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The Core Values of the Sturgeon Bay Moravian Church – We Value:

- ***“Being a Safe Harbor”*** For the spiritual pilgrims in our community.
- ***“Children and Youth”*** We are committed to congregational life that is open and nurturing to young people.
- ***“Excellence in Worship”*** We expect the gospel of Jesus Christ to be proclaimed through excellence in music ministry, quality of liturgy, preaching and celebration of the sacraments.
- ***“Mission”*** Recognizing our common call to ministry, we strive to live our faith sacrificially in our community and in the world.
- ***“Our Moravian Heritage”*** All of our core values have historical precedent in an ancient tradition of Christian witness.

A nursery for children ages 5 and under is in Room 201 of the Christian Education Building. Preschoolers only please, so that attendants may give each child proper attention.

You will find offering plates at the back of the Sanctuary.

2025 Watchword – As the mountains surround Jerusalem, so the Lord surrounds his people from this time on and forevermore.

Staff

Rev. Dr. Matthew Knapp, Sr.....Senior Pastor
Rev. Reeder Herrick.....Associate Pastor
Karen Bongle..... Administrative Assistant
Kimberly Knapp.....Choir Director
Kathy Sedan Organist
Brenda Wick..... Reader



Sturgeon Bay Moravian Church

November 2, 2025



To maintain a worshipful atmosphere, we ask that you turn off all cell phones. Thank you.

Prelude

Welcome, Ritual of Friendship, Announcements

Moments of Preparation

Call to Worship

***Hymn** – Rise Up, O Saints of God! MBW 628

***Liturgy** – All Saints MBW 105

Children’s Moment

Anthem – Home R. Schram

Hymn – O God, Our Help in Ages Past MBW 461

Scripture Lesson Luke 19:1-10

Sermon “More Than Words”

Hymn – How Firm a Foundation MBW 709

*Benediction

*Postlude

(* =The congregation is invited to stand)

Opportunities This Week

Mon.	11/03	Staff meeting	9:00 am
Tues.	11/04	Bible Study	8:15 am
Wed.	11/05	RAMS	4:30 - 5:30 pm
		Middle/High School Fellowship	5:30 - 7:00 pm
		Women's Bible Study	6:00 - 7:00 pm
Sun.	11/09	Coffee Hus	9:30 - 10:30 am
		Choir Rehearsal	9:15 - 10:00 am
		Sunday School	9:30 - 10:15 am
		Worship / Communion / Veteran's Sunday	10:30 am

Looking Ahead

Mon.	11/10	Staff meeting	9:00 am
Tues.	11/11	Bible Study	8:15 am
Wed.	11/12	RAMS	4:30 - 5:30 pm
		Middle/High School Fellowship	5:30 - 7:00 pm
		Women's Bible Study	6:00 - 7:00 pm
Sun.	11/16	Coffee Hus	9:30 - 10:30 am
		Choir Rehearsal	9:15 - 10:00 am
		Sunday School	9:30 - 10:15 am
		Worship / Baptism	10:30 am

Online Worship at www.sbmoravian.org.
Now livestreaming service @ 10:30.

In Our Prayers – Please keep Sherry Mutchler in your prayers as she continues her cancer treatment.

Today is All Saints' Sunday: Today provides the opportunity for our worshipping community to remember all those persons of faith who have completed their walk in this life and are now in the immediate presence of their Lord. Please remember in your prayers all the special people listed today.

Veterans' Recognition Sunday, November 9 - We will pause to honor the veterans of our congregation who have served or are serving their country through the United States Armed Forces, whether in peacetime or in war. If your information hasn't been listed in past bulletins, and you wish to be included in this list, please contact the church office or email to bongle@sbmoravian.org by November 3. We will need to know the branch of service, date/year(s) served and rank.

Operation Christmas Child starts today. Please pick up a box in the narthex or in the Fellowship Room - see bulletin insert for details.

Scripture Lesson

Luke 19:1-10

¹ Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through. ² A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy. ³ He wanted to see who Jesus was, but because he was short he could not see over the crowd. ⁴ So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see him, since Jesus was coming that way. ⁵ When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today." ⁶ So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly. ⁷ All the people saw this and began to mutter, "He has gone to be the guest of a sinner." ⁸ But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, "Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount." ⁹ Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham. ¹⁰ For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

Honduras Mission Trip Information Session: On Tuesday, November 4th we will be hosting an information session for our next trip to Ahuas, Honduras. The meeting will be at 4:30 pm in the Sheldon Conference Room, which is easily accessible through the ER entrance at Door County Medical Center. The next trip is scheduled for April 19th - 26th and we would like to have a good mix of folks with clinical and non-clinical skills. Anyone with a heart to serve others is qualified and anyone is welcome to attend the information session just to check it out. If you need to attend virtually or would like to view a recording of the information session, please contact Brian Stephens at brian.stephens@dcmedical.org.

Unity Prayer Watch – Dec. 5. We need your prayers! The daily "Prayer Watch" was established shortly after the August 13, 1727 communion when the Moravians established an "Hourly Intercession," believing continual prayer was an absolute essential for the Church to grow and thrive under the leading of God's spirit. Our 2025 day of prayer is Dec. 5. We are sharing this day with other Moravian congregations. Please consider signing up for a half hour of prayer. There is a sign-up sheet in Coffee Hus. Thank you.