

Sunday Celebration!

January 7, 2018

9:00 & 10:30 am

Prelude

Call to Worship

Worship Songs

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Lamb of God

Seas of Crimson

Testimonies of Praise

Prayer

Offertory

Think About His Love

Communion

Healing

Benediction

Postlude

“Oh give thanks to the
LORD, for he is good,
for his steadfast love
endures forever!”

Psalm 107: 1

Welcome

We're glad you're here to worship with us today! A welcome packet is available for guests at the welcome center in the lobby. Be sure to stop by and pick one up!

Please remember food and beverages should not be brought into the sanctuary.

Please take a moment to
silence all cell phones!

SAF Website

Be sure to check out www.stowalliance.org for more information about upcoming events and many other resources designed to help keep you up to date with what is going on at SAF.

Mothers of Infants

The Vern SirLouis room is available for nursing mothers who want to listen to the worship service.

Today

12:00 pm LIFE Groups
5:30 pm Jr. High Small Groups
6:00 pm LIFE Groups

This Week

MONDAY

7:00 pm Ordinary Guys Bible Study

TUESDAY

9:30 am MOPS
7:00 pm JuBELLation

WEDNESDAY

5:00 pm Iron Men Small Group
6:00 pm Youth Caf e
7:00 pm Adult Prayer Meeting
7:00 pm Worship Choir
7:00 pm Ladies Bible Study
7:00 pm Awana
7:00 pm Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group

THURSDAY

8:00 am Men's Bible Study
9:30 am Ladies Bible Study
7:00 pm Naomi Women

FRIDAY

7:00 pm LIFE Groups

SATURDAY

1:00 pm Awana Grand Prix Workshop

Announcements

2018 Bible Reading Guides

Be sure to pick up a 2018 Bible reading guide on the lobby information table and spend time each day with God in prayer and His Word! Reading guides are also available on our website: www.stowalliance.org.

Updating Contact Information

It's a new year which means it is a great time to update our church records. Please take a moment to fill out the communication card in it's entirety so we can make sure we have the most up-to-date contact information for you. Thank you!



Sportsman's Night Dinner

On Saturday, February 24, 2018 we will host our 15th annual Sportsman's Night Dinner outreach. Tickets are available in the lobby **TODAY** or throughout the week in the church office. Please pray about whom you can invite and how you can be involved! We are also in need of donations of wild game. If you have questions or something to contribute, please call Bill Azzarello at 330-688-7433.



LIFE Groups

Life Groups will resume **TODAY**, January 7th and Friday, January 12th. These adult small groups are a great way to connect with others and grow in Christ through authentic relationships. Please check the front of the Communication Card or contact Pastor Don at dmiller@stowalliance.org or 330-688-7433 if you are interested in joining a group.

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NAOMI Women

All women are invited to join us for a time of fellowship, friends, and planning the next year at Corner Cup Coffeehouse (3019 Graham Rd.) on Thursday, January 11th at 7:00pm.

MOPS - Mothers of Preschoolers

MOPS is a group offering hope, encouragement, community, and mothering support to mothers of children from birth through 5 years old. Come join local moms on Tuesday, January 9th from 9:30 - 11:30am. Childcare will be provided.



Awana Grand Prix

Ready... Set... GO! The Grand Prix is coming on Saturday, January 27th, from 10:00am-12:00pm. Come and join us for a great time of food, fellowship, and races! Cars can now be purchased. If you are in need of assistance with your car, join us on Saturday, January 13th for our workshop from 1:00-3:00pm in the gym.

Prime Timers

All senior adults are invited to join us for fun, fellowship, and faith-building on Thursday, January 18th at 12:30pm in the Seasons Room. Bring a sandwich; drinks and dessert is provided. Jim Shuman will be sharing with us that day.

New Members Class

Join us for 3 information packed classes about our local church, our denomination, and what it means to become a member at SAF. Classes begin Sunday, January 21st at 9:00am in room 216.

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Pocket Change = Big Change!

Thanks to everyone who participated in the baby bottle campaign for life. We raised \$770.28 for *Pregnancy Solutions and Services!* "Loose change truly can change lives!"

Stow Alliance Fellowship Staff

John Kitchen, Senior Pastor

Phil Chapman, Assistant Pastor

Don Miller, Pastor of Discipleship Ministries

Julie Kitchen, Director of Worship Ministries

Our Christian Sympathy To...

Sue Bond and family on the death of Sue's father, Ryan Bond, on December 30th.

Help Needed!

We are in need of several volunteers to help in the 2 year old class on a regular basis, and specifically during 2nd service on Sunday, January 21st. If you are able to help out regularly or this specific day, please contact Darlene Risjan at: drisjan@stowalliance.org or 330-688-7433.

Office Volunteers Needed

We are currently looking for 1 volunteer to serve in the office on Sunday mornings on the 3rd Sunday of the month during 2nd service. We also are looking for 1 volunteer to serve at the welcome center on the 4th Sunday of the month during 2nd service. If you are interested in helping out our office ministry, please contact Karie Gilley at 330-688-7433.

Severe Weather

In the event a service is cancelled, Stow Alliance Fellowship will use the i-Alert system to inform the congregation of the cancellation. The closing will be broadcast on WKYC Channel 3, wkyc.com, and WCRF 103.3 FM.

PRAISE Plan

Thank you for supporting the Praise Plan! Your continued gifts will help us with future projects.

Our Giving Last Sunday

Tithes & Offerings	\$19,899
Great Commission Fund	\$3,380
Praise Plan Building Fund	\$380

Darlene Risjan, Director of Children's Ministries

Jeanne Crowe, Preschool Administrator

Karie Gilley, Office Administrator

Michelle Davis, Financial Administrator

Bill Azzarello, Facilities Manager