



Christ the Lord is RISEN Today

It is a pleasure and honor to worship with you this Easter Day.

To our guests and visitors, we welcome you with
Open Hearts, Open Minds and Open Doors.

We pray you find radical hospitality and the presence of the resurrected Christ.

If you do not have a church home, we welcome you to
consider Sewickley United Methodist Church.

Each Sunday we have a 9 am Contemporary Service and an 11 am Traditional service. A nursery is available during both services. Children 4-12 are invited to Children's Church, held after Children's Moments.

Please give careful attention to our ministry opportunities of outreach, as well as opportunities for nurture & spiritual growth. For more information, please feel free to contact the pastor at 412-741-9430, or visit our website at sewickleyumc.org.

Everyone is welcome here!

- **EASTER EGG HUNT** — The Education team will be conducting an egg hunt between services on Easter Sunday. Children of all ages are invited. Guests are welcome!
- Those who purchased Easter flowers are welcome to take them after the 11 am service. If you don't recall what you ordered, please see Pastor Hannah
- **SAVE THE DATE**— Our free Community Vacation Bible School, for students pre-school through middle school, will be offered from 6 pm through 8 pm, Aug. 5 through Aug. 8 on the SUMC campus. Our theme will be "Seekers in Sneakers: Discovering Jesus" and our exploration will help campers see Jesus in the world, in each other and in themselves. Everyone - classmates, teammates, neighbors, cousins - is welcome. Registration details will be revealed later in the Spring, but adults and youth interested in planning, preparation and presentation should see Grace Rogansky, Felicity Moffett, Pamela Mayo or Bill Utterback soon. [You can also fill out the VBS volunteer signup form online.](#) We appreciate your help and ideas. The imagining is underway!
- **MOTHER'S DAY** - Our children and youth will be leading worship on Mother's Day (May 12) and students are invited to share their musical gifts in the worship services. Anyone interested in singing or playing an instrument on Mother's Day should contact Grace Rogansky, Pamela Mayo or Bill Utterback. The Junior Clocktower Ringers and Rainbow Bells will be participating and Children's church kids from 9 am & 11 am. will be leading prayer, sharing scripture and taking on multiple roles during the worship service
- **CARD SHOWER**—Let's shower Nancy Shuluga with cards as she celebrates her birthday on April 3. Please keep her and Russel, and their entire family, in your prayers as Nancy battles pancreatic cancer. 114 Bentley Down Dr., Coraopolis, PA 15108
- **SUMMER CAMP 2024**—Registration is OPEN! The United Methodist Church has three great camps in Western PA. SUMC has campership funds available to help your child attend one of these camps this summer. For more info, please contact Sandy Kuriger or Pastor Hannah.
- **The United Women in Faith (UWF)** will meet on Sunday, April 14, 2024 in the Simpson Room following the traditional service. Everyone is invited to attend our meetings. Please bring your own lunch; beverages and dessert will be provided. Again, all are welcome. Kristine Swaney, 412-716-5772 (cell) or 412-741-2092 (home).
- **NATIVE AMERICAN MINISTRIES**—Sunday, April 14th. This United Methodist-wide Special Offering bolsters the work of Native American ministries in annual conferences throughout the United States. These ministries exist in rural and urban settings, including reservation and other community ministries. The Native American Ministries offering also provides scholarships for Native Americans studying at United Methodist schools of theology and empowers congregations to find culturally appropriate ways to minister to their communities through Christ's love.
- **LEAP OF FAITH**—Are you looking for some family friendly stuff to do on Saturday night? Have you been longing to go to a concert in a while? Or do you just really like good worship music? Join Leap of Faith for an evening of praise, worship and fellowship. We will rock this house of worship for Jesus on April 20th at 7 p.m. A free will offering will be received! All are welcome!
- **Looking for high school or college graduates**— Please notify the office or Sandra Lane (slane819@yahoo.com) if you are graduating in May 2024. Your church family would like to recognize and celebrate your achievement on June 9, both services. Below is a list of those we currently have on record. Please let us know of any spelling corrections or name additions:
 - High School: David McCombs, Sebastian Cymbalak and Patrick Gold
 - College: Paige Lenhardt, Hannah Gold and Emily Erkert
- **SAVE THE DATE**—Please come to our annual church picnic where we will break bread with our family at St Matthews AME Zion Church on June 23. We will provide the beef and veggie burgers and hotdogs There will be one service that day. More to follow.

