

# Heidi's Corner

A message from the finance office ...

## Shadow Rock by the Numbers

Date	Attendance	Offering
12/31/18	Asset Transfer	16,790
12/31/18	50 for 50 Pledge and Offerings	41,467
12/31/18	Facilities Improvement Fund Balance	21,378
2019 YTD	2019 Prepaid Contributions	19,460
06/01/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	6,752
06/02/19	143	7,596
06/02/19	Communion Offering—O&A Coalition	184
06/09/19	104	1,406
06/16/19	85	203
06/17/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	6,030
06/23/19	111	6,810
06/30/19	110	8,187
08/04/19	91	total pending

Welcome back! I hope you've had a wonderful summer and a restful July Sabbath. There will be updated giving numbers in the next week or two, and I appreciate your patience.

Don't forget that 2019-2020 is our FUND-raiser and FUN-raiser "Pick-A-Party!" It's an exciting time to be at Shadow Rock!

*With gratitude to my Shadow Rock family,  
~ Heidi*

# Prayer List

Thinking of You cards are in the provided envelopes.

## Since we last met:

Our sympathy to Linda and Steve Merrill and their family on the death of Linda's mother.

## Continue to remember:

Janet Williams and Vinny Iula's family; Bev Wood and her family; Ann Eicher; Irene Scarlett; Peg Hesley; Betsy Davis; Susan Glynn's friend Linda; Linda Merrill, Kerrie Earle; Carol Bowles' daughter; Becky Allison; Marv and Jane Shever; Billie Foltz; Ann Giles; our sanctuary guests and their families.

*Shadow Rock follows HIPAA guidelines when dealing with patient confidentiality.*

*Please contact the church office to add or remove someone on the prayer list.*

## Support Groups

### Contact the church office for details

Women's ACA: Mondays @ 12:00 in Smith Hall

NarAnon: Mondays @ 7:00 p.m. in chapel

Childcare provided

AI-Anon: Wednesdays in education Building

Beginners @ 6:45 p.m.

Alateen & Regular Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.

(childcare provided @ 7:30)

AA: Thursdays @ 7:30 p.m. Yellow Room

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Office Hours: M-Th, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Sunday Mornings: 9:00 education,

10:15 worship, 11:30 fellowship



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Welcome! No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!


## Today at Shadow Rock

 Greeters start things off right! Our thanks to Bert O'Neill for being our greeter this morning.

 Flowers on the communion table today are a wonderful way to celebrate a special occasion or a loved one. Sign up today in the parlor!

 All are welcome to join us after worship for Coffee Chat right here in Smith Hall. Thank you to Bert Ruby (and friends) for being our hosts this morning.

## Faith Formation For All Ages

 Shadow Rock offers Sunday School classes for all ages at 9:00 a.m. Join us for opportunities to connect with one another and with our own experiences.

## It's Almost Time...

Fall formation time begins at 9 o'clock on August 18. We have a fall chock-full of opportunities for connection and growth. Topics include: *We've Got Mad Skills*, an exploration of community spiritual disciplines, and *Elephant in the Room*, a unit looking at important social issues. Adults will be invited to explore discernment during 'Afterparties' (gatherings after Coffee Chat) beginning 8-18.

## Welcome, Visitors!

We say every week is different at Shadow Rock so we hope you'll come back and see what next Sunday is like. Please join us for Coffee Chat after worship today. We're happy to talk with you about anything that's on your mind! (Probably starting with, "What's up with that funny-shaped cross?") Pastor Ken would love to get to know you better— arrange a get-to-know-you coffee by emailing him via [ken@shadowrockucc.org](mailto:ken@shadowrockucc.org). If you have special requests or needs, such as childcare, large-print bulletins, hearing-assistance devices, or alternative seating, please speak with an usher. They're happy to help! Visit our website: [www.shadowrockucc.org](http://www.shadowrockucc.org).



# NU GG E T S

August 11,  
2019

# What's Happening at Shadow Rock



## The Top Three

# 1

### Potluck Next Sunday

We will have our "Welcome Back" potluck on Sunday, August 18th. Please bring something yummy to share and plan to stay after worship for great food and fellowship. Keep in mind that we are a nut-free facility! This means **all** nuts, so please double check items from the store. Contact Joyce Schneider if you'd like to help with setup or cleanup.

