...

Right Now Media full of a video bible study library and Bible based kids episodes. If you wish to explore Right Now Media, please email the church office with your email address. We will register you on the SUMC account and Right Now Media will email you an invite to register personally.

YOUTH EVENTS...

Pick up a copy of this week's H₂O Youth Flyer just outside the sanctuary entry for information about upcoming events.

YOUNG ADULT SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITY...

Tuesday Night LIGHT—Living in God's Healing Truth
Every Tuesday, 7 pm at Common Grounds

Every Tuesday young adults gather together in authentic community to discuss what's going on in their lives and explore what God's Word says about the challenges they face.

Common Grounds is located at 19473 Grotto Lane, Saegertown (1/2 mile north of Saegertown on Hwy 19).

Faith In Action

Announcements due in by Wednesday morning please!

TODAY: Sunday, March 3

Daily scripture reading: Proverbs 19:22
4:30 pm Confirmation Class (CR)
6 pm Youth Group

Monday, March 4

Daily scripture reading: Ezekiel 14:23
10 am Bible Study (L)
6 pm Music Lessons (E1)
6 pm Walking Exercise Class (CR)
6:30 pm Bible Study (L)
7 pm Trustee committee meeting (L)
7 pm Campus Life (CG)

Tuesday, March 5

Daily scripture reading: Romans 8:18
Release Time
6 pm Worship committee meeting (Office wing)
7 pm JBF (S)
7 pm BSA (CR & FH)

Wednesday, March 6

Daily scripture reading: Isaiah 30:21
10 am Midweek Bible Study (CR)
11:30 am Ash Wednesday service (S)
3:30 pm Music Lessons
6:30 pm Ash Wednesday service (S)

Thursday, March 7

Daily scripture reading: Jeremiah 31:25
4 pm Release Time Spaghetti Dinner (FH)

5 pm Music Lessons (E1)

7 pm Gary's Angels mat weavers (CR)

Friday, March 8

Daily scripture reading: Exodus 20:12
6 pm NA meeting (CR)
7 pm Friday Night Café (CG)

Saturday, March 9

Daily scripture reading: Matthew 5:9
7:30 am Men's Breakfast Bible Study (L)
5:30 pm Back Door Church

Prayer chain~

We have prayer warriors standing by ready for prayer.

Prayer Chain contacts are:
*Chris Grubbs, coordinator
814-783-0016 /
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 /
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* 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:

Mon, Wed & Fri:

9 am—12 pm

Tues & Thurs:

9 am—3 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

EASTER EGG CANDY...

Christian Ed requests candy donations for their Easter Egg hunt. Please leave donations in the labeled bin outside of the sanctuary before April 18th. Thank you.

THANK YOU...

Thanks so much for your generous donation. Folks like you make our job of keeping the ministry of the Soup Kitchen alive a lot easier.

~ Beverly Nutter, Coordinator

SAEGERTOWN AREA COMMUNITY LENTEN LUNCHEONS...

The public is invited to an inspirational message and lunch provided by the host church. A love offering will be received for the Ministerium to support those meeting hard times in our community. Luncheons will be at 12:00 pm on Wednesdays through Lent.

March 13 at Saegertown U.M.C.

March 20 at St. Bernadette's Catholic Church

March 27 at Twelve Apostles Lutheran Church

April 3 at Saegertown U.M.C.

April 10 at St. Bernadette's Catholic Church

LADIES NITE OUT...

February's book is "One Sunday" by Carrie Gerlach Cecil. Discussion will be held on **Wednesday, March 27th, 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.

ONLINE GIVING OPTION...

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. Follow prompts to register as a new user. It is a very easy option that allows you one time or scheduled giving options.

2018 STATEMENTS...

2018 Giving Statements are on the Card Ministry Table.

INDOOR WALKING PROGRAM...

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

Mondays and Wednesdays 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).

CHURCH WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION REPORT—2/24/2019

Offering: \$6589.00

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

Attendance:

Sunday: 8 am—49 9:30 am—92 11 am—53

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.

UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONAL...

The March/April **Upper Room** is available on the entryway table. A donation of \$1 is requested.

ASH WEDNESDAY...

We will have two services with the Imposition of Ashes on **Wednesday, March 6th**. We will gather at 11:30 am for a devotional time and imposition of ashes and again at 6:30 pm for a service with the imposition of ashes and communion. Ash Wednesday is the beginning of the season of Lent and emphasizes our sinfulness before God & our human mortality. Ashes are used as an outward sign of mortality and repentance.

SPAGHETTI DINNER...

Saegertown UMC will be hosting annual spaghetti dinner supporting Saegertown Area Release Time. Cost: donation **Thursday, March 7th**, 4:00 pm—6:30 pm here at SUMC.

SPRING FORWARD...

Daylight Savings Time begins on March 10th. Next Saturday before you go to bed, Spring Ahead one hour. See you in church in the morning.

SAEGERTOWN LIBRARY STORY HOUR...

Story time with Pastor Jeff on Wednesday, March 13th at 10:30 am. Pastor Jeff will be a guest story time reader for the children's story hour at the Saegertown Library. Parents & Caregivers, bring your little ones (pre-k children) any Wednesday during the school year at 10:30 am to the Saegertown Library for story time along with some crafts and other activities. This is a free opportunity, no need to sign-up, come any Wednesday that you can.

Chili Cook-Off on Sunday, March 24th @ 5 pm

Sign up on the welcome table in the Narthex to compete or contribute to the salad bar or baked goods auction.