

# UPCOMING CALENDAR

September 27 - Mobile Food Pantry

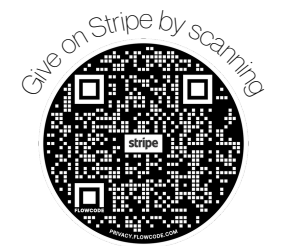
October 10-12 - SUMC Homecoming Weekend

October 20 - Family Promise Week begins

October 25 - Fall Craft Show

Healing Strings - every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month at 6:30 PM in the Centrum.

Connections - every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 6:00 PM in the Solid Rock Cafe.



OFFICE STAFF

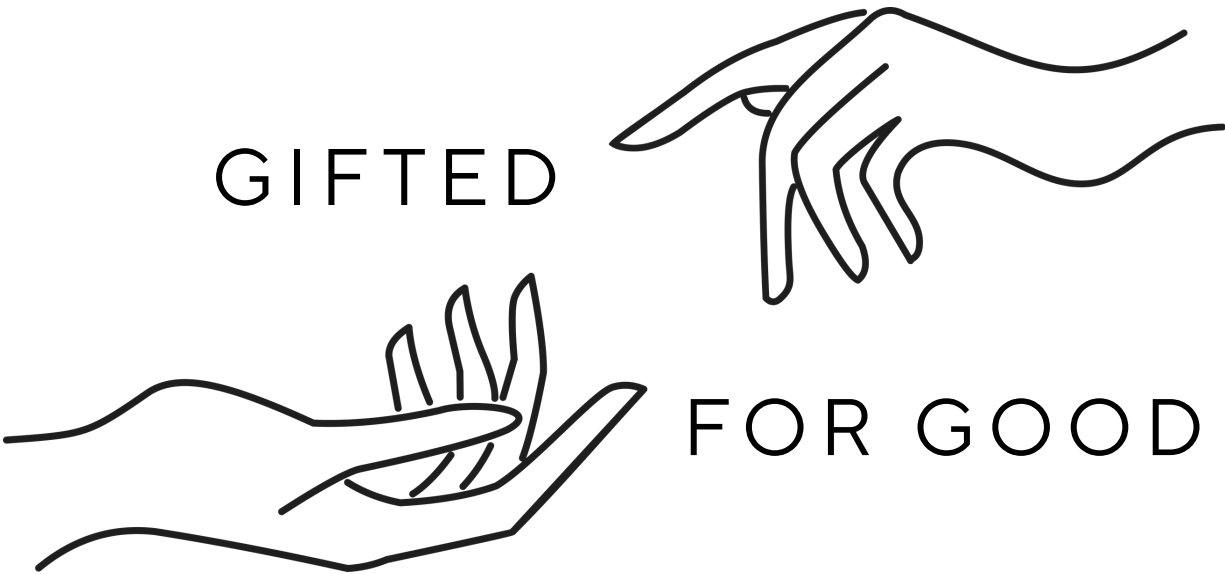
**REV. DR. EVA MARIE WOLFE** *Lead Pastor*  
Call: 740-400-0772  
[PastorEm@ShawneeUM.church](mailto:PastorEm@ShawneeUM.church)  
In the office: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

**PASTOR LORI WRIGHT** *Associate Pastor*  
Call: 419-991-4806 Ext. 109  
[Lori@ShawneeUM.church](mailto:Lori@ShawneeUM.church)  
In the office: Tuesdays & Wednesdays

**JOSIE GRAFF** *Office Manager & Communications*  
Call: 419-991-4806 Ext. 100  
[Josie@ShawneeUM.church](mailto:Josie@ShawneeUM.church)  
In the office: Monday, Wednesday - Friday



September 7, 2025 | 9:30 AM Traditional Service



WELCOME TO GOD’S HOUSE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Call: The Spirit gives gifts to each of us.  
**Response: We receive them with joy.**  
Call: The Spirit’s gifts serve the body of Christ.  
**Response: We share them for the common good.**  
Call: The Spirit’s gifts reveal God’s love.  
**Response: We worship the Giver of every gift.**

OPENING PRAYER

*Generous God, you surprise us with gifts of grace we do not expect. You meet us in the ordinary, and you build us into one family of faith. Through your Spirit, you reveal your love and point us to Christ, the greatest gift of all. Open our hearts in this time of worship, that we may receive and share your grace with joy. Amen.*

🎵 *O Spirit of the The Living God* | Hymnal Page 539

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

🎵 *How Beautiful* | Choir

CHILDREN’S TIME

1 Corinthians 12:1-11 (NLT) *Leader: The Word of God, for the people of God*  
**All: Thanks be to God!**

SERMON: GIFTED FOR GOOD

OFFERING

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*Giver of every good gift, you pour out grace in ways we do not expect. Take these offerings, signs of our gratitude, and use them to build up your people, reveal your love, and point the world to Christ, the greatest gift of all. Amen.*

🎵 *You Satisfy the Hungry Heart* | Hymnal 629 vs 1,3,5

PASTORAL PRAYER | LORD’S PRAYER

TRADITIONAL COMMUNION LITURGY | THE APOSTLES' CREED 881 TRAD. LITURGY P. 12

🎵 *Lord Whose Love Through Humble Service* | Hymnal Page 581 vs 1,3-4

**OUR SAMARITAN HOUSE goCO** will meet twice during the month of September. On Tuesday, September 9, we'll have a time of planning and fellowship at Freda's Family Diner (320 S Cable Rd) at 11:30am. Our serving event will be Tuesday, September 23 @ 5:30pm where we will serve dinner to the ladies & children at The Samaritan House. All women are welcome to join at either event!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS** for a special upcoming event on Sunday, September 28 - the Shawnee UMC Ministry Fair! This ministry fair will take place after both services and will feature several booths advertising existing and future ministries of Shawnee UMC. It's going to be an exciting Sunday, so make sure you are present for it!

**THE MOBILE HOPE GROUP** invites you to serve on Thurs, September 4 from 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM at Our Daily Bread Soup Kitchen (125 S Central Ave). We'll be helping serve lunch to those needing food!

**ALL ARE INVITED** to join in for our annual Fall Brunch which will take place on Wednesday, September 10 at 10:00 AM in the Solid Rock Cafe. Please bring a brunch item to share. There will be no sermon discussion on this day.

**NEW FALL BIBLE STUDY** begins Wednesday, Sept 17 at 9:00 AM in the Solid Rock Cafe. We will be following the study "The Bible With and Without Jesus" by Amy-Jill Levine. A limited amount of participant books are available in the church office for \$12.50 each.

**SUMC FALL CRAFT SHOW** will be held October 25 this year. All returning vendors from this years Spring Craft Show are invited to register for a slot on August 21. All other vendors will be open to register within the following two weeks after August 21.



You can scan this QR code to access the Lead Team minutes.

SUMC YOUTH GROUP HAPPENINGS

**IT’S FOOTBALL SEASON** which means we will be hosting students from Shawnee High School for 5th Quarter after all home games! Help us to provide a fun & safe place for these youth to hang out by signing up to serve, bringing snacks & soda or giving a cash donation. 5th Quarters will be 9/5, 9/19, 10/3 & 10/17. The sign up board is in the commons!

**YOUTH GROUP** will kick off on Sunday, September 7 with a "YG County Fair". Bring your friends and join us 4:30-6:00.

**QUEST** for 5th grade & up during the 11am church service.

Follow us on Facebook: *Shawnee & Trinity UMC Youth Group*  
Sign up for Remind: *text @ygsumctumc to 81010*  
For more information: *Lisa Wackler - kidsminlisa@gmail.com - 614-746-9465*