

THIS WEEKS REMINDERS

- ◆ Confirmation Meeting today at 12:30 p.m.—Youth Room
- ◆ Erie-Meadville District Lay Ministry School today at 2—4 p.m.—Various Rooms
- ◆ Boy Scout Troop Meeting on Monday at 6:30—8 p.m.—Scout Room
- ◆ Faith for Today Group on Monday at 7 p.m.—Miriam
- ◆ SPRC Committee Meeting on Monday at 7 p.m.—Zoom
- ◆ Cub Scout Meeting on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.—Grace Hall/Scout Room/Upstairs Classrooms
- ◆ Confirmation Meeting Makeup on Tuesday at 7 p.m.—Zoom
- ◆ Heather Club Meeting on Tuesday at 7 p.m.—Wesley
- ◆ No Worship Team Meeting this month
- ◆ “Early Risers” Men’s Book Club on Wednesday at 7 a.m.—Wesley
- ◆ Choir Practice on Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.—Sanctuary
- ◆ Praise Band Practice on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.—Sanctuary
- ◆ Men’s Coffee Group on Thursday at 9 a.m. — Overflow
- ◆ Women’s Book Club on Thursday at 9 a.m. —Zoom
- ◆ EUMY Meeting on Thursday at 6 p.m.—Youth Room
- ◆ Conversations Uncorked on Thursday at 7 p.m.—Zoom
- ◆ Senior Citizens Meeting on Friday at 12 p.m.—Grace Hall
- ◆ Men’s Breakfast Group on Saturday at 8 a.m.—Crossroads

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 6th, but will reopen on Tuesday, May 7th.

Edinboro United Methodist Church

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Our Staff:

Pastor Ed Schoeneck

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| Dr. Jerra Jenrette, Pastoral Assistant | John Layden, Lay Leader |
| Tyler Volk, Dir. of Youth & Family Ministries | Kay Jordan, Treas. |
| Junia Isiminger, Adm. Asst. | Dennis Carner, Tech |
| Larry & Brenda Evans, Music Lead. | Jane Springer, Organist |

NURSERY TEXT NUMBER: 814-528-4881



Edinboro United Methodist Church



May 5, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

EMBRACE

ENGAGE

IGNITE

EDINBORO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Ed Schoeneck

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5, 2024

**denotes standing as able*

We Gather in Praise

GATHERING

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP ("The Pattern of Our Days"*, Iona Community) *Irene Smith*

Leader: As we gather for worship welcomed by God's grace,

People: we lay down the "shoulds" that dominate our lives and look to lighten up.

Leader: As we travel the stony paths of discipleship empowered by God's love,

People: we let go of the drive to succeed and seek the journey of un-burdening.

Leader: As we continue the journey of repentance, of turning around compelled by God's justice,

People: we leave behind familiar paths and step lightly into the unknown.

Leader: As we gather together, let us make room in our lives to cherish God's call,

People: for where our treasure is, there our hearts will be too.

*HYMN "Open the Eyes of My Heart" 3008

*OPENING PRAYER (*Flames of the Spirit*, Ruth Duck) *Irene Smith*

Gracious God, with great gentleness and care, you call us to be your people and to do your work. Be here with us today, for we come, asking for your support in all that we do. We need your love, transforming our lives in hope. Be with us, we pray, Amen.

*RESPONSE Gloria Patri/Glorify Thy Name

We Receive the Word

SCRIPTURE READING **John 17: 20-26** (*The Message*) *Irene Smith*

HYMN "He Has Made Me Glad" 2270

CHILDREN'S TIME Tyler Volk

HYMN "He Has Made Me Glad" 2270

SCRIPTURE READING **Exodus 16: 1-12** (NRSV) *Pastor Ed*

REFLECTION *Pastor Ed*

"Letting Go: Leaving Behind What We Don't Need"

HYMN "It is Well with My Soul" 377

We Respond to the Word

SERVICE OF COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Time of Confession

Words of Assurance

The Great Thanksgiving U. M. Hymnal page 15

Sharing the Bread and the Cup

SHARING OF PRAYER CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

We Go Forth to Serve

*HYMN "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" 127

*BENEDICTION

Are you a visitor to our church? If you answer this question with a yes – **Welcome! We are happy you are here!** Please complete the blue Visitor card in the pew and place it in the offering plate.

