

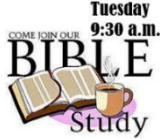


Opening Worship Song.....	“Hungry”
Welcome & Invocation.....	Jim Loeffler
Prelude.....	“Nothing But The Blood”.....Linda Morey
First Reading (Acts 8:26-40).....	Diane Senger
Praise & Worship.....	“ Thrive” “It’s All About You Jesus”
Prayer.....	Sue Fuller
Kids’ Talk.....	Kim Peters
Hymn #362.....	“Nothing But The Blood”
Offertory/Offering.....	“Enough”.....Linda Morey
Doxology/Blessing of Gifts	
New Testament Reading (John 15:1-8)	
Message.....	Pastor Tim
How To Produce Fruit	
Responding to God’s Love.....	“Great Are You Lord”
Benediction/Blessing	
Exit Song.....	“Enough”

ATTENDANCE PADS
Please sign the pad and pass it along!



In The Stable
Jesus is the Savior God promised.
Luke 2:1-12



The 9:30 a.m. Tuesday morning Bible Study with Elna Morton meets in the multi-purpose room. You are welcome to join in their new study, *THE WAY*.



The Youth group will be meeting on Sunday, April 28 from 6:00-8:00 p.m.



UMCOR Flood Buckets
You’ll find an insert in the bulletin regarding the great need for flood buckets. We are asking families, friends or groups (i.e. Bible Studies, small groups) to get together to make one or two buckets up. Thank you.



Graduates
If you know of someone graduating from high school, college, tech school, please let Sue Fuller know. We will be recognizing graduates on Sunday, May 5. Following the service we will be having a reception to celebrate the class of 2024. All are welcome to join!



The Ella Cochran Food Pantry would love your help in restocking some of their shelf items. From April 21 to May 12, you will find a box in the narthex to put in personal care items such as: Shampoo, Toothbrush, Body Wash, Soap, Toothpaste, etc.



Faith-based Summer Camps
There are a number of faith-based summer camps to choose from. Check out the brochures on the table in the narthex. Don’t let finances deter you from registering. Financial assistance is available. If you have any questions, please see LeAnne Morton or Sue Fuller.



The Shawl Ministry will meet in the multi-purpose room on Saturday, May 4 from 1-3 p.m.



The Men’s Monthly Dinner will be held (Thurs., May 2) at Bob Evans 6:30 p.m.



The Refuge Golf Tournament Monday, June 17. If you have any questions, talk to Chuck Myers or Gary Faulhaber.



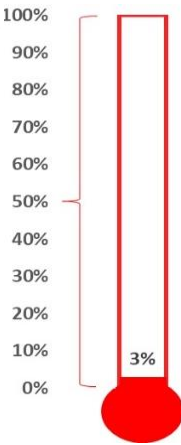
VBS
July 22-26 from 6:00-8:30 PM
More details on our website.



PARSONAGE RENOVATION PROJECT

BUILDING CAMPAIGN

The Administrative Church Council voted to move forward with the parsonage project. The project cost will range from \$100,000 - \$150,000. The \$100,000.00 will come from current church cash reserves. The prayer is that the balance will come in through the generous giving of our church family. **This would be above your regular giving to the church.** If you are ready to make a donation now, please designate your giving to the "Parsonage Upgrade Fund." Each week we will post our SHUMC Parsonage Goal thermometer to show you where we are. This week we are at: 3%



Lawnmowing Season is here!

Interested in helping to keep the church and parsonage lawn looking nice to visitors and passerby's? Please see Kim Peters and let her know you'd be interested in helping out.



Faith Lutheran Church is hosting a presentation on bats on May 1 @ 7:00 p.m. by Gannon biology professor, Dr. Steve Ropski. He is an informative and entertaining speaker and bats play an important role in our local ecosystem. All are welcome!



Join Us!



