



## Saranac Community Church Announcements

January 12, 2024

Saved by Christ Connected by Love Called to Care



### Jan 14th Service, Guest Speaker: Bart Denny

"Whose Side are You on, Anyway? "

2 Corinthians 10:3-5 & Joshua 5:13-15

### This Week at SCC

**Sunday:** Worship Service, 10:00 AM

**Wednesday:**

- Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 AM
- Praise Team Practice, 6:00 PM

**Thursday:**

- Food Pantry, 2-4 PM
- Pastor Darin in the office, 1:30 PM/Call or email him (pastordarin@saranacchurch.org) for appointment

**Friday:** AA, 8:00 PM

**Saturday:** Women of Worship, 11:00 AM

### SCC UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Jan 14th:** RaiseRight (aka, Scrip), gift card orders due  
**Jan 18th:** Food Pantry, 2-4 PM  
Financial Peace University Class, Jan 18th at Day Bible Chapel (Contact: Julie Gage [jkgage184@gmail.com](mailto:jkgage184@gmail.com))  
**Jan 20th:** Women of Worship, 11:00 AM  
**Jan 26-28:** Portage Lake: College Retreat  
**Feb 4th:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Soup's On at the Ross Home: 6150 Potters Rd, Saranac. Soup provided; please bring a dish to share. Dinner, prayer, and sharing. 616-308-4969/sharonstlk@gmail.com

### Annual Meeting and Potluck

Sunday, January 28

There will be a potluck luncheon after the worship service but before the Annual Meeting. Please bring a dish to share and table service for your family. Agenda's and Annual Reports will be emailed and available in the Narthex.



### SUNDAY, Jan 14th VOLUNTEERS:

- Lay Leader:** Tricia Lóser **Reader:** Cathy Merrifield  
**Praise Team:** Nancy Downs, Bob Krieger  
**Singers:** Melody Dotson, Terri Powers, Jim Lóser  
**Tech Team:** Luke Brogger, Beth & Brien Simpson  
**Acolytes:** Ushers will assign  
**Ushers:** Harvey Flanagan & Robert Williams **Nursery:** Jordan Badder & Kelsey Merrifield  
**Children's Worship:** Ed Culver/Dale Hice & Marcia Culver  
**Refreshments:** Marcia Culver & Sarah Downs



### **PRAYER WARRIORS NEEDED!**

One way we can stay Connected by Love is thru prayer!  
As James 5:16 says "...confess your sins to each other  
and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The  
prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective."

### ***This Week's Prayer Needs***

Pat Zander, Jim Longwell, The Tribbett Family  
Peace of Jerusalem, Israel, Middle East  
Pastoral Search Committee

**Special Members of the Week:** Ed & Gracia Tichelaar

**SCC Leaders of the Week:** Harvey Flanagan, Chair of Buildings &  
Grounds

**Community Group of the Week:** Saranac Elementary School for collect-  
ing money and food for our Christmas Pantry

**Church of the Week:** Day Bible Chapel

**Government and Military Friends around the world**

The pastoral search committee asks that you please keep them in your  
prayers as we navigate this new venture for SCC. Pray that we hear God  
during this process and our future candidates hear him also. And that we  
end up with the best possible person to continue our journey here on earth.

Thank you! Your search committee members.



**PORTAGE  
LAKE BIBLE  
CAMP**

- Senior High Retreat: February 9-11
- Marriage Retreat: March 8-10
- Fishing Retreat: April 19-21
- Work and Worship: May 24-27
- Pathfinders (grades 2-3): June 14-16
- Senior High (grades 10-12): June 16-21
- Trailblazer 1 (grades 4-6): June 23-28
- Family Camp 1: June 29-July 5
- Family Camp 2: July 6-12
- Junior High 1 (grades 7-9): July 14-19
- Family Camp 3: July 20-26
- Trailblazer 2 (grades 4-6): July 28-Aug 2
- Junior High 2 (grades 7-9): Aug 4-9
- Family Camp 4: Aug 10-14

Registration (<https://portagelake.campbrainregistration.com/>) is open and  
the camps fill up quickly! Go to their website to register. SCC Scholarship  
forms are available in the narthex.

If you have any questions, please contact us at [info@portagelake.org](mailto:info@portagelake.org) or call  
(231) 889-5911.

### **SEEK CHRIST TOGETHER In WORSHIP SUNDAYS at 10am in person or on the SCC Facebook page**

Please join us for worship on Sundays by logging onto the  
Saranac Community Church Facebook page at 10am.

**Interim Pastor:** Darin Youngs  
[pastordarin@saranacchurch.org](mailto:pastordarin@saranacchurch.org)

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[churchoffice@saranacchurch.org](mailto:churchoffice@saranacchurch.org) ~ 616-642-6322  
**(Office Hours:** Tues 10AM-3PM, Wed 1-6PM, Thur 1-5PM)



## **JANUARY**

16th Jacob Walter  
18th Dawson Downs  
20th Cathy Merrifield

*Please let the office know if  
you are not included on our list  
and would like to be.*