Electronic Giving Platform

For those who would like to bless EUMC with their financial gifts electronically. Scanning the Q-Code will take you directly to our electronic giving site.





GRADUATES

Do you have a high school or college graduate?

We would like to recognize them during our worship service on June 2nd.

Please contact the church office to sign your graduate up for recognition.

We will need graduate name, school, degree and a photo for our slide show.

Please email to: office@edinboroumc.org

The Edinboro Area Senior Citizens are planning to attend the Erie Seawolves Game on Sunday, June 30th at 1:35 p.m. Early entry is 12:15 p.m. Buffet starts at 1 till 2:30 p.m. Buffet includes hot dogs, hamburgers, watermelon, salads, beans, soft drinks, etc. The picnic area is behind the seats and the seats are accessible.

Cost for the game and buffet is \$34, buffet only (if already a ticket holder) is \$20. Children 4 -12 are \$27.

The Seawolves are playing the Harrisburg Senators.

Sign up in the Narthex or contact the office. Please make check payable to Edinboro Area Senior Citizens. Any questions, please contact Pat Koloskee (patkoloskee@gmail.com).



It's time for our new photo directory!

Our Church family Album will not be complete without you!

Photography Appointments:

Thursday, May 30th 2 - 8:30 p.m.

Friday, May 31st 2 - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 1st 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.



Appointments can be made before or after Sunday worship on April 21 & 28 and May 5 & 19 in the Narthex or by calling Irene Smith 814-602-8406

After May 19th -calls will be made by church directory committee members to anyone not scheduled.

The Red Bird Mission Sweet Bread fundraiser have 19 loaves of Sweet Breads left. They are in the church freezer. You can pick yours up from the freezer and pay in the office. Loaves are \$6/each!

EUMC Mother's Day Flower Sale

Sundays, April 28—May 12

Profits benefit 2024 Red Bird Mission Trip

10" Hanging Baskets \$30

Gift Certificates are available and can be presented anytime during the 2024 growing season at Scotland Yards, 12551 Fry Road, Edinboro, PA

Pastor Ed will be on vacation May 9—May 13. Please contact Dr. Jerra Jenrette for pastoral care needs (814) 440-3988.

EUMC SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATIONS
DUE ON 
MAY 31, 2024



ARE YOU A COLLEGE
STUDENT WHO HAS
COMPLETED AT
LEAST TWO
SEMESTERS OF
COURSE WORK?

SCHOLARSHIP
DIRECTIONS &
FORM

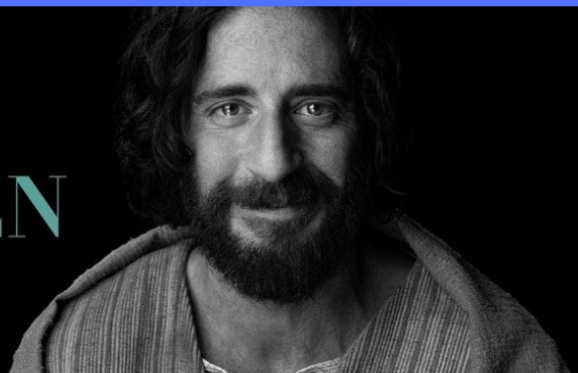
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WWW.EDINBOROUMC.ORG

COMING SOON

Movie Night Meets Adult Sunday School

Starting June 23rd - the Adult Sunday School class that meets on Zoom on Sundays at 8:30 a.m. for chat and 9:00 a.m. for class discussion will begin discussing the drama series *The Chosen* - Season 1. Participants will watch an episode of *The Chosen* each week on their own time and then discuss during class. There will be a workbook to use with the video. Sign up in the Narthex or talk to Dr. Jerra Jenrette.

The
CHOSEN



You are invited to *Linger Longer Luncheon*

HOSTED BY EDINBORO AREA
SENIOR CITIZENS GROUP

19 MAY
2024

AFTER
WORSHIP



The senior citizens use our church for their meetings. To thank us, they are hosting a potluck luncheon following worship. You do not need to bring anything other than your appetite!

IFF FALL ROAD TRIP

Cincinnati, Ohio

SEPT. 15 - 18, 2024

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

CINCINNATI ZOO & BOTANICAL GARDEN
NATIONAL RAILROAD FREEDOM CENTER

MORE LOCATIONS TO BE DECIDED.

Sign ups are being done in the Narthex.