

First Moravian Church

319 N. Walnut Street, Dover, Ohio 44622

October 20, 2024

10:00 A.M.

Greeters	Leonard and Brenda Crilow
Nursery	Beth and Steve Rondinella
Welcome	Steve Rondinella, Elder
Liturgist	Pamela Duncan, Elder
Pianist Today	Linda Earley
Director of Music	G. Randall Gibbs
Director of Faith Formation	Carolyn Menapace
Custodian	Sam Paden
Administrative Assistant	Karen Baker Office: 330-364-8831
Web Site	www.doverfirstmoravianchurch.org

Call to Worship: Piano

Watchword for the Week: In Unison *The Moravian Daily Texts*
**For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve,
and to give his life a ransom for many.** Mark 10:45

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude "To God Be the Glory" Doane

* *Hymn* "This Day Is Holy to the Lord" H. 821

* **Liturgy of Adoration** Page 18

Prayers of the People – Steve Rondinella

Scripture Lessons: Hebrews 5:1-10 Page 236
Mark 10:35-45 Page 47

Hymn "I Am Jesus' Little Lamb" H. 723, vs. 1
During the singing, children are invited up for the Children's Moment.

Children's Moment: Marie Coutts

Hymn "Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service" H. 688

The Message: "Look Through the Cross"
Marie Coutts

Prayer

* *Hymn* "You're Our Strength and Motivation" H. 622

* **Benediction and Response – Hymn 553, vs. 5**

*From thy house when I return,
may my heart within me burn,
and at evening let me say,
"I have walked with God today."*

Postlude "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" Mercer

* *Please stand if you are able.*

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Check in with us at First Moravian Church: We ask you to sign and pass the register in your row. Visitors: Please check the box marked "Visitor" and include your complete mailing address.

Please note: If you have a cell phone, please turn it off during the worship service. If you would like to recycle your bulletin, place it in the box near the ushers' table at the back of the sanctuary.

We **welcome** and **thank Marie Coutts** for bringing the message today. Marie was our CE Director and former Associate in the 1990's. She is currently the Eastern District Christian Education Ministry Director.

Our **thanks** to **all who helped with the service** by sharing their talent for the Lord and God's people.

Coffee Hour: Paden's

Elder: Jen Peveto, 330.243.1493, is available after the service or call during the week if you have a joy, a concern, need prayer, or have a question.

Flowers

The flowers are in memory of Stephen Rinderknecht, Alan Rinderknecht, Deborah Rinderknecht, and Margaret and Herbert Zollar, given by Suzanne Rinderknecht and family.

Additional flowers are from the Bev Sears Celebration of Life service held yesterday, given by Bill and Sara Needs and the Brewer family.



Chancel Flowers

If you desire to provide flowers for either **Sunday, November 17 or 24**, please contact Karen in the church office, 330-364-8831.



One Call Now ~ 330-364-8831

Don and Jean Richardson are sponsoring our One Call Now this week.

If you have a prayer concern for yourself or a friend and would like it placed on the **One Call Now** system, please contact the church office, 330.364.8831, or **Sue Henriksen, 330.447.6952.**
* **If you are currently not on the One Call Now churchwide list to receive up-to-date church information, activities, and prayer requests, please contact the church office or Sue Henriksen.**

Stewardship Moment

Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first-fruits of all your crops.
Proverbs 3:9
If the only prayer you said in your whole life was 'thank you', that would be enough. - *Meister Eckhart, theologian, philosopher, mystic*

Attendance from Last Sunday

Moravian Day of Service ~ Worship @ Sharon Moravian Church ~ 10 AM 81

Prayers for the People

Amberwood: Laura Colvin; **Hennis** (Dover): Bonnie Auman; **Park Village** (Dover): Joyce Brewer, Bill Cozart, Mary Prince, Suzanne Rinderknecht, Milly Sudduth, Jerry Warner.

Birthday and Anniversary Daily Prayer Support

- Oct. 20 Lee Elliott, Emma Stanley
Anniv: Justin & Erin Perkowski
- Oct. 21 Jennifer Wasse
- Oct. 22 Susan Henriksen
- Oct. 23 Milly Sudduth, Stephanie Levengood
- Oct. 24 Doyle Martin, Maelin Burke
Anniv: Russ & Amy Korn
- Oct. 25 Ron Kohl
- Oct. 26 Anniv: Ross & Dana Randazzo

The Dover Moravian Messenger

Sunday Noon-5 PM Gordon Family Reunion ó Kitchen & S. H.

