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**Church Mission: Know & Serve God by Sharing Christ's Love.**

**Church Vision: We will grow in holiness, our community will thrive,  
& we will make a difference in our world.**

**200 Church St. - Shenandoah, IA**

**"SPECIAL "BOOSTER" Newsletter - June 18, 2020**

**ATTENTION-** Worship services *are* being held in the sanctuary on Sunday's at 9 a.m. \*Please see the details listed on the next page. \*However no meetings yet for groups or committees.

**Church Connection Info.**

\*Church Phone: 712-246-2081

\*Church Emails:

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\*Church Website:

www.sheniafumc.org

\*Church Facebook:

United Methodist Church Shenandoah

\***Church Mailing Address:**

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\***Continuing-** A weekly newsletter being put out on Thursdays. For those who don't do computers/emails we will still mail one to them from the post office.

\***REMINDER-** Our Sunday morning worship services on Sunday's will still be live-streamed at 9 a.m. You may go to our FaceBook page or go to our church website to view them.

\***Note-** Pastor Luke will give continue to give an update & prayer time at 5 p.m. on Wednesday evenings via our FaceBook page and/or our Website page. If you have any prayer requests please call the office.

\***Staying Connected in All Ways-** You may call the church office or email us with any concerns, questions, thoughts, or if you have anything you would like put it in the Booster or on the website by 10 a.m. on Thursdays.

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!!**

**\*REMEMBER THAT ALL CHURCH NEWS & INFORMATION IS POSTED ON OUR CHURCH WEBSITE.**

**\*STILL NOW AVAILABLE to get the Sunday worship audio through speaker phone-** All you need to do is follow these instructions: Call in to +1(312) 626-6799, Enter 952 2032 6449# on your phone's keypad (the Meeting ID with # already included), **Press #** again (you will not have/need a participant ID), Enter the password **003100#** on your phone's keypad (the password with # already included), you will be muted for the duration of the service. *\*(This is available on land lines & cell phones).*

**\*Church Office-** The doors to the church will remain locked at this time for safety & health precautions during office hours, M-F from 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. If you have a need to get in the church please call ahead & we will make arrangements. (If to drop your offering off, etc.)

**\*Offering-** Ways to give your monetary support (offering) during these times. You may put it in the offering boxes on Sunday mornings or mail your offering to UMC, **PO Box 394**, Shenandoah, IA 51601. **\*AND NOW NEW-** *You may go to our church website & give from there, just look for the word **GIVE** at the top right hand side of your screen or the bottom right hand side of your screen. If you have any questions please call the office. Thank you.*

**\*NOW HAVING-** Regular “live, in-person” worship services on Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. in the sanctuary. **We ask** that you come no earlier than **8:50 a.m.** to enter the church. **You will** need to either enter by the front glass doors or the elevator. We recommend that you **wear a mask** (if you don't have one we will provide you with one), **social distancing of 6 feet** needs to be maintained between everyone at all times, we will have **hand sanitizer stations available** at both entrances. There will be **NO** “Welcome Center” or “Fellowship Time”. Only the worship service. **\*If you** are an “at risk” person due to age or underlying health issues, take care of someone with underlying health issues, or just don't feel comfortable to come out in any group setting yet, please do not feel that you **have** to come to the live services. **We will continue** to live-stream the services on our church FaceBook and Website pages. If you have any questions please call or email the church office. Thank you.

**\*Reminder-** The monthly church calendar is available on Google, so any current happenings and/or changes are always available there and on our church website.

**\*Please Note-** Vacation Bible School scheduled for July 9-14 **is canceled** for this summer. We are looking at some different things to do in place of it as we go. Thank you.

**Notice-** We will soon be getting ready to celebrate our church “Sesquicentennial”- 150 year anniversary. In celebration of this one of the things we will be doing is making a special new cookbook made up of recipes that families serve especially for or on any holiday or special time (this can be something you celebrate as a “holiday” or special time). So while we are all looking for things to keep us busy in this time, you can gather up those recipes that you can go ahead and submit for this to the church office by way of email or just mail them in. **\*Our “Sesquicentennial”** (150 year anniversary is officially on Christmas Day, December 25, 2020). We will have more celebration info. to come soon. Thank you.

**\*Note-** I will be putting up a covering over the windows in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor classrooms in Wesley Hall on Saturday starting at 10 a.m. to block the sun from ruining things in our classrooms, as there are no longer blinds in the windows. If a couple of “ladder climbers” would like to come help out (we will keep social distancing in place) let me know by calling the church office. Thank you, Cindy.

**~Last Week's Records**

Live (in-person) Worship Attendance-21  
Online/Facebook Worship-268 views  
Total Budget Offering-\$80,460.12  
Total Expenses to Date-\$88,999.08  
Total Budget Expenses for 2020-\$192,773.00

**~Birthday's & Anniversaries this Week**

June 19- Craig Harris  
June 20- \*M/M Bob Carmichael  
June 21- Macee Lynn Blank, Deb Finlay, & Jamie Williams  
June 22- Dennis Grummert & Kent Hiser  
June 23- Olivia & Wesley Cole, Kathy Harris, Edi Norris, & Sean Skillern  
June 24- Bev Adamson

***\*PLEASE call, email, mail a note or card, but reach out to each other, check on each other, lift each others spirits up. Stop at 12 noon every day and say “The Lord's Prayer”. \*O Most High, when I am afraid, I put my trust in you. In God, whose word I praise, in God I trust; I am not afraid.***

***~Psalm 56: 2-4***

***\*NOTICE-*** Order of Worship Service not available at this time. We will send it out tomorrow separately. Thank you.

