

Finance & Attendance Update:

Amount needed each Sunday to meet budget (2017):	2,615.00
Amount received last Sunday:	1,543.00
Total received to date this year:	5,793.00
Amount received last week for Capital Fund :	190.00
Total received year to date for Capital Fund :	510.00
Attendance last Sunday	60

WEEKLY CALENDAR**Sunday, January 21**

- 10:00 a.m. Worship
- 2:00 p.m. Pines III Worship
- 3:00 p.m. Grace Korean UMC Worship

Monday, January 22

Newsletter deadline!

Tuesday, January 23

- 9:30 a.m. Parents and Pals Playtime
- 7:00 p.m. AAUW

Wednesday, January 24

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast @ Mt. Royal
- 9:30 a.m. Parents and Pals Playtime

Wednesday, January 17 – continued

- 5:00 p.m. Prayer Group
- 6:30 p.m. Choir
- 7:00 p.m. Alanon

Thursday, January 24

- 9:00 a.m. Painters
- 10:30 a.m. Hope Quilters
- 12:00 p.m. Yoga
- 6:30 p.m. Qigong

Sunday, January 28

- 10:00 a.m. Worship
- 11:15 a.m. SPRC
- 3:00 p.m. Grace Korean UMC Worship
- 5:00 p.m. Youth Group
- 6:00 p.m. Movie Night – *The Shack*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

***Newsletter deadline is Monday, January 22. Please send all articles to the office.**

***Parents and Pals Playtime is our ministry to young families in our community.** Can you take a turn with simple hosting duties, to extend a Hope-filled welcome? Sign up, give it a try!

***Men's Retreat, "The Life You've Always Wanted," February 9-10** with Twin Ports United Methodist Ministries, at Camp Amnicon. Based on John Ortber's book by the same title as the retreat (no advance reading necessary). Sign up in the narthex, see poster on bulletin board or contact Rev. Joel for more info or to register (715-394-9608; pastor@superiorfaithumc.org).

***Week of Prayer for Christian Unity continues through THURSDAY.** Materials for your learning, reflection and prayer are available in the narthex and on our website, from the perspective of our partner churches in the Carribean.

***NEXT Sunday evening: "The Shack," 6 pm.** View this film about forgiveness, redemption, healing, and how God works, and discuss with our youth and confirmands.

***Vital Organ Project "Non SequiTOUR"** highlights contemporary organ music in concert at 1st UMC on Monday, January 29, 7:30 pm (preconcert talk at 7). This is an effort of Graeme Shields, formerly of Hope UMC!

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday ~ 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

With God's grace, we care for the soul for a lifetime and beyond.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

We come into this space with our voice

We come to sing praise to our God!

We come into this space with our presence

We come to be united in fellowship with God!

We come into this space with our breath

We come to give our being, our all, to God!

For all we have and all we are, comes from our Creator

Who gives us new life in Jesus Christ our Lord!

Come, let us celebrate as the new creation in Christ!

*SONG "Lord of the Dance" #261

GREETINGS

UNISON PRAYER

Creator of All, You give us Love, Light and Life. Help us to live out Your image reflected in us: to be creators ourselves of Love, Light and Life in this world. Turn us away from the temptation to only reflect the dark places around us, and instead help us to be the mirror of all Your goodness in the world. For the world cannot see without Your Light, and it cannot be Light without us. You came as Life, and the Life was the Light of the people as the Gospel tells us, and as the prophet Isaiah shares, we become Your light in this world. But most of all, You are Love, and that Love cannot be shared without our hands and feet, for we are the body of Christ. Help us to reflect Your Love, Light and Life in all that we are. Amen.

EPISTLE READING I Timothy 1:12-17, p. 296

ANTHEM "God of Wonders" Marc Byrd
Team Hope

CHILDREN'S TIME *sing "Jesus Loves Me" as the children come up* #191

TIME OF SHARING - JOYS AND CONCERNS
(We ask you to pass the registration pads at this time.)

SILENT PRAYERS
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*SONG "Shout to the North" #3042

GOSPEL READING Luke 15:1-10, p. 73

MESSAGE "Lost and Found"

THE OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES
OFFERTORY "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" arr. Pam Turner
*DOXOLOGY #95

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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*HYMN "We Are the Church" #558

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Tradin' My Sorrows" Darrell Evans
Team Hope

**You are invited to stand as you are able*

LARGE PRINT hymnals, bulletins, and Bibles, as well as hearing devices are available from the usher. Nursery Care provided.