1:00 PM ~ OMMC Hurricane Helene Mission Trip Meeting at Schoenbrunn Mor. Ch. ~ We will begin planning a mission trip to Laurel Ridge in North Carolina ~ For details contact Sam Paden, 330-987-1769, or Pastor Ben Lippert, 330-440-4705.

Monday 9:00 AM Staff Meeting ó Church Office
5:00 PM Counting ó Living Room

Monday, October 21 ~ 6-9 PM Fall Card Party @ Schoenbrunn Moravian
\$10.00 includes meal; limited seating (20 tables) reservations recommended
330-339-1940 church office / 330-340-8122 house / 330-447-5556 cell
Doors open at 5:45 PM ~ There will be 2 door prize drawings.

Buckeye Adult Classes: W – GED 9-N; T & Th – ESOL 9-N & 6-8:30

Tuesday 10:00 AM Zoom ó Being a Christian Citizen Study
7:00 PM Reeves Bells ó Room 211

Wednesday 10:30 AM Praying in Color @ Shirley Thompson
5:15-6:15 PM Being a Christian Citizen Study ó L. Rm.
6:00 PM Men's Bible Study ó Room 213
6:30 PM Chancel Choir ó Loft
7:00 PM Community Study ó Room 215

Saturday 9:00 AM Reeves Bells ó Room 211

Sunday 8:00 AM Sunrise Sunday School ó Living Room
9:00 AM Sunday School ó C.S. Rooms
10:00 AM Worship ó Sanctuary

A Thank You Note!

Dear Dover First Moravian Family,

Thank you so much for the absolutely stunning necklace. I have worn it once a week or more and smile every time I put it on. Thank you for being such a wonderful church family to our family. We truly love you all and we miss you, too. Thank you for opening your doors and being so welcoming to me when I first moved to Ohio. I don't know if you remember that I wasn't thrilled to move to Dover, Ohio. However, now I can't imagine not living here. You have impacted my life in numerous ways.

Thank you!
Courtney Wallace



Our Worship Opportunities



Worship with Us Each Sunday at 10:00 A.M.

Oct. 20 ~ Guest Speaker: Marie Coutts

**Oct. 27 ~ Moravian Women Sunday
Message by Marie Coutts**

Nov. 3 ~ The Rev. Dennis G. Rohn will bring the message. Also, Michael Tesh will be here.

**Nov. 10 ~ Worship & Holy Communion
The Rev. Dennis G. Rohn will bring the message.**

**Nov. 17 ~ Helping Hand Sunday & Youth Sunday
Youth will lead the worship service.**

**Nov. 24 ~ Guest Speaker: Seth Angel, from Fry's Valley
Moravian Church will bring the message.**

Bring your family and friends each week!

Important Information for the Congregation

Elders are on Call and responsible for hospital or home visitation where needed.

Day	Elder Responsible	Cell Phone
Sunday	Steve Rondinella	330.827.4513
Monday	Scott Minor	330.432.7036
Tuesday	Elizabeth Snider, V-Chair	330.802.0822
Wednesday	Pamela Duncan	330.340.7476
Thursday	Brian Cronebach	330.340.5549
Friday	Leslie Seats	937.479.4028
Saturday	John Stubbins, Jr.	330.987.0144
Backup	Jen Peveto	330.243.1493

Church Office ~ 330-364-8831

Administrative Assistant will contact Elders when people are hospitalized or need a special visit.

Elder assigned for the day will contact Backup person or another Elder if they are not available.

Pastor on Call

Rev. Denny Rohn ~ 610-216-7467 cell

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Dan Yeager	330.364.6951

Our Mission and Outreach Opportunities



What's Coming Up . . .



Community Soup & Sandwich Luncheon



Dine-in or Carry-out available



Delivery is available to businesses with a minimum order of \$25.



Friday, November 1, from 11:00-1:00 p.m.
in the **Social Hall**

The luncheons have become a very special form of outreach from our congregation to folks throughout the county. Every person who walks through our doors and smells broccoli cheese soup cooking in the kitchen or unwraps a warm creamed chicken sandwich and enjoys a piece of homemade peanut butter pie is touched by your generosity and the Christian love that went in to preparing that food.

