



"WE ARE THE CHURCH TOGETHER"

October, 2025

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2025 CONGREGATIONAL WATCHWORD: Psalm 125:2

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



WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES 10:30 am

October 5 - Regular Worship / Communion

October 12 - Regular Worship

October 19 - Regular Worship

October 26 - Bible Presentation for 3rd graders

Worship online @ www.sbmoravian.org - a new service is available every Sunday.

Livestream available @ 10:30 or watch at your convenience.

A Few Updates

Dear Congregation,

There are so many blessings for us to be thankful for this fall. Our Sunday School attendance has grown significantly and youth fellowships have grown so much we have split into two groups with two different meals on Wednesdays. Please take note of the upcoming activities and opportunities listed below:

October is Pledge Month

This is the time we ask you to prayerfully consider the financial needs of the congregation and what God is calling you to give to support those needs in 2026. There will be pledge cards in the bulletin every Sunday throughout the month and you can also go to the church website in the 'On-line Forms' and fill out your pledge online. Those pledges are very important for our boards in planning for ministry for the coming year.

Worldwide Communion

We will be celebrating worldwide communion on Sunday, October 5 during worship.

Bible Sunday and Children Singing

On Sunday, October 26, our third graders will be presented with their first Bibles; and all of the children will be singing during worship.

Interfaith Housing Coalition-Sturgeon Bay (IHC)

The Interfaith Housing Coalition is moving forward. Habitat has agreed to renovate the clinic on 16th St. and we are currently nailing down a memo of understanding between the IFC, the Sturgeon Bay Medical Center and Habitat. We hope to begin work on this soon. Your support has been a huge part of getting us to this point. Thank You!!!

Pastor Knapp

MEETINGS

Board of Elders'	11/10	6:30 pm
Board of Trustees'	11/17	6:30 pm

CALENDAR

- **Adult Choir Rehearsal:** Sundays 9:15 am in the sanctuary
- **Coffee Hus:** Sunday's @ 9:30 am
- **Sunday School:** 9:30 - 10:15 am
- **Bible Study:** Tuesday mornings @ 8:15
- **Faith Circle:** 2nd Tuesday every month @1:30 pm in the Fellowship Room
- **Quilting Group:** 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 9:00 am -12 pm
- **Wed. Night Youth:** Rams (Gr.1-5) 4:30-5:30; Middle/High School Fellowship 5:30 - 7:00
- **Women's Bible Study:** Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:00 pm



In The Life of Our Church Family

In Our Prayers:

Please keep Sherry Mutchler in your prayers as she continues her treatment for cancer. She will have surgery on October 20.

Baptism - Lennox Bee Struck, daughter of Quinn & Abby Struck, born June 22, 2025 in Sturgeon Bay, was welcomed into our church family by the sacrament of Infant Baptism on September 21, 2025. Lennox is the granddaughter of Thomas & Jill Struck and Mark (deceased) & Tina Jennerjohn. Lennox's sponsors are Derek & Jenna Jennerjohn.



MEMORIAL SUNDAY: November 2

All Saints' Sunday, in the traditional church calendar, provides the opportunity for the worshipping community to remember all persons of faith who have completed their walk in this life and are now in the immediate presence of their Lord.

Sunday, November 2 has been designated as our All Saints' Memorial Service. You are invited to remember family members, neighbors and friends with gratitude for their witness of faith and impact on our lives. Remembering is a gift from God, which has an appropriate place in worship; the grief we continue to experience from the loss of loved ones also finds appropriate expression in the worship setting. We hope you'll be present for this service, which brings smiles, tears, and always joy for the blessings we now have because of those who have gone before. If there are people whom you would like to have remembered in the bulletin, please provide the church office with your name, phone number and a list of those you wish to be remembered by October 27.

VETERAN'S SUNDAY November 9

On Sunday, November 9 we will pause to honor the veterans of our congregation. If your information hasn't been listed in past bulletins, or if your information has changed since last year, and you wish to be included in this list, please contact the church office by November 1st. We need the name, branch of service, date/year(s) served and rank. Thank you.



Youth Choir

The youth choir will rehearse on Sunday mornings during Sunday School. Please mark your calendars for the Sunday the youth will be singing:

Oct. 26: 10:30 worship - All ages will be singing.

3rd Grade Bible Presentation, Sunday, October 26

Each year the church presents Bibles to our 3rd graders to encourage their adventure in a life long study of God's Word. We will present Bibles during worship on October 26. If you have a child in the 3rd grade, please plan on attending.



OCTOBER IS PLEDGE MONTH

PLEDGE FOR 2026

Working together for the kingdom of God, and in response to God's Gracious love and for the growth of my faith, I (we) promise, with God's help, to support my church with the following commitment:

Name: _____		Phone No: _____				
		I PLAN TO GIVE:				
		☐ CASH				
		☐ BY ENVELOPE				
		☐ ONLINE				
I _____		al Commitment is:				
		\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
		Weekly	Semi-monthly	Monthly	Quarterly	Annual
Envelope Number: _____		(This commitment may be revised/canceled at any time at my request.)				

We ask that you prayerfully consider what your commitment might be for **2026**. Please drop the above form in the collection plate, the office or in the mail by **October 31st**. You can also go to www.sbmoravian.org and submit an online pledge form from our website. Thank you!

**Operation Christmas Child:**

In November SBMC will again participate in the Operation Christmas Child project. The shoeboxes will be available Sunday, November 2.

To supplement our supply of shoe boxes, if you have any empty regular shoe boxes at home, please drop them off at church before November 2. Thanks for your help.

More information will be available in November.

HOPE CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE - 12th & MICHIGAN ST.

OCT. 10th from 9 am - 6 pm

OCT. 11th from 9 am - Noon

"THE BEST RUMMAGE SALE IN DOOR COUNTY"

Chili Cook-off

We are looking for chili makers! On Sunday, Oct. 26 we are hosting a chili cook off immediately following worship. Your special chili can be a part of this celebration. Pastor Matt is submitting his Kansas City chili for the event! The categories for chili will be: spicy, vegetarian, chili with beans, chili with macaroni and white chili. Contact the church office if you want to bring your favorite chili. If not, mark your calendar and come join the fun. There will also be chicken tenders for the kids and anyone who is not a chili eater.

