



South Harborcreek United Methodist Church

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In-Person & Online Service @10AM | Children's Sunday School @10:30AM | Nursery Available For Parents & Children

Thursday October 17, 2024

Pastor - J. Tim Hoover
Youth Director - Sue Fuller
Music/Media Director - Linda Morey
Administrative Assistant - Katie Sadler
Building Facilitator - Mary Montgomery

Council Chair - Jim Loeffler
Secretary - Stephanie Kraft
Finance - Chuck Myers
Trustees - Dane Charlton
Staff Parish - Diane Senger

Council on Ministries - LeAnne Morton
Youth - Lia Hackenberg
Treasurer - Linda Stewart
Young Adults -
Lay Leader -



From time to time do you question God? Do you sometimes ask God "why did you do it this way?" Or perhaps you wonder what is taking God so long to answer a prayer.

I imagine we all do in some way or another ask these and many other questions of God. But do we really have the right? Now I am not saying we cannot ask God to explain to us what is happening, but we must always remember God is God and we are not.

how the writer of Hebrews discusses how even Jesus had to go through a sharpening process to be made perfect.

This week we will look at how God challenges Job and



The SHUMY Jr. High's trip to Burch Farms has been postponed due to forecasted weather. They will now be visiting Burch Farms on October 20 @3PM. Please plan to dress appropriately for the weather. See Sue Fuller with questions.



This Sunday our Sunday School class will be learning about the Fruit of Faithfulness. Do everything God commands. They will be reading Deuteronomy 11:22. We encourage you to get into the word as a family ahead of this week's Sunday School so your kids are all ready.



We would love to start a Pre-School Sunday School class. We need teachers to sign up who are not already teaching other classes. Please contact Sue Fuller if you are interested.



The Community Thanksgiving Service will be held here on November 24 @6PM. Choirs from other churches will bring their members to join ours for the choir anthem and 7-fold Amen. We need as many volunteers as possible from SHUMC to form a choir for that service. If you would like to sing, practices will start this Sunday, immediately following the service. Practices will also be held at 7PM on Thursday evenings.

Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1 | 5-8PM
MORE DETAILS TO COME



In January we have a crew of missionaries headed to the Dominican Republic. As they prepare for their trip they will be fundraising to help alleviate some of the costs. Right now they are selling pretzel sandwiches and on November 1 from 5-8PM they will be hosting a Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser. If you are interested in supporting our missions team, please prayerfully consider donating to their fundraisers. More info to come soon.



This year the Erie City Mission is bringing back their Thanksgiving outreach: Box of Love! Let's help the ECM put "Love in Every Box, and Hope in Every Meal" this holiday season. Please call the ECM (814-452-4421), stop by the Missions Main campus (1017 French Street), fill your bag (list will be attached), and drop the bags off at the Mission between Nov. 11 and Nov. 18.



Thursday, October 24 (6-8PM), we will have volunteers running a booth at the Harborcreek Trail of Treats, hosted by the HS Huskie Helping Hands. All benefits from this event will go to the Ella Cochran Food Pantry. We are asking for candy donations and this is the last Sunday that you are able to donate! If you are able to donate candy, please bring it to the church and put it in the candy donation basket in the narthex. Any further questions can be directed to Kris Loeffler. Thank you!



Clark Elementary School is currently in need of some toiletry items. We would like to support them and donate items. If you are able to donate please consider the following items; shampoo, conditioner, body wash, soap, floss, deodorant, chapstick and lotion. The boys appreciate manly scents, but besides that there are no specific requirements to donate. There will be a box in the narthex where we will be gathering items. If you have any questions please reach out to LeAnne Morton.

FALL STEAK SWISS DINNER

Saturday, November 2, 2024

The First Presbyterian Church of Harborcreek is having their Fall Steak Swiss Dinner on Saturday November 2, from 4:30-6:30PM. They are only doing a drive thru take out meal this year. Adults will cost \$14.00. They ask that you enter through the west entrance and you will be directed where to proceed from there.

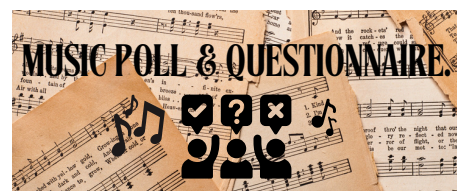
IN SEARCH OF A NEW TRUSTEE

Do you have an interest in helping maintain our facility and grounds? We have an opportunity that might be just for you! The search is on for a new church trustee! If you are interested in learning more about what this role entails please contact Pastor Tim or Dane Charlton to get more information. Thank you!

OUR NEIGHBORS PLACE

Single Site This Season

Our Neighbors Place Shelter will be located at the Community Resilience Center (450 East 16th Street) this year. It will remain at this site for the entire season, with no moving between churches. What an incredible blessing this will be for the entire community! There is an open house on Tuesday October 22 at 7PM. Gordon Evans and Ann Matie Ernst will be the Methodist coordinators again this year. If you have questions or would like more information on Our Neighbors Place Shelter please find Sandy Shaffer. Thank you!



Check out the Music Poll in the narthex. Our Music Director, Linda, would like to gauge participation interest for the upcoming season.

THE COMMUNITY RESILIENCE CENTER
450 EAST 16TH STREET

Open House 10/22 @7PM



2024 Fall Youth Schedules



DATE	EVENT	STUDENT	SCHOOL	TIME
10/19/24	JV Football	James Crosby	Iroquois HS	10:00 AM
10/25/24	HS Band	James Crosby	Iroquois HS	7:00 PM
12/12/24	Winter Concert	Johnny Shaffstall	Collegiate	7:00 PM
12/15/24	Jr Philharmonic	Johnny Shaffstall	Strong Vincent MS	3:00 PM
12/17/24	Winter Jazz Concert	Johnny & Jess Shaffstall	Collegiate	7:00 PM
1/16/25	Dance Showcase	Jess Shaffstall	Collegiate HS	6:30 PM

School is back in session and our schedules are quickly filling up.

We would love to gather a list of student activities so we, as a church, can support our children and youth. So if your child/teen is participating in something this fall please send their schedule to either Pastor Tim or to the office (shumhh@aol.com) so they can be added to our ongoing list.



OCTOBER 2024



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Bros	2 6:30 AM Men's Study 6:30 PM Holy Spirit Bible Study	3 Church Conference 6PM SPRC 6:30PM Full Church	4	5 1-3 PM SHAWL MIN In the multi-purpose room
6 Comunion Hayride	7 The Chosen 4 Study w/ Jill Charlton 10AM	8 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Bros	9 6:30 AM Men's Study 6:30 PM Holy Spirit Bible Study	10 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	11	12
13 Donut Sunday Promotion Sunday	14 The Chosen 4 Study w/ Jill Charlton 10AM	15 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Bros	16 6:30 AM Men's Study 6PM Dinner & Bible Studies	17 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	18	19
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NOVEMBER 2024



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