



# 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 August 21, 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 -

**Faith; The Status Quo | Sunday Service 08/24/2025**



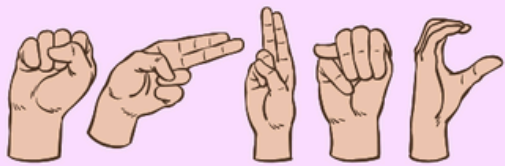
This Sunday we have the honor of hearing from guest preacher and long time friend to many here, Larry Reitz. As our church gathers for our Homecoming Church Picnic, we will be joined by Pastor Larry Reitz, who served South Harborcreek UMC for many, many years. We will be focusing on the idea of homecoming and will be hearing a message, titled "Faith; The Status Quo". Please join us as we welcome Pastor Larry back for this special Sunday service. And be sure to invite your friends and families to partake in all the festivities we have planned.

**Pre-k Through 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School**



Through this Sunday's Pre-k through 4th grade lesson, titled "The Amazing Discovery of King Josiah", our kids will learn that you're never too young to make a difference for God and they will focus on 2 Kings 22:1-23:30.

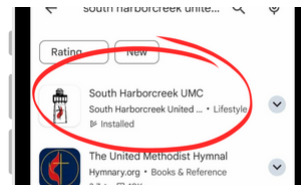
**You Are Always Welcome Here! Check Out Our Resources!**



South Harborcreek is a space that welcomes everyone and we are so happy that this includes both the Hard-of-Hearing and Deaf. 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, we have bulletins available in Spanish. We ask that you only take one if needed so those who are in need can have plenty available. Gracias!



Gain access to a digital copy of our bulletin, give directly from your phone, and receive important updates by searching "South Harborcreek United Methodist Church" in your app store and downloading today!



We have so many small groups for you to join. Check out our calendar or 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!



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



What started as a fun praise team idea has now grown to include you, the congregation! This Sunday, August 24th, we will have "Hawaiian Shirt Sunday"! We invite you to join us in wearing your favorite Hawaiian shirt for the service & church picnic!



This Sunday, August 24, we will be having our church picnic. We will be enjoying an afternoon as a church family! However, we are in need of a few easy-up canopies for the day. If you have one that we can borrow, please coordinate with Sue Fuller so that we can set up the tents this Saturday at 10AM. If you don't have a canopy but would like to help set up, please contact Dane Charlton.



As we prepare to gather for our church picnic this Sunday, we are eager to spend time with you all enjoying good food, good talks and good times. We will provide hot dogs, drinks and plates. We are asking that you bring a dish to share, whether it be a side dish or a dessert or both! There will also be wooden chairs and tables set up, but we would also ask that if you are able to bring your own lawn chair, please do so to guarantee everyone has comfortable and adequate seating for the day.



Our upcoming church picnic is an event planned for the whole family. We will have plenty of opportunity to sit and fellowship, but we also have a bounce house available for our young friends to come and enjoy. Please invite your friends and family so everyone can be blessed by fun this Sunday.




The Ride For The Refuge is coming up quickly on Labor Day (September 1). As we prepare for this monumental fundraiser, we are in need of volunteers. If interested, please reach out to Sandy Shaffer or Liz Doleski.



Starting Sunday, September 14, Donut Sunday is coming back! Our tasty, monthly donut fellowship will be coming back from its summer hiatus and we could not be more excited. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex for those who are interested in volunteering in this ministry area. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Faulhaber.

# A Glance At The Next Two Months..

## AUGUST 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2 1-3PM Shawl Ministry
3  Communion	4	5 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp	6 6:30 AM Men's Study	7 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	8	9
10	11	12 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp	13 6:30 AM Men's Study	14 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	15	16
17 Distric Youth Event	18 6:30PM Administrative Board Meeting	19 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp	20 6:30 AM Men's Study	21 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	22	23
24/31 8/24 - Church Picnic - Homecoming!	25	26 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp	27 6:30 AM Men's Study	28 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	29	30

## SEPTEMBER 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Ride For The Refuge	2 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp	3 6:30 AM Men's Study	4 6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal	5	6 1-3PM Shawl Ministry
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28	29	30 5:30PM Wesleyan Sm Grp	6:30 AM Men's Study	6:30PM Sweet & Salty Bible Study Praise Rehearsal		

**WoW September Event**

# DRUM CIRCLES SHADES BEAT



**6:00 PM/Wed Sept 10th**  
**Bring a chair and**  
**something to bang on**