iConnect Modern Worship

Good morning!

Preaching today is Quincy Wheeler.

Sermon Topic: Fantastic Priests and Where to Find Them

The YouVersion Link is https://bible.com/events/513238.

Please feel free to use your phone during service to take notes.

Worship Through Music

You Are Good

- Jeremy Riddle/Bethel Music

Rooftops

- Jesus Culture Lion and the Lamb

- Leeland

I Surrender

- Hillsong

Overcome

- Elevation Worship





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Weekly Update

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Welcome to Mentor United Methodist Church!

440.255.3496 www.mentorumc.org Lead Pastor Rev. Kurt Landerholm

Traditional Worship Sanctuary 9 and 11 AM

Modern Worship iConnect Fellowship Hall 9 and 11 AM

Communion Chapel 10:30 AM

The mission of Mentor United Methodist Church is to lead all onto a path of Christ-centered discipleship.

November 25, 2018

Visitors

If this is your first visit, please stop by the Welcome Center in the Gallery. We have a aift for you and want to learn how we can help you on your journey.

Fellowship Hour

Join us in the Gallery for Fellowship Hour after services. This week is hosted by Journey Groups.

Weekly Update

Congregational Care



Members admitted to Rehab. Assisted Living or Nursing Home Facility:

Aberdeen Crossing - Barbara Bradarich Mentor Ridge Health & Rehab - Gloria Meyer Starkey Place - Ruby Irish Brookdale Mentor - Norma Kuzik Governor's Village Mayfield - Ron McFeely Heartland - Nadine (Klein) Miller • The Abbey - Debra Jones Symphony - Alice Zimmerman • Brookdale Wickliffe - Jim Wuerthele Concord Village - Shirley Drobnick, Patricia Laubscher

Members who have returned home or are homebound:

Chris Fletcher, Dale Porter, Joan Evans, Phyllis Melchreit, Dave Smith, Dick Smith, Debbie Snyder

Our sympathy to Jan Sudekum and family in the death of her son, David, on November 19.

Congratulations to Michael and Courtney Maimone on the baptism of their son, Joshua James, today.

Congratulations to Nicholas and Danielle Ivancic on the baptism of their son, Jude Richard, today.

At the Information Hub Today Children's Ministry - Chocolate Advent Calendars Altar Guild - Christmas Altar Poinsettias Liberia Mission Trip - MUMC Spirit Wear and Witness Wear **DEEPER**

Children & Family Ministries

www.mentorumc.org/children www.mentorumc.org/sunday-school



Christmas Crafternoon: An Ornament ADVENTure

Saturday, December 1, 1-3 PM Free and all are welcome! No need to register.

Christmas Play & Potluck ~ "The Other Wise Man"

Saturday, December 8, 4 PM Free admission; Tickets required mentorumc.org/truth-light-players

StuCo 56

December 9, 6-8 PM mentorumc.org/stuco-56

Prayer Buddies

Adults without children in the home are encouraged to sign up to pray for a child in our church. Children are encouraged to sign up to be the recipient

of prayers!

All the details and sign up information is at mentorumc.org/prayer-buddy.

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MUM Preschool Pre-Registration for 2019-2020 Complete the form to be in the queue for registration at: mentorumc.org/preschool

Parents' Morning Out

Mondays from 10 AM to 12 PM Spots still available. Info and registration at mentorumc.org/parents-morning-out

Chocolate Advent Calendars \$5

Available at the Info Hub or by contacting Tammy Palermo.
Proceeds go to Vacation Bible School. tpalermo@mentorumc.org

Prayer Buddies

MUMC SpiritWear and Witness Wear to Support Missions Trip!