Proceeds from our luncheon will help the Moravian Women contribute to missionary efforts at home and around the world. We appreciate all your support in making our luncheon a success. If you can help work, please contact **Marcia Harding, 330-343-2104**, or **Julie Williams, 330-933-9707**. Plan to attend and bring your friends! We hope to see you on the 1st.

150th Anniversary Worship Celebration



**Uhrichsville
First Moravian Church**
315 N. Water Street
**Sunday, October 27
at 3:00 p.m.**

Join us for our **150th Anniversary Worship Celebration** as we welcome the **Rev. David Bennett**, Provincial President, who will share the message. The Moravian Joyful Noise Ringers, Moravian Joyful Singers, our combined handbell and vocal choirs will all present their music selections.

We hope you will also join us following worship for dinner and a time of fellowship and reminiscing; reconnecting with old friends and making new ones.

If you plan to attend, we ask that you sign the sheet in the lobby today. A headcount is needed by today, (October 20). Thank you.

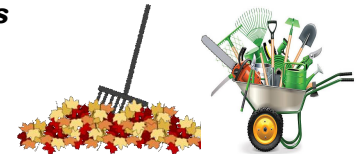
Special Thanks to the Volunteers

who helped **Sam** clean up the flower beds and church grounds last week.

Volunteers included:

**Julie Williams, Don Richardson,
Larry Kutcher, Gary Martin, and Dave Trustdorf.**

Thank you so much for all your extra help – Well done!



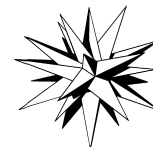
Christmas is just around the corner...

Advent begins December 1...

**Get your shopping done early by purchasing
Moravian Advent & Christmas Stars...**



Great Gifts throughout the Year!



The white plastic electric **Advent stars** are available in two sizes (**21-inch ~ \$30; and 12-inch ~ \$25**) in the church office. **The 12-inch star is designed to be used as a tree topper or hanging star.** These

stars make great gifts year-round: birthdays, weddings, showers, etc. Complete instructions for assembly are included.

Our Christian Education Opportunities

Fall Retreat: November 1-3

All youth in 6th grade through age 21 are invited!

Program Leader: Rev. Darrell Johnson
“Walking, Talking, and Listening”

Registration packets for campers and staff are available in the church office or at msymc.weebly.com.

Registration Deadline:

Sunday, October 20, 2024 (if turning in to the church office)

Friday, October 25, 2024 (if mailing direct to the registrar)

- Make checks out to Amy Keller, MYC
- \$50.00 registration fee for all campers and staff
- **Contact Carolyn Menapace to request a scholarship**

To reserve a seat on the van leaving from Dover First, contact Carolyn Menapace.

Come watch the
**Dover Lions Club
Halloween Parade**
with First Moravian Church!



Wednesday, October 30, 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Join us for popcorn and caramel apples while we wait for the parade.



Bring a lawn chair and grab a spot along 4th Street.

Both parking lots will be available for parking.

The parade steps off at 6:45 p.m.

Trunk or Treat

We are teaming up with St. John's UCC and Grace Lutheran to host a Trunk-or-Treat event for the community!

Monday, October 28, from 6-7:30 p.m.

This was lots of fun last year and we hope to have even more participants this year. Decorate your trunk or hatchback and bring some candy to pass out. You can **set up at 5:00 p.m. or later in St. John's UCC parking lot** (409 N. Wooster Ave.).



Your decorations can be as simple or elaborate as you like. Bible stories, fall themes, Halloween decorations (just not too scary!). Any theme you choose is fine.

Need inspiration? Search Google or Pinterest for “Trunk or Treat” for an endless supply of ideas!

Meet the Author

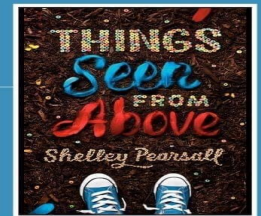
We have an opportunity to hear from the author of our November Book Club selection. **“Things Seen from Above”** author Shelley Pearsall will join us via Zoom in the Founders Hall of KSU-Tusc on **Monday, November 4, at 7:00 p.m.**

She will discuss the book, share her journey to being a published author, and take questions from the audience. Light refreshments will follow the program.

2024 ONE BOOK ONE COMMUNITY

A shift in perspective can change everything.

Told in alternating viewpoints, “Things Seen From Above” by Shelley Pearsall, gives the “whole picture” of what happens as two outsiders find their rightful places.



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