

# 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

August 18, 2019

This Week at South Harborcreek UMC:

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

**Monday:** 6:30 p.m. Celebrate Recovery Service

**Wednesday:** 7:00 p.m. Sunday School Teachers' Meeting

**Thursday:** 9:00 a.m. Men's & Women's Breakfast  
7:15 p.m. Inspirational Dance  
----- Newsboys Concert @ Crawford Co. Fair

**Friday:** 9:00 a.m. Donuts with D'Lord

## **GATHERING**

\*Opening Song....."My Savior, My God"

Welcome, Attendance, Announcements

Prayer of Invocation

Prelude....."Sing to the King"

\*Call to Worship: (Excerpts from Psalm 121)

Leader: I lift my eyes to the mountains – where does my help come?

**People:** *My help comes from the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth.*

Leader: God will not let our foot slip for God watches over us and will not sleep.

**People:** *God watches over us for God is like a shade that protects us from the sun by day and the moon by night.*

Leader: The LORD will keep you from all harm and He will watch over your life.

**People:** *Yes, GOD will watch over us ... our going and our coming ... both now and forevermore ... THANK YOU GOD!*



**CONGRATULATIONS** TO THE MEN'S SOFTBALL TEAM! After winning the regular season trophy the SHUMC men captured the Grand Playoff Trophy Tuesday night. Congratulations, Fellas!



**ERIE GIVES:** THANK YOU! SHUMC givers gave \$9,588 dollars on Tuesday as part of the Erie Community Foundation's Erie Gives Day this past Tuesday. We're not yet sure what the "match" will be, BUT thank you for giving in this way so that a part of your gifting can be matched by the Erie Community Foundation. THANK YOU!

## **ENTERING INTO GOD'S PRESENCE**

\*Praise & Worship....."Where I Belong"  
"Reckless Love"

Children's Sermon.....Jim Loeffler

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

The Lord's Prayer

Offering/Offertory....."I See the Lord"

\*Hymn #399....."Take My Life"

Red Bird Mission Report.....Sue Fuller

**Sunday School Teachers Meeting:** There will be a meeting for Sunday school teachers on Wed., Aug. 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the multi-purpose room.

**Newsboys at the Crawford County Fair:** We are getting a group together to go to the concert on August 22. The cost is \$19 and the deadline to sign up in the fellowship hall is **TODAY!**

**SHUMY Donuts with D'Lord:** Remember the Youth will meet on Friday, Aug. 23 from 9-11 am for donuts and Bible Study.



### **U. M. Women's Birthday Party:**

The United Methodist Women will kick off the fall season with a "birthday party" to celebrate all women on Monday, September 9 at 11:00 a.m. All women are invited to this celebration! Beginning in September, we will changing our meeting day and time to the second Monday of each month at 11:00 a.m. We hope this new day and time will enable others to join us! All Women Welcome!



### **Book Club:**

The reading selection for September is: *The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry* by Gabrielle Zevin -- We'll meet on Tues., September 17 at 6:30 p.m.  
The reading selection for Oct. is: *The Copper Beech* by Maeve Binchy

## **RESPONSE, COMMITMENT & BENEDICTION**

\*Song of Response....."The Passion".....SHUMY Youth

Benediction

**Pastor Keith's Sermon Series: The Parables of Jesus**

• **The Nobleman & the Talents (Luke 9:11-26)**

\*Please stand

**SHUMY Schedule for August:**

Fri., Aug. 23

Donuts w/D'Lord (9-11:00 a.m.)

Sun., Sept. 8



**Outdoor Worship at Shades Beach:** We had such a wonderful outdoor service at Shades Beach last year that we plan to repeat it. **On Sunday, September 8 at 10:00 a.m.** we will meet for worship. **After the worship service, SHUMC will have a tureen picnic. Please plan to bring a dish to share. Watch for more details next week and also for the sign-up sheets.**



**Ride for the Refuge:** Registration is now open! Come celebrate 20 years of The Ride! Join us Labor Day (Monday, Sept. 2) for The Ride for the Refuge charity bike ride to end homelessness for family with children through EUMA's The Refuge emergency homeless shelter. This ride features great tours thru scenic countryside, water/snack stops, sag wagon services and our Rider's Picnic. **Please go to the EUMA website to register:** [www.euma-erie.org](http://www.euma-erie.org)

**SHUMC sponsors the picnic and if you are able we will need many volunteers and food. Please sign-up on the sheets in the Fellowship Hall. THANK YOU!**

**Discipleship Training at SHUMC!** Pastor Keith will be leading an intensive



"DISCIPLESHIP" Training Course for 24 weeks that will basically cover the time period from October – May, with appropriate breaks for Advent & Lent. This course will be rigorous and will require 30 minutes of Bible reading and reflection daily. The course will be limited to about 15 people who have a heart and who are ready for the 'next step' in their journey of faith. **PLEASE DISCUSS YOUR POSSIBLE INTEREST WITH PASTOR KEITH AND INDICATE YOUR INTEREST ON THE CONNECTION CARD in the bulletin.** Pastor Keith is also trying to determine the best time to lead this 90 minute class SO please indicate your preference as to Saturday morning (perhaps 8-9:30 am); Wednesday night (perhaps 6:30-8 pm); or maybe Sunday before or after worship. Depending upon the degree of preference, Monday evenings may also be available.

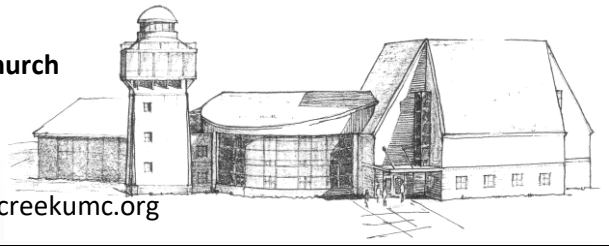
**Birthdays**  
8/1 Nora Oslak  
8/2 Dustin Sutter  
8/2 Claire Berlin  
8/2 Butch Gregory  
8/3 Stephanie Kraft  
8/5 Carol Barnes  
8/6 Liz Diehl  
8/6 Mel Naylor  
8/6 Warren Boyd  
8/6 Tom Hetrick  
8/6 Bill McAchren  
8/7 Josh Morton  
8/8 Angela Anderson

8/9 Kyle Noyer  
8/10 Joan Bindeman  
8/11 Dane Charlton  
8/11 Ken Kobylinski  
8/11 Karla Diehl  
8/12 Sally Jones  
8/14 Joann Eimers  
8/16 Penny Gotham  
8/17 Karen Cipalla  
8/17 Lillian White  
8/18 Helen Snyder  
8/18 Payton Heath  
8/19 Carter Plonski

8/20 Robert Scalise  
8/21 Jeremy Morey  
8/23 Ryan Nuhfer  
8/24 Diana Fike  
8/25 Junior Chipley  
8/26 John Shaffer  
8/27 Marianne Chipley  
8/28 Brian Senger  
8/28 Scott Askins  
8/29 Rebecca Hunter  
8/29 Debora Rinn  
8/29 Dorothy Neenan  
8/31 Marcie Nagle

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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.