Beginning today, Roxy Beers, Eliana Palermo, and friends will be selling Mentor UMC t-shirts and sweatshirts. Items are specially designed to celebrate our faith and life here at MUMC and share the good news with others. T-shirts will be available in both men's and women's styles and will be \$15 per shirt. Hoodies will be \$30 and crew neck sweatshirts will be \$25. Checks can be made out to MUMC and noted "Liberia Shirts". All proceeds will go to support their planned mission trip to Liberia this coming summer. If you would like to give shirts as Christmas gifts, your order must be received by Sunday, December 3. Orders will continue after December 3, but only those received before then will be guaranteed to be here before Christmas.

What's happening Sunday, November 25, 2018

10:00 AM - Adult Sunday School - Adams Parlor 10:00 AM - Journey Group - Wooledge - Room

10:15 AM - Children's Choir Rehearsal - Room

10:15 AM - Cherub Choir Rehearsal - Room 104

01:00 PM - Christmas Show Rehearsal - Fellowship Hall

06:15 PM - Sunday Night Basketball - 07:00 PM - Journey Group - Nagle -

Conference Room

What's happening this week . . .

Monday, November 26, 2018

10:00 AM - Parents Morning Out - Early Childhood

10:00 AM - Journey Group - Carr - Off-Site

06:00 PM - Parenting Cafe - Wesley Room, Early Childhood

06:30 PM - DivorceCare - Chapel, Conference

07:00 PM - Men's Group Meeting - Library

07:00 PM - iConnect Planning - Adams Parlor 07:00 PM - Disciple III - Carr / McAdams - Room

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

09:30 AM - Journey Group - Ring - Asbury Room

09:30 AM - Journey Group - Palermo -Conference Room

04:00 PM - Trustee Security Task Group Meeting
- Wesley Room

07:00 PM - Emmaus/Journey Group - Adams Parlor

07:00 PM - Journey Group - Schwaller -Conference Room

Wednesday, November 28, 2018

12:00 PM - Preschool Board Meeting - Room 103

01:00 PM - GriefShare - Wesley Room, Chapel, Library

01:00 PM - Knitting Group - Adams Parlor

07:00 PM - Worship Committee - Wesley Room 07:00 PM - Journey Group - Wrobel - Off-Site

07:00 PM - Imbler Journey Group - Room 103

07:00 PM - Boy Scout Troop #280 - Fellowship Hall

07:00 PM - PATH Planning Team Meeting -Adams Parlor

08:00 PM - Staff-Parish - Conference Room

Thursday, November 29, 2018

06:30 AM - Men's Journey Group - Conference Room

09:00 AM - Deliver Christmas Gifts to Flat Rock Homes - Off-Site

10:00 AM - Overeaters Anonymous - Asbury Room

04:30 PM - Journey Group - Lauren Ring - Early Childhood

06:00 PM - Canticle Bell Rehearsal - Wesley Room, Choir Room 06:30 PM - Disciple I - Landerholm - Asbury

Room

06:45 PM - Charter Members Rehearsal - Choir Room

07:00 PM - S.A.L.T. - Room 103

07:45 PM - Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Friday, November 30, 2018

09:30 AM - MOPS & MOMSnext Meeting -Conference Room, Early Childhood, Gallery

01:00 PM - Journey Group - Fournier / Korenko -Conference Room

Saturday, December 1, 2018

08:00 AM - iConnect - Vocal Rehearsal - Chapel

08:00 AM - iConnect Rehearsal - Fellowship Hall

01:00 PM - Christmas Crafternoon - Fellowship

What's happening Sunday, December 02, 2018

09:00 AM - Confirmation Class - Youth Room
10:00 AM - Adult Sunday School - Adams Parlor

10:00 AM - Journey Group - Wooledge - Room 103

10:15 AM - Children's Choir Rehearsal - Room 112

10:15 AM - Cherub Choir Rehearsal - Room 104

01:00 PM - Christmas Show Rehearsal -Fellowship Hall

05:00 PM - Journey Group - Landerholm - Wesley Room

06:00 PM - Occupy Youth Ministry - Chapel, Fellowship Hall, Youth Room, Youth Room B

06:15 PM - Sunday Night Basketball - 07:00 PM - Journey Group - Nagle -

Conference Room

Shopping on Amazon for the Holidays?

