



# 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

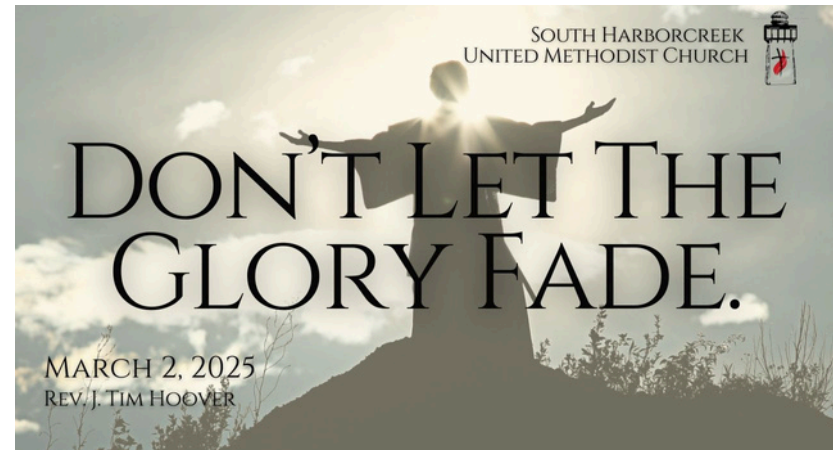
## Thursday February 27, 2025

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 -

## Don't Let The Glory Fade | Sunday Service 03/02/2025

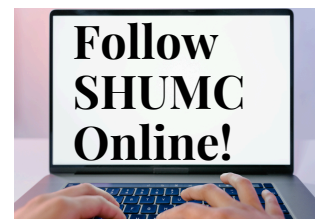


Remember that High School Quarterback that everyone loved and wanted to be around? That superstar athlete that you wished would be your friend, because you would then be cool. What happened to that guy? Did they go on to become a doctor, lawyer, engineer, or financial wizard, or did they fade into the regular fabric of life?

We all know someone or know of someone whose time has come and gone. Something happens when the lights grow dim and crowds no longer cheer your name. But in the case of Moses, he had to hide his glory to keep the Israelites from seeing it fade after being in the presence of God.

As Christians, we no longer need to hide our glory because it will not fade. The reason for this is because Jesus Christ is our glory. His presence in our lives needs to shine through all the darkness that exists around us. This week we look at glory that fades and the glory that doesn't.

## You are always welcome here! Check out our resources!



South Harborcreek UMC is a space that welcomes everyone and we are so happy that this even includes our Hard-of-Hearing and Deaf brothers and sisters. Sign language interpretation during our Sunday service is available upon request. Please make your request known by the Thursday prior to the service you or your loved one will be attending and we will have arrangements made.



In an effort to continue striving towards total inclusion of all of God's children, we have 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!



Are you new at South Harborcreek or just looking to get plugged into a community? We have so many small group opportunities for you to join together with like minded believers. Check out our calender (attached), the table displays in the Narthex or simply ask around! There's a group here that fits your needs no matter who you are or where you're at in life. You belong here!

## LOVE IS KIND. 1 CORINTHIANS 13:4

This Sunday, our Pre-School class will be talking about how love is kind. Their verse of the week will be 1 Corinthians 13:4. If you have any questions about this new program please see Elna Morton.

## THE NIGHT VISITOR JOHN 3:1-17 EVERYONE WHO BELIEVES IN JESUS WILL HAVE ETERNAL LIFE.

This Sunday, our K-3 Sunday School classes lesson is "The Night Visitor". They will be focusing on how everyone who believes in Jesus will have eternal life and will be discussing John 3:1-17.

## Ash Wednesday March 5, 6PM

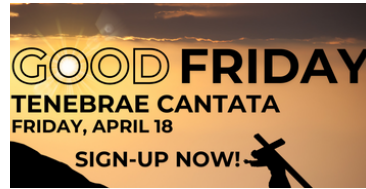
Our Ash Wednesday service is next Wednesday at 6pm in the sanctuary. All are welcome to join us.

## Want to Get Involved? Here's How!

## We Need Your Help!



We are looking for singers and people to work in the sound booth on Sunday mornings. If you are looking for a place to serve and think you would enjoy being apart of a praise or media team, please speak with Linda Morey. There is also an opening on the youth team! Must be SHUMY age and above. A sign-up sheet will be in the narthex.



We are hosting a Good Friday Tenebrae Cantata on April 18. We are looking for singers to present this cantata of 7 songs & 7 readings. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Practices will begin tonight from 7-8PM.

## ERIE OTTERS FAITH & FAMILY NIGHT PRESENTED BY WCTL!

This Sunday is the Faith & Family Night with the Erie Otters. The game starts at 4:00pm. We can't wait to fellowship with you at the game!



Elna's Bible study will begin Max Lucado's book, "He Chose The Nails" on March 4. There are plenty of books available, so if you haven't signed up but would like to, please contact Elna or grab a book from her this Sunday at church!



