

~ Welcome ~

WE GATHER

Prelude

“Let All Things Now Living”

Traditional Welsh Melody arranged by Crystal Davis Clay

Welcome & Announcements

*Greeting

WE PRAISE

*Opening Hymn

“God Is Here”

No. 660

*Call to Worship

Leader: Lift praises to the name of our God; bless God's name forever!

People: How great is our God!

Leader: From generation to generation we will sing your praises and speak of your goodness!

People: Great is our God and worthy of praise!

Leader: God, you are just and kind in all your doings!

People: Great is our God and worthy of praise!

Leader: God, you watch over us in love and hear the desperate cries of those who call to you!

All: How great is our God! How great is our God! Bless God's name forever!

*Morning Prayer

Redeeming God, come and heal our lives this day. Open our hearts to receive your words of hope and joy that we may become faithful servants of yours in this world which you have loaned to us. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen

Song of Praise

“Every Living Thing” (Psalm 145) Sung by: Children's Choir

WE CELEBRATE COMMUNITY

Children's Time

“A Plan for Success!”

Millie Frambaugh

At the conclusion of Children's Time all children age 4 through 5th grades are invited to go with the teachers for Sunday School. Nursery care for younger children is also available.

Recognition of Our Veterans

Prayers of the People

Sharing our Joys & Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

No. 70

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning; is now and ever shall be: World without end! Amen, Amen!

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

All: Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21

p. 579

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

p. 1095

Luke 20:27-38

p. 970

Message

Pastor Jane Piehl

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Moment of Reflection

Offering

“Thank You, Lord, for Your Blessings”

By: The Easter Brothers

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all Creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Offertory Prayer

WE GO FORTH

*Closing Hymn

“Living for Jesus”

TFWS 2149

*Benediction

May the love of God, abundant through Jesus Christ, and freely given to us, be with you all your lives. Go in peace to serve God in all that you do. Amen.

*Postlude

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

Arr. by Jan Sanborn

*Indicates congregation to stand

Pastor Jane Piehl
Millie Frambaugh
Charlie Tramel
Bill Baldwin, Ann Passmore
Pylypiak

Pastor
Music Director
Lay Speaker
Greeters
Acolytes

Join us for refreshments following the service.

Welcome to Sharon Center United Methodist Church!

If you are visiting with us for the first time, we are glad you are here! Please make sure to sign the attendance pad as it is passed during the service and let us know your contact information. We welcome all to our Worship Service and our Communion Table is open to everyone. Please join us in our activities and gatherings and if you have a question, just ask, and come back again soon! At Sharon Center UMC we are committed to building relationships with Jesus Christ. For families of all ages, this is a great community to join as you grow in your relationship with God and with others.

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SHARON CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship Service: 10:30am

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November 10, 2019

Pastor Jane Piehl

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Prayer List

Dora Barnes
Norma Bates

Richard Lewis

Guy & Wanda Quick
Mary Jane Winters

This Week

Sun	5p	Church Conference	Grandview UMC	see Elaine M.
	5p	Scout mtg		
Mon	5:30p	Scout mtg		
	7p	Bells practice	Sanctuary	see Millie F.
Tues	7p	Unanswered study	Conference rm.	see Nancy V.
Weds	7p	Trustee's mtg	Choir rm	see Richard F.
	7:30p	Admin Bd mtg	Conference rm.	see Elaine M.
Thurs	10a	Christian Atheist Study	Conference rm	see Randy R.

Upcoming Events

11/17		Christmas Shoeboxes due
11/21	11:30a	Lunch Bunch to Wally Waffle
11/25	7p	Community Thanksgiving Service at Remsen Church
11/30	10a	Hanging of the Greens
12/14	9a-noon	Cookie & Craft Sale
12/15		Children's Christmas musical
12/22	3p	Blue Christmas Service
12/24	7p	Christmas Eve Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lunch Bunch – Lunch Bunch will be going to *Wally Waffle*, 3397 Medina Rd. Akron, OH on Nov. 21, 11:30a. The car pool will leave the church at 11am. Please sign up on the sheet located under the bulletin board by the stairs to the balcony. Please let us know if you will be driving on your own. We order our meals from the menu and each person pays for their own meal. Everyone is invited – bring a friend!

Community Thanksgiving Service – This year's community Thanksgiving service will be at Remsen Christian Church at 7p on Nov. 25.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes –The deadline for shoeboxes is Nov. 17.

Tuesday night study is titled, *Unanswered*, by Jeremiah Johnston. The study will continue through Dec. 3 from 7p-8p in the conference room.

Thursday morning study – A 6 session study on *The Christian Atheist* by: Craig Groeschel continues through Dec. 5 at 10am. in the Conference room.

Men's Breakfast – Men's breakfast study group is studying *Making of a Man*, the next meeting is on Dec. 7 at 8am. It will be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church. The study is by Tim

Brown. Tim Brown won the Heisman Trophy at Notre Dame and played 17 years in the NFL and was inducted into the NFL Hall of Fame in 2015. It's about leading a life of honor and integrity that honors God. This is a study for all men no matter what stage of life you are in.

Can You Serve? Treasurer Needed for Sharon Center UMC! Our wonderful and dedicated Treasurer, Eunice Merritt, needs to step back from her service as our church Treasurer. She has done an amazing job in setting up automatic payments for a number of the regular church bills, and organizing the books to be user friendly. We are in need of a replacement for this volunteer position to serve about an hour or two a week. Please prayerfully consider possible service to our church in this need. Eunice has agreed to mentor her replacement for a period of time until he or she is comfortable in the duties of Treasurer. Having access to a computer will be very helpful. Please consider serving our church's mission in this manner. We have been very blessed to have Eunice in this position for a number of years, and thank her for her dedicated service! If interested, please contact Eunice for more info on what is involved in Treasurer duties, or contact Charlie Tramel, Dan Farnsworth, Bill Baldwin, Elaine Mravetz, or Pastor Jane) if interested in serving our church's mission in this manner.

Cookie & Craft Sale – This year's **Cookie & Craft Sale is on Dec. 14 from 9a-noon**. Cost is \$8/ lb and crafts are variable priced. A sign up sheet is posted for cookies, treat, and craft donations. Let's aim for 25 different varieties of cookies! Please write down what you would like to donate so we don't have multiples of the same.

I wanted to thank everyone in our church family for all of the kind words of support, the cards, and notes that I received during my recent Emmaus Walk. The weekend was an amazing and deeply spiritual one, and I felt the power of your notes, support, and prayers through the weekend! Thank you, *Elaine Mravetz*