We are registered with AmazonSmile Foundation as a charitable organization. When you shop at smile.amazon.com, 0.05% of the price of the eliaible purchases are donated to MUMC. There is no cost to the church and no cost to you.

It is easy to get started visit smile, amazon, com and select Mentor United Methodist Church.

GriefShare Surviving the Holidays

Monday, December 10, 6:30-9:00 PM

Register by emailing blwrobel@mentorumc.org or call 440-255-3496.

Support Hope Chest at Applebee's Fundraiser

Tuesday, November 27 from 11 AM to 9 PM at Mentor Applebee's Take a fiver from the Information Hub and present it to your server (or show the Facebook post on your phone). Hope Chest will receive 15% of your check.



Altar Guild is selling Poinsettias for the Christmas altar displays. The last date to order is December 2. Checks can be made out to MUMC or Mentor United Methodist Church. If returning your check and form by mail, please address as: Mentor United Methodist Church

c/o The Altar Guild

8600 Mentor Ave. Mentor, OH 44060

Altar Guild will be at the Information Hub on the Sundays of November 4, 11, 18 and 25. Forms and payments may be completed at that time.

Plants designated for the Sanctuary may be picked up after the 9:00 PM service on Christmas Eve.

Plants designated for iConnect may be picked up after the 7:00 PM service on Christmas Eve.

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(PLEASE CLEARLY PRINT YOUR INFORMATION)
NAME OF PERSON ORDERING:
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TOTAL NUMBER OF PLANTS ORDERED X \$7 EACH = \$ Total CASH CHECK

Hope Chest is in Need of Towels

Please consider donating new or gently used towels and washcloths to Hope Chest. Place them in the bin at the Community Center. Thank you!



Joseph Ministry Volunteers Needed

, Joseph Ministry is a group of MUMC volunteers that will help local residents with "fix it" projects around the house. However, the list of volunteers has dwindled and is in need of new members. Work as your personal schedule permits. If you like to do home repair projects, you could be of great help to your neighbors. Contact Larry Hoon at larryhoon@ vahoo.com if you think you could be of assistance in this ministry.

Flat Rock Homes

A reminder to anyone who has a Wish Tag from Flat Rock Homes: Please have your purchased aift in the labeled bin located in the Community Center by Nov. 28. Additionally, anyone wanting to visit Flat Rock Homes on Nov. 29, contact Carole Ring or Johanna Martin for more information at c.i.ring@ sbcglobal.net or johannamartin@sbcglobal.net.

Feed Your Soul

In today's busy world, it's important to take good care of yourself. Eating well, getting enough sleep, and exercising are all part of keeping your body healthy; but what are you doing for your soul?

Volunteering is a great way to nurture your soul. When we are focused on helping another, we put our own lives in perspective. We find that our own troubles are not so overwhelming. We feel a sense of gratitude for the many blessings in our lives. Lake County Council on Aging is seeking volunteers to deliver meals on wheels, prepare meals in the kitchen, grocery shop, visit and more. See the flyer in the Community Center to get details.

Lifebrand Cowboy Church Food Assistance

On Saturday, December 1 (and the first Saturday of every month) help unpack pallets of fresh produce from the Cleveland Food Bank from 8-10 AM at Lifebrand Cowboy Church (Formerly the Painesville Armory), 1289 Mentor Ave, Painesville. Then from 10-noon help distribute that food to our neighbors in need.

Ruth Naomi Circle

December 13, 11:30 AM at Marie Scramblers.

Join us for the Christmas Lunch at Marie Scramblers! Bring a wrapped white elephant gift to share and knitted hats, scarfs and gloves to donate. There will not be a meeting in January. Contact Georgeanna Allen with any questions at (440) 255-5515. Ruth Naomi Circle will not meet if the Mentor Schools are closed due to bad weather. Feel free to call the church office to confirm at 440-255-3496.

