

~ Welcome ~

WE GATHER

Prelude "Come, Now Is the Time to Worship"
By: Brian Doerksen

Welcome & Announcements
*Greeting

WE PRAISE

*Opening Hymn "We Are Called" TFWS No. 2172

*Call to Worship

Leader: Listen up, everyone!

People: God has given us work to do.

Leader: God has called each of us before we were even born.

People: It was God who named us.

Leader: It is God who claims us.

People: The light of God's love shines in us.

All: Let's shine God's love into all the world!

*Morning Prayer

God of Isaiah, you are our God, too. You spoke to the prophets, but your message did not end with them. There is still work to be done, and we pray to hear your call afresh. Help us joyfully claim our role as your beloved servants, knowing that you provide all that we need to do our work. We pray with the assurance of those who have been called into fellowship with your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Song of Praise "Here I Am to Worship" All sing along on screen

WE CELEBRATE COMMUNITY

Children's Time "Jesus, Friend of Sinners!" 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.

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	Isaiah 6:1-8, 49:1-7	p. 636, 677
	I Corinthians 1:4-9	p. 1052
	John 1:35-42	p. 978

Message "Stop, Look, Listen, Go" Pastor Jane Piehl
Fruitful Congregations Engage in Passionate Worship

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Moment of Reflection

Offering "How Great Thou Art"
By: Stuart K. Hine

*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 "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" UMH No. 133

*Benediction

Go in the love of the One who strengthens us in our Worship for the work to which we are called. Go with grace to shine God's love into all the world. Amen.

*Postlude

“Here I Am to Worship” with “O Worship the King”

Arr. By: Carol Tornquist

*Indicates congregation to stand

Pastor Jane Piehl
Millie Frambaugh
Elaine Mravetz
Bill Baldwin, Ann Passmore
Lahoski

Pastor
Music Director
Lay Speaker
Greeters
Acolytes

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.

www.sharoncenterumc.org

SHARON CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship Service: 10:30am

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Church hours: Mon, Weds 11a-1p, Fri 11a-3p

January 19, 2020

Pastor Jane Piehl

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Prayer List

Dora Barnes
Norma Bates

Richard Lewis

Guy & Wanda Quick
Mary Jane Winters

This Week

Tues	3:30p 7p	Scout mtg Grace is Greater Study	Conference rm	See Nancy V.
Thurs	10a 7p	Bethlehem Study Choir practice	Conference rm.	See Randy R. See Millie F.
Fri	3:30p	Scout mtg		

Upcoming Events

1/26		All church meeting following service. Sub Sale orders due, limited extra subs day of		
1/30		<i>The Way</i> Study starts		
2/2		Sub Sandwich Sale Sparks mtg		See Nikki F. See Pastor Jane
2/9		Valentine Care packages for college students deadline		
2/26	6:15/ 7p	Ash Wednesday Soup Supper and Service		
3/4	7p-8p	Church open during Lent for quiet time		
3/8		Scout/ 4H Sunday		

ANNOUNCEMENTS

I would like to thank everyone who sent me cards after my dad's passing. It meant a lot to me.

I also would like to thank everyone who prayed for me, for Pastor Jane and the get well cards after my surgery. Terry, Mason, Connor and I want to say thank you to Elaine and Bob, Janet and Lois for the awesome meals! That helped so much and we were so grateful. And an extra special thank you to Bob and Elaine for taking the time, on Christmas Day, to bring us Christmas dinner. It was such a blessing and we appreciated it so much.

Thank you all for your prayers, love and support through this difficult time,
Mindi Haddix

Sub Sandwich Sale – Our Annual Super Bowl Sunday Sub Sandwich Sale will be Feb. 2. Order forms are available. All subs are by donation and this year's donations will go to supporting our Sparks Youth Group activities.

All Church meeting – On Sun. Jan 26, immediately following the service we will have an all church meeting.

Lunch Bunch – Lunch Bunch will be going to *Dewey's Pizza*, 3265 Fairlawn, OH on Jan. 16, 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!

Winter Weather Notice – Please note that if a LEVEL 2 OR LEVEL 3 SNOW EMERGENCY is issued by the Medina County Sheriff's Office, the Church will be closed and there will be no services.

Valentine Care packages for college students and active duty military – Let the office know of college students or active duty military and addresses by Feb. 2. Deadline for treats and goodies collection is Feb. 9.

Tuesday evening study – We will start discussing *Grace is Greater* by Kyle Idleman on Jan. 14 at 7pm in the Conference Room.

Thursday morning study – We will start discussing *The Way* by Adam Hamilton on Jan. 30 at 10am in the Conference Room.

Sparks - Mark your calendar for February 2 and join the Sparks for games! We will have different kinds of games for everyone to participate so all kids are welcome to join us! We will meet at the church from 4:00 to 6:00 PM in Fellowship Hall.

Cookie Sundays Sign up and Greeter Sign up sheets are posted for 2020.