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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.

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**2026 Watchword** – I have put my spirit upon my servant; he will bring forth justice to the nations. Isaiah 42:1

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#### Staff

Rev. Dr. Matthew Knapp, Sr. .... Senior Pastor  
Karen Bongle ..... Administrative Assistant  
Kim Knapp ..... Choir Director  
Peggy Royscek ..... Organist  
Brenda Wick ..... Lay Reader



# Sturgeon Bay Moravian Church

February 8, 2026



*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 – God, Whose Almighty Word

MBW 380

\*Liturgy – Baptism

MBW 165

#### Children’s Moment

#### Pastoral Prayer

Hymn – Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service

MBW 688

#### Scripture Lesson

Matthew 5:13-20

#### Sermon

“Fulfillment”

Hymn – The Church of Christ, in Every Age

MBW 694

#### \*Benediction

#### \*Postlude

(\* =The congregation is invited to stand)

## Opportunities This Week

Mon. 02/09	Staff meeting	9:00 am
Tues. 02/10	Bible Study	8:30 am
	Faith Circle	1:30 pm
Wed. 02/11	Church Quilting Group	9:00 – 12:00 pm
	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. 02/15	Coffee Hus	9:30 – 10:30 am
	Choir Rehearsal	9:15 – 10:00 am
	Sunday School	9:30 – 10:15 am
	Worship	10:30 am

## Looking Ahead

Mon. 02/16	Staff meeting	9:00 am
Tues. 02/17	Bible Study	8:30 am
Wed. 02/18	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. 02/22	Coffee Hus	9:30 – 10:30 am
	Choir Rehearsal	9:15 – 10:00 am
	Sunday School	9:30 – 10:15 am
	Worship	10:30 am

**Online Worship** at [www.sbmoravian.org](http://www.sbmoravian.org).

Now livestreaming service @ 10:30.

**Church-wide Retreat at Mt. Morris** – April 17-19, 2026.

Mark your calendars! Check the insert for details.

**We Are Pleased to Welcome Isla May Cole**, daughter of David Cole and Rebecca Cookle, born October 13, 2025, in Green Bay, into our church family by the sacrament of Infant Baptism. Isla is the granddaughter of David Cole and Debra Kapplehoff and Shane and Justina Walschinski. Her sponsors are Jessica Weckler, Stacee DeMuese and Matthew Nei. Mary Campbell, of our Board of Elders, will light the baptismal candle signifying this first step in Isla's faith journey.

**Coffee Hus and Video Room: We need volunteers!** Please consider signing up to serve at Coffee Hus Sunday morning or in the Video Room during worship. Please contact the office, 920-743-6218, or email to [sbmc@sbmoravian.org](mailto:sbmc@sbmoravian.org) if you are interested. Thank you.

## Scripture Lesson

### Matthew 5:13-20

<sup>13</sup> “You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

<sup>14</sup> “You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. <sup>15</sup> Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. <sup>16</sup> In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven. <sup>17</sup> “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. <sup>18</sup> For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth disappear, not the smallest letter, not the least stroke of a pen, will by any means disappear from the Law until everything is accomplished. <sup>19</sup> Therefore anyone who sets aside one of the least of these commands and teaches others accordingly will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever practices and teaches these commands will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. <sup>20</sup> For I tell you that unless your righteousness surpasses that of the Pharisees and the teachers of the law, you will certainly not enter the kingdom of heaven.

**Smoked Fish Fundraiser** to benefit the Interfaith Coalition for Housing- Sturgeon Bay. Available for pick up next Sunday, February 15 following worship – please see insert to order yours. **Please place orders by February 11. Email or call the office.**

**Lenten Bible Study:** We are excited to be offering a Wednesday noon, Lenten Bible Study created by the Moravian Board of World Mission. The study is "Everyone Wants a Better World" and is based on the Sermon on the Mount and the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals. Some of the topics will include "Care for Creation," "Care for Each Other," and "Care for the Right Relationships. Sylvie Hauser and Andy Starr will lead it. We will meet in the Fellowship Room on Wednesday, Feb. 24, March 4, 11, 18 and 25 at 12:00 pm. There will be a soup lunch provided. We hope you will join us as we are one of the congregations testing this course and giving feedback before it is released to the greater church. If you can only make one or come every week, please join us in this Lenten study.