- **BOOSTING THE CAPITAL FUND**—Thank you for supporting the ministries of SUMC with your giving. In addition to your regular giving, please consider giving to the “Capital Fund” to help provide for the long-term maintenance of our beautiful and prominent building.
- **BOOKS FOR KIDS**—The 7th Grade Quaker Valley Middle School Project is Books for Kids. They are looking for donations of new or gently used books for daycares and preschools in local disadvantaged neighborhoods. The books should be geared towards infants/toddlers to preschool aged children. There is a box for donations located outside the office. Donations will be accepted until April 8th.
- **NEWS FROM NURTURE!** - Thank you for supporting the chili and hummus sale. The \$550 profit supports church projects. Also:
 - Please volunteer to help with the Walking Taco sale at May Mart on Saturday, May 13.
 - Everyone is invited to a luncheon on Tuesday, May 14, at Sandy Kuriger’s home.
 - Another invitation is to a luncheon at the Christy House on Friday, June 7th
 Please see Sandy Kuriger or Donna Sawhill for more information.
- **PITTSBURGH DISTRICT CONFERENCE**—The Conference will be held on April 21st at Dutilh UMC at 3pm. All are welcome.
- **LIFE LINE SCREENING**—provides advanced, yet affordable and convenient health screenings that supplement your traditional healthcare. Preventive screenings can help and we have partnered with Life Line Screening to provide these valuable screenings here at SUMC on Thursday, April 11. They can help make you aware of a previously silent, unknown problems that can now get treated at an early stage, or confirm that you are on the right path and should continue your healthy habits. Don’t let heart disease and stroke get in your way of the life you love. These 4 vital screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Register by calling toll free 1-844-591-7160, text the word "circle" to 216-279-1607 or online at <https://lisa.social/HC>. Pre-registration is required.
- **WOMEN’S GROUP**—The Tuesday Women’s Group has collected over \$150 in their birthday bank for the Nyadire. Please help them double this amount with a gift of any amount. The group is studying important women every Tuesday morning in April. The May study will concentrate on “The Chosen.”
- **PICKET FENCE ORDERS**—We are offering an opportunity to leave a lasting sign of your support towards the preschool/church playground with a personalized fence picket that will be installed this spring. Order forms may be found in the back of the sanctuary.

PRAYER LIST			
Peace in the Holy Land Hurst Bartley Betty Burrows (Wilma Hamilton’s sister-in-law) Family of Dee Bursick (Family Friend of Carol Egenlauf) Sydni Canney Anne Clifford (Jenine Furry’s sister-in-law) Bruno Crapis Mollie Devine (Renee Gittins’ sister)	Nick Devine (Renee Gittins’ great nephew) Clyde Grossarth (Steve’s brother) Steve Grossarth Candy Grudovich (Joe Boward’s sister) Rev. Jim Hamilton Family of Virginia Harriger Beate Henkel Lucas James (Sel Dean’s brother) Matthew Kania Grace & Murch King	Family of Walt & Henrietta Kretzler Nikki and John Sandra Obeng Lorraine Offner Keith Pelphrey Jean Reed Jim Rogansky Jasmine Ross Megan Shong (Renee Gittins’ great-niece) Nancy Shuluga C.R. & Lorraine Simpson (Edie Erkert’s parents) Jacqueline Stancil	Family of Shirley Sye Bill T Lauren Tillman Morgan W. and Family Karen Yant Rich Zahrobsky Dennis Zeveny And our shut-ins: Sylvia Bajsec Olive & Jim Chewning Renee Gittins Shirley Graham Pat Rudy Lura Zaremba



Easter Flower Dedications



In memory of Gordon's parents,
Tony and Mary Chesney
by Gordon and Debbie Chesney

In memory of Debbie's parents,
Kenneth and Dixie Lemasters
by Gordon and Debbie Lemasters

In memory of her husband, David A. Ford,
by Carole J. M. Ford

In memory of their parents
by Joe and Martha Boward

In memory of the Maminski Family,
by Pat and Bill Ferguson

In memory of Bola Nicholson
by Pam Honeychurch

In memory of Louie and Lucille Martin
by Liz Martin Brown

In memory of Pat Leiphart
by Pat and Steve Grossarth

In memory of Michael Grossarth
and Jessica Hooper
by Mom, Dad, Grandma and Grandpa

In memory of Eleanor Schmitt
by Jere and Sharon Cowden

In memory of Sun I. Kim
by The Dotterers

In memory of Robert and Barry Yant,
by Dana Yant

In memory of Loved Ones.
by Shawn & Lou Ann Scott

In memory of Emma D. Fitzpatrick
by The Dotterers

In memory of her parents, Lucille
and Louie Martin,
by Liz Brown

In memory of Mildred and Chester Tahl
by Jere and Sharon Cowden

In memory of all our family in heaven
by Joe and Debbie Consoli

In memory of Bettye and Clair V. Cowden
by Jere and Sharon Cowden

In honor of his mom, Elvira R. Kinneer,
by Warren R. Kinneer

In honor of her three sons
by Carole J. M. Ford

In honor of Grace Rogansky
by Aunt Meg and Johnny

In honor of her grandchildren, Alexa and Daniel,
by Carole J. M. Ford

In honor of Pat and Steve Grossarth,
by Pam Honeychurch

In honor of Nancy and Russel Shuluga,
by Pam Honeychurch

In honor of Olive Chewning
by Dana Yant

In honor of Alan and Kelly Honeychurch
by Pat and Steve Grossarth

In honor of Dr. Alissa Wilmot and Children
by Jere and Sharon Cowden

In honor of all the youth in the SUMC family
by Amanda Pelphrey

In honor of Debbie and Joe,
by Dorothy Jadowiec

In honor of their children,
by Joe and Martha Boward

In honor of Hurst and Diane Bartley
by Pam Honeychurch

In honor of Michael Cowden and Children
by Jere and Sharon Cowden

In honor of Laura and Pam Honeychurch
by Pat and Steve Grossarth

To the Glory of God
by Michael and Patti Ellis

To the Glory of God
by Sandra and Bill Kuriger

To the Glory of God
by Pat and Steve Grossarth

In honor of Bethany Knicely and Avyn
by Jere and Sharon Cowden

In honor of Elvira R. Kinneer
by Warren R. Kinneer

In honor of all my family and friends at SUMC.
I miss you!
by Lou Ann Scott