Sally Carr Study

Join Sally Carr for the Fred Rogers documentary Won't You Be My Neighbor on December 3 and 10. The meeting is at North Mentor Centenary UMC at 10 AM. For more information contact Sally at slscarr@roadrunner.com.

Young at Heart Luncheon

Wednesday, December 5 • Noon in Fellowship Hall • \$5 Hosted by Mentor United Methodist Women

All those 62 years and older are invited to enjoy a Christmas lunch and program with your church staff and friends at the Young at Heart Luncheon.



Please call the church office at 440-255-3496 by November 30, and ask to be added to the Young at Heart luncheon list! Let us know when you call if you need a ride. We will be happy to arrange one for you!

Christmas Cantata

"The Glory of Christmas" Sunday, December 16 at 9 AM and 11 AM Presented by the combined choirs of MUMC and Painesville UMC and accompanied by a full orchestra. In a panoramic view of Christmas, we see the majesty, the color, the sounds, and even the solemnity of this glorious season! We witness the anguish of God's chosen people as it gives way to joy in the fulfillment of an eternal promise - that God would send a Messiah to save them. The entire spectrum of God's love and grace is on full display in the story of Christmas.

Charter Members Men's Choir Annual Christmas Sing

Friday, December 14, 7:30PM

Bring family and friends for this evening of sacred music. A free-will offering will be taken and refreshments will follow in the Gallery.

Hospice Of The Western Reserve Warehouse Sale

Donations are needed for our next sale, Friday, November 30, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Saturday, December 1, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at Hospice of the Western Reserve Headquarters, 17876 St. Clair Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44110. Proceeds support patients and families of Hospice of the Western Reserve. We are accepting gently used indoor and outdoor furniture, other household items, collectibles, framed artwork, and holiday items. To donate items please contact the Warehouse Sale Team at 216-255-9090 or email warehousesaledonation@hospicewr.org.

We regret that we are unable to pick up donations from areas east of Lake County and south of Cuyahoga County but you are welcome to bring them directly to our headquarters location after speaking with a member of the Warehouse Sale team.

Giving Trees

Flat Rock.

The Christmas trees in the Gallery and outside the Chapel are decorated with different giving ornament tags. Select an ornament and show Christ's love.



<u>Green Trees: GIVING</u> Gifts for children in need. Gifts are due back by noon on Sunday, December 16 and should be wrapped with the tag securely attached. There is a 2-part tag. Please fill out one and place it in the box below the tree. This gives us your contact information. The second tag is to be placed on the gift.

If you would like to shop for a whole family, please contact Betsy Iskra as soon as possible at Iskra5@aol.com or call/text 440-283-6524.

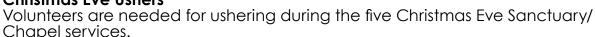
Red Hearts: SHARING Monetary donation to a charity may be placed in the envelope provided and placed in the box at the Information Hub. For security, the box will be in the Office during the week.

Charities are: Ohio Guidestone, Royal Family Kids Camp, Project Hope and

<u>Yellow Angels: PRAYING</u> Pray for the name or group listed throughout the holiday season.

Blue Bells: CARING Suggestion for something you can do to help others.

Christmas Eve Ushers



Please consider serving your congregation, and meeting new people, by ushering!

A sign-up sheet will be at the Information Hub beginning December 2. You can also sign up through the website and app.

If interested in ushering but hesitant, training will be provided on Tuesday, December 11 or Wednesday, December 19 in the Narthex from 7 – 8PM. If you have further questions, please contact Chris Meldrum at (440) 220-0824.

More-Than-A-Meal

This is our free community meal served on the last Saturday of the month. We are presently looking for Journey Groups, Committees, or individuals to sign up to prepare and serve the meals on January 26 and February 22. This requires preparing for 100 persons and covering the costs if possible. If some funding is needed, there are limited funds available. Regular workers and experienced persons will be present to assist. If you are interested, contact Jim Post at 440-477-6130.