

# Heidi's Corner

A message from the finance office ...

## Shadow Rock by the Numbers

Date	Attendance	Offering
12/31/18	Asset Transfer	16,790
11/01/19	2020 Prepaid Contributions	1,000
2019	Approved Deficit Budget	(33,325)
11/01/19	Facilities Improvement Fund Balance	11,345
12/01/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	5,961
12/01/19	113	5,120
12/01/19	Advent Offering to Date	107
12/08/19	136	1,825
12/08/19	Advent Offering to Date	456
12/15/19	123	1,713
12/16/19	E-giving (Automatic Deposits)	5,630

Thank you all for your generosity during the holiday season. At the time of printing the Nuggets, the offering counts for December were still being finalized, so please watch for updated numbers next week.

We hope you and your family had a wonderful holiday and are excited for all that 2020 has to offer!

*With gratitude for all you do,  
~ Heidi*

# Prayer List

Thinking of You cards are in the pewbacks

## Since we last met:

Prayers are requested for Karen Richter's friend David Allan and Joe Botticelli's cousin Lisa Petrie.

## Continue to remember:

Maurice Sievers and the family of Louise Land; Joyce Schneider; Dewey Reay; the Morrison family; Ann Eicher; Rob and Ineke Adan; Liana Rowe's Uncle Glenn; Irene Scarlett; Peg Hesley; Carol Bowles' daughter; Becky Allison; Marv and Jane Shever; Billie Foltz; 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

Newcomers & Alateen @ 6:15 p.m.

Regular Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.

(childcare provided @ 7:00)

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! You can sign-up to be a greeter in the parlor.



Flowers on the communion table are given by June Miner, celebrating her and Charlie's birthdays.



All are welcome to join us after worship for Coffee Chat in Smith Hall. We appreciate your help with cleaning up!

## Faith Formation For All Ages



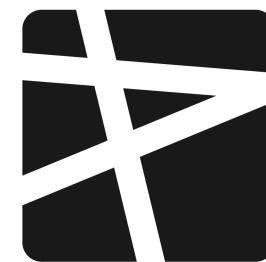
Shadow Rock offers Sunday School classes for all ages at 9:00 a.m. Join us for opportunities to connect with one another and with our own experiences.

## Faith Formation in 2020:

Children began a new unit today: 'What's Your Superpower?' it's all about the every day ways we can be heroes in our families and communities. Adults had a new topic today too—2020 Vision. Do YOU have a vision to share with Shadow Rock friends? Join us to share, grow, learn, listen. Everyone is welcome.

## 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 in the other building 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 our ushers. They're happy to help! Visit our website: [www.shadowrockucc.org](http://www.shadowrockucc.org).



# NUGGETS

January 5,  
2020

# What's Happening at Shadow Rock



## The Top Three

# 1

### Electronic Recycle Next Weekend

Electronic Recycling returns from January 10th-12th! We partner with AZStrut to see that they're refurbished, donated, sold, or recycled safely. Keep electronics out of landfills and bring them to Shadow Rock. Please **keep in mind that they can NOT take CRT monitors and TVs.**

# 2

### Wedgeblade Proposals Wanted

In December, you received a congregational letter about Wedgeblade Ministry proposals. Please take time to read the letter and consider if you would like to draft a proposal for a particular ministry about which you feel strongly. If you have questions about this process, we encourage you to contact Pastor Ken or members of the church board.

# 3

### New Play Reading on 1/18

Shadow Rock is excited to be hosting another new play reading on Saturday, January 18th at 7:00 p.m. (doors open at 6:30). The play by local author Kurt Shineman is "No More Deaths" and is based on Scott Warren's trial for offering humanitarian aid to migrants in the desert. Ticket information and more details about the evening will be available in the next week. For now, please mark your calendars and tell your friends!

## In Other News



We're starting the process of 'undecorating' from the Christmas holiday. You can help! As you leave church today, you can pitch in by:

- taking the music cones off the pews and dismantling the pieces at the designated table in the narthex
- removing ornaments from the Chrismon tree and the decorated tree by the elevator
- remove the greenery from the railings on the chancel and bring to the narthex
- removing ornaments from the large tree in the parlor

Thank you for your help!

## Coming Attractions



Please save the date! There will be a Native American flute and drum concert on Sunday, January 26th in the afternoon. Please watch for more details about this event in the next week.

"B.L.T." stands for "Beatitudes Lunch Together" and it's our monthly lunch with our church family at Beatitudes Campus of Care. Our next time together is Tuesday, January 7th at noon. Our Shadow Rock members and friends who live at Beatitudes love this monthly connection with their church family. We hope you'll come!

## Relational Groups

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

**Choir** *Open to everyone*

Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary  
Contact Forrest Bachtel (forrest@shadowrockucc.org)

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** *A knitting and crocheting group*  
Next gathering Wednesday, January 15 @ 9:30 a.m. MP Annex  
Contact: June (jminertchr@aol.com)

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

**Facilities Workday** *Open to everyone*  
**Saturday, January 11th @ 7:30 a.m.**  
Contact: Roy Zaborowski (roy@bbz.net)

**Craftin' and Scrappin' Saturday** *Open to everyone*  
**Pick-A-Party January 10-11 Multipurpose Room**  
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*  
Contact: Rev. Dr. Patricia Clarke (shedoc@redroadmedicine.com)

**Companions on Our Journey** *A grief fellowship group*  
Next gathering February 20th in MP  
Contact: June Miner (jminertchr@aol.com)

**B.L.T. (Beatitudes Lunch Together)** *Lunch with friends*  
**Tuesday, January 7th @ 12:00 p.m. Beatitudes Campus**  
Contact: Lois Beberniss (lois@shadowrockucc.org)

**Lunch Bunch Women's Lunch Group**  
**Wednesday, January 8th @ 12:30 p.m. off site**  
Times Square 768 E. Union Hills Dr.  
Contact: Linda Johnston (lindalights@cox.net)

**Men's Breakfast**  
Fourth Tuesday monthly at 6:30 a.m. off site  
Contact: Pastor Ken (ken@shadowrockucc.org)

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