Diane Senger will be hosting a 6-week Lenten study on Wednesday nights from 6:30-7:45pm in the multi-purpose room starting on March 12. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for those interested. Please sign up and see Diane with questions (814)-392-5367.



March 22nd our Women of Worship will be attending WCTL's Rejoice, Refresh, Renew Women's Conference. Purchase your tickets NOW at wctl.org. Scholarships are available. Contact Kris Loeffler (814-450-4574) with questions.



Are you interested in becoming a prayer partner? Beginning at Lent and ending in January 2026, you will be assigned someone to pray for. While you're praying for them, they're praying for someone else, and someone else is praying for you! This is an amazing opportunity to support those in our congregation year round. Questions can be directed to Judy Faulhaber.

## W.O.W.



W.O.W. will be attending the Erie Playhouse production of the Prince of Egypt on Sunday, April 6 at 2pm. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex. Scholarships are available. Please see Kris Loeffler, Diane Senger, LeAnne Morton or Liz Doleski for information.

Chautauqua Women's Retreat, May 30-June 1, More details to follow. Save the date!

## EUMA Updates

### OUR NEIGHBORS PLACE OVERFLOW SHELTER

EUMA's homeless shelter, Our Neighbors Place, is currently in great need of: Men's boots (sizes 9-11), women's boots (sizes 8-10), unisex sweatpants (sizes S-L) and decaf coffee. If you have questions, please speak with Sandy Shaffer.



For five consecutive Sundays (March 9-30, April 6), from 2-4pm at the Wattsburg UMC the Erie-Meadville District will be hosting their 2025 Spring Lay Servant Ministries School. Registration is \$25 and must be done by Monday, March 3rd. Questions? Contact the District Office (814)-250-2089. Register online at wpaumc.org.



Thank you to everyone who prayed for our youth ministry, SHUMY, as they attended the District Youth Retreat, Winter Blast, last weekend! From what we've heard they had a fantastic time! They learned alot, laughed alot, made new friends, and grew deeper in their relationships with Christ. Please continue praying for our students, that they would continue to Seek Justice, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly. Micah 6:8.



Special thanks to our youth volunteers Stephanie Kraft, Dan, Adrienne, Lizzie, Steph Crosby, Tricia, Lia. You poured love and time and fun into our kids this weekend. We could not have done this without you!

# Winter Youth Schedules



DATE	EVENT	STUDENT	SCHOOL	TIME
03/13-03/15/25	Guys And Dolls Musical	James Crosby	Iroquois High School	7:00 PM
3/23/25	Erie Junior Phil	Jonny Shaffstall	Strong Vincent	3:00 PM
5/18/25	Erie Junior Phil	Jonny Shaffstall	Strong Vincent	3:00 PM

If you have a student in a WINTER sport or activity, or have your schedules available for SPRING sports and activities, please send us their schedule! Being the Church can also look like randomly popping in to a swim meet or wrestling match. Let us be the Church and surround your students with support! Either send your schedule to Pastor Tim or to our office (shumhh@aol.com).

# FEBRUARY 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2  Communion SHUMY	3	4 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp 6PM Christa Craven Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Bros	5 6:30 AM Men's Study	6 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	7 Fellowship Occupied (Prepping for Souper-Sale and Ministry Fair)	8 Fellowship Occupied (Prepping for Souper-Sale and Ministry Fair)
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16 6-9PM SHUMY 5-12th Grade	17	18 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp 6PM Christa Craven Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Bros	19 6:30 AM Men's Study	20 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	21 12-4PM Fellowship Hall Occupied Winter Blast Youth Retreat →	22
23 Fellowship Hall Occupied After Church Winter Blast Youth Retreat	24 6:30PM Administrative Board Mtg 6:30PM Victoria Brady Sm Grp (Panera Bread)	25 9:30AM Elna's Sm Grp 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp 6PM Christa Craven Sm Grp 6:30PM Band of Bros	26 6:30 AM Men's Study	27 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	28	March 1 1-3 PM SHAWL MIN

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# EQUIPPING

## *Erie*

Keystone Family Alliance is offering trauma-informed training to the Erie County community. This FREE training will educate you to better understand children of trauma and equip you with practical tools to support vulnerable children.



Saturday, March 8th &  
Sunday, March 9th



The Summit  
**8160 OLIVER ROAD**  
**ERIE, PA 16509**



**8th**

### Teachers & Professionals

9am-12pm  
Light refreshments provided

### Resource Families (foster, adoptive, kinship)

5-8pm  
Dinner & Childcare provided

**9th**

### Church Ministry & Camp Volunteers

1-4pm  
Lunch provided at 12:30  
Erie First Assembly, Chapel  
8150 Oliver Rd.  
Erie, PA 16509

Register at [keyfam.org/events](https://keyfam.org/events)

Questions? Email [jess@keyfam.org](mailto:jess@keyfam.org)