All women of the church are invited on Saturday, May 11 to come to the Dip & Chip Charcuterie from 11:00 a.m. to 1 p.m. All you need bring is either a sweet or savory dip. Please sign up in the narthex.

Women's Retreat at Chautauqua

May 31 – June 2, 2024

Everyone has a story. A testament of their faith journey. No two are alike.

Come hear the faith journey stories of **Women of Worship** from our own church family. You will be encouraged, find hope and peace and perhaps relate. You may even be inspired to share a bit of your own story (but only if you want to).

Wishing You A Happy Retirement, Barb!

I wanted to express my thanks to the congregation of SHUMC for the wonderful send off and gift. As I said goodbye there were so many kind words of support and expressions of love. I greatly appreciated it all! It meant a great deal. As I reflect on the many years I have been here (which seems to have flown by), I think of all the incredible and generous people here. You have always been willing to serve and always responded with love and care and there are so many of you I call friends. It has been a privilege to serve you all. I'm going to miss you!

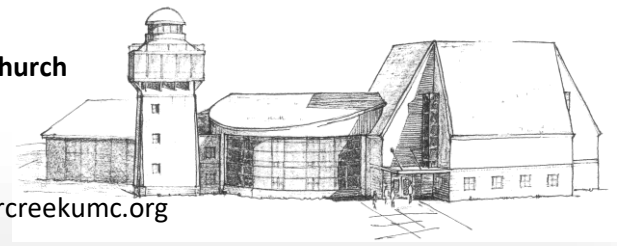
May God continue to use SHUMC as a beacon of God's love to others.

Bless you all,

Barb

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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.

UMCOR CLEANING KIT ASSEMBLY & SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

(Kit approximate cost: \$75 per bucket)

Cleaning Kit Materials

- One five-gallon round bucket with re-sealable lid (14.35" h x 12.19" w x 12.19" d)
 - No screw lids
 - May be used, but must be free from all residual product
 - Advertisements on the outside acceptable
- One 32-64 oz. bottle liquid laundry detergent
- One 16-40 oz. bottle liquid concentrate household cleaner
 - No spray cleaners
- One 16-34 oz. bottle dish soap
- One 4-8 oz. pump spray air freshener (liquid, not gel)
- One 6-14 oz. pump spray insect repellent (pack of 10-20 wipes also acceptable)
 - Pump spray bottles must have protective covers
- One scrub brush
 - With or without handle
- 18 re-useable cleaning wipes
 - No terrycloth, microfiber or paper towels
 - Remove from packaging
- Five scouring pads
 - No stainless-steel pads with soap in them
 - Remove from packaging
- 36-50 clothespins
- One 50-100 ft. clothesline (cotton or plastic line)

- 24 roll of heavy-duty trash bags (33-45-gallon sizes)
 - Remove from packaging
- Five N95 particulate respirator dust masks (1-3 mm thickness)
 - No surgical masks
- Two pairs kitchen gloves
 - Durable for multiple uses
 - Remove from packaging
- One pair work gloves
 - Cotton with leather palm or all leather

Assembly Directions

- All items must be new with the exception of the bucket and lid which may be recycled but must be clean and free of debris.
- All cleaning agents must be liquid form. No powders are accepted.
- If items have been omitted, label bucket. Please indicate which items are missing.

Important Notes

- Sponges have been removed from the list of supplies due to the challenge of locating the non-cellulose sponges that prevent mildew. Non-cellulose sponges will be added to each bucket upon arrival at the affiliate warehouse.
- Do not include any personal notes, money or additional material in the kits.
- Contents of kits or the containers of kits should not be imprinted with cartoon characters, advertisements, religious, patriotic, military or camouflage symbols.

Packing & Shipping Instructions

Please send a single check to the Sager Brown Depot or the affiliate warehouse that will receive your donation of cleaning kits. The check amount should cover the total number of kits times \$3.00 for the cost of sponges and shipping. On the memo line, please indicate that the funds are an additional donation to cover costs associated with relief supply kits.