# 2

### Wedgeblade Ministry Workbooks

We are moving forward with our Wedgeblade Ministry discussions, the first of which is next Sunday, August 18th at 9:00 a.m. and also after worship on that day. Please bring your book - you aren't turning it in, but you may want to refer to it during these discussions. More meetings are in the works, so please watch for them!

# 3

### Pick-A-Party Needs Your Parties!

Now is the time to start finalizing your party ideas and grab your yellow host registration forms from the large board in the parlor. We will have electronic forms available next week. We need all parties registered by the end of August so we have time to put the catalog together. Please check your calendars, decide on your themes, collect your co-hosts, and turn in your forms by August 31st!

## In Other News

Preschool starts again this month, and we want to remind you about our security policy. The church office hours are Monday-Thursday, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. If you come to the office during these hours, preschool is in session and the doors will be locked. We ask you enter by the church office (ring the bell for entry) and check in at the front desk. You'll need to get a visitor badge that identifies you to parents and teachers as someone who is permitted to be on campus during preschool hours. Thanks for your cooperation!

## Many Hands ...

... **make light work!** Here are some ways to pitch in at Shadow Rock:

**NEW:** The new Plug-In Sheets are up in the parlor and need your name on them! Sign-up today to be a greeter, Coffee Chat host, Sunday School teacher, and more during this fall.

Also, we are looking for a phone volunteer on the first, third, and fifth Wednesday morning of each month, and another driver or two for the Rock-It (our golf cart). Please contact the church office for details.

**Current donations (donation box located in parlor) Nonperishable food** for Desert Mission Food Bank, **Disposable diapers** for local families in need, **Gently used clothing** for Desert Mission Food Bank, **Eyeglasses** for use in developing nations.

## Relational Groups

*For information about support groups, please see the reverse of this page*

*Choir Open to everyone*

Choir rehearsals resume Wednesday, August 21st @ 6:30 p.m.  
Contact: Forrest Bachtel (forrest@shadowrockucc.org)

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** *A knitting and crocheting group*  
First and Third Wednesdays @ 9:30 a.m. parlor  
Contact: June (jminertchr@aol.com)

**SR @ North Mountain Brewery Fellowship and food**  
First Sunday monthly @ 4:30 p.m. 522 E. Dunlap Ave.  
Contact Pastor Ken (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

**Facilities Workday** *Open to everyone*  
Second Saturday monthly @ 7:30 a.m.  
Contact: Roy Zaborowski (roy@bbz.net)

**Craftin' and Scrappin' Saturday** *Open to everyone*  
Next gathering Saturday, September 14th 8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.  
Contact: Lois Beberniss (602-993-0050)

**Keystones Adults-** *Open to everyone*  
First Saturday monthly @ 6:30 p.m. off site  
Contact: Alyce-Anne Meadows 623-934-9971

**Healing Circle** *A group focused on wholeness and healing*  
Next gathering Saturday, August 24th @ 5:30 p.m.  
Contact: Rev. Dr. Patricia Clark (shedoc@redroadmedicine.com)

**Companions on Our Journey** *A grief fellowship group*  
**Thursday, August 15th @ 5:30 p.m. in MP Annex**  
Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)

**B.L.T. (Beatitudes Lunch Together)** *Lunch with friends*  
First Tuesday monthly @ 12:00 p.m. Beatitudes Campus  
Contact: Lois Beberniss (lois@shadowrockucc.org)

**Lunch Bunch** *Women's Lunch Group*  
**Wednesday, August 14th @ 12:30 p.m.**  
Times Square 768 E. Union Hills Dr.  
Contact: Linda Johnston (lindalights@cox.net)

**Men's Breakfast**  
Fourth Tuesday monthly @ 6:30 a.m. Village Inn 3rd St. & Bell Rd.  
Contact: Pastor Ken (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

**Breakstones** *Women's Breakfast Group*  
Fourth Wednesday monthly @ 7:30 a.m. @ Denny's I-17 and Dunlap  
Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)