iConnect Modern Worship

Good morning!

Preaching today is Rev. Quincy Wheeler.

Sermon Series: Crossing the Waters

The YouVersion Link is https://bible.com/events/570148.

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

Worship Through Music

Unstoppable God

- Elevation Worship

Forever Reign

- Hillsona

Lead Me to the Cross

- Hillsona

Need You More

- Will Reagan/United Pursuit My Lighthouse
- Rend Collective





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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.

March 10, 2019

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 Cornerstone.

Weekly Update

Congregational Care (+



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

Aberdeen Crossing - Barbara Bradarich • 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 • Fairmount - Patricia Laubscher Mentor Ridge - Gloria Meyer

Members who have returned home or are homebound: Chris Fletcher, Joan Evans, Kathy Tunquist, Katie Elwell, Don Ference, Marilyn Wells

Our sympathy to Linda Ference and family in the death of her sister Barbara Platt on March 3.

At the Information Hub Today

Mallev's Easter Candy Fundraiser - Mother