



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, April 30, 2026

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

Council Chair - Jim Loeffler
Secretary - Stephanie Kraft
Finance - Kris Loeffler
Trustees - Joel Stewart
Staff Parish - Diane Senger

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

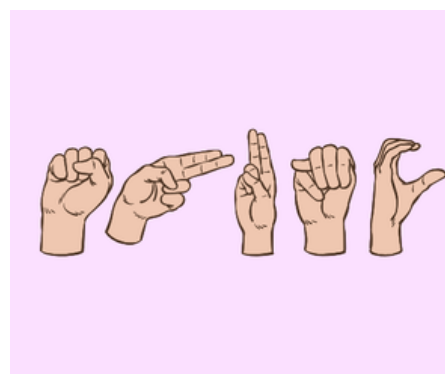
Communion Is Life | Sunday Service 05/03/26



This week we will focus on Communion, and its importance in our Christian walk. The Eucharist, or Communion, represents the love and grace offered to each of us through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ. Through communion, God reminds us of His grace. There is nothing we can do to be worthy to receive His grace, yet He freely offers it to us. Communion reminds us of this wonderful gift given to each of us.

John Wesley wanted us to take communion as often as possible; to remind us of God's love for us. So as we partake of this holy meal this week, may it not be a simple ritual we go through each month, but an important part of your daily life that should not be taken lightly or indifferently.

You Are Always Welcome Here! Check Out Our Resources!



We welcome everyone and that includes both the Hard-of-Hearing and Deaf. Sign language interpretation during our Sunday service is available upon request. Please let the office know by the Thursday prior to your attendance and we will have arrangements made.

NUESTROS BOLETINES DOMINICALES SE

IMPRIMIRÁN A PARTIR DE AHORA EN ESPAÑOL.

In our push toward total inclusion, we have Sunday bulletins available in Spanish now. We ask that you only take one if needed so those who are in need can have plenty available. Gracias!

We have small groups for you to join here at South Harborcreek. There's a group here that meets your needs! Check out our calendar or ask around to find out where you fit. You belong here!



On Sunday mornings we take record of the attendance. This allows us to check in with our attendees on a weekly basis! It also helps us to provide the UMC Conference with accurate data. Please remind your neighbor to sign in using the pad!

Want to Get Involved? Here's How!



This Sunday's Pre-k through 4th grade lesson is titled "Fruit of The Spirit: Peace, Jesus Visits Mary & Martha", and will teach us that God wants us to be at peace! They will focus on Galatians 5:22-23.



Please join us, Sunday May 10, for our Youth Sunday service, where we will be celebrating our graduating seniors.



SHUMY is invited to go to Camp Findley with Sue for Mission Camp July 12-17th. We will do ministry/work projects by day and fun camp activities at night. This is a great way to spend a week serving others and drawing closer to Jesus!



Council On Ministries is meeting on Monday, May 4 at 6PM. Everyone is welcome to attend. Questions? Please contact LeAnne Morton.



All women are invited to attend a restful weekend at the Chautauqua retreat, May 29-May 31. Our speaker will be Lori Pickens, who shared at the WCTL Women's Conference in March. Lori has a Masters of Divinity from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary and currently is the Supervisor of Mental Health and Behavioral Specialist Programming for the Erie School District. Be sure to stop by the W.o.W. table in the narthex to grab a flyer for important information and sign up to reserve your spot. See Kris Loeffler or Diane Senger with questions.



The entire church is welcome to join a group attending the play 1776 on Saturday, June 13th, in celebration of our country's 250 birthday. This is the opening weekend of the show so tickets are only \$19 each and there is no reserve seating. Tickets go on sale on May 19th and everyone can purchase their own ticket. Plan to meet at the theater at 6:30 so that we can sit in the same area. Show will begin at 7PM. See LeAnne Morton or Kris Loeffler with questions.



It's time to make plans for Summer Camp! If your child is interested in going to summer church camp please see Sue Tiegs to find a camp that best fits you! We have a variety of camps for all ages and interests. We are going to have a focus on camping ministries on Sunday May 24th so if your kids are on the fence be sure to worship with us that Sunday as we hear life changing testimonies of how God has changed lives through Church Camp!



EUMA's Rainbow Connection is in need of multiple household items. Please consider donating.



The Ella Cochran Food Pantry is currently holding a Spring Cleaning Supply Drive through May 17. They will have their Paper Products Drive from May 25-June 14. If you have any questions please speak with Mary Kobylinski.



2026 Spring Youth Activities





DATE	EVENT	STUDENT	SCHOOL	TIME
5/3/26	Jr. Philharmonic	Jonny Shaffstall	Strong Vincent	3PM
5/7/26	Spring Instrumental Concert	Jonny Shaffstall	Collegiate	7PM
5/14/26	Spring Choral Concert	Jonny and Jess Shaffstall	Collegiate	7PM
5/21/26	Spring Jazz Concert	Jonny Shaffstall	Collegiate	7PM

If you have any updated schedules for upcoming sports and activities, please send them to the office so we as a church can support our children and youth.

A Glance At The Next Two Months..

MAY 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2 1-3PM Shawl Ministry
3  Communion	4 6PM Council on Ministries Mtg. 6:45-8PM Julia Stranahan and Bethany Brady Bible Study	5 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Pastor Tim's Wesleyan Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Brothers	6 6:30AM Men's Study	7 6PM Praise Rehearsal 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study	8	9
10  Donut Sunday Youth/Senior Sunday	11 6:45-8PM Julia Stranahan and Bethany Brady Bible Study	12 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Pastor Tim's Wesleyan Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Brothers	13 6:30AM Men's Study	14 6PM Praise Rehearsal 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study	15	16
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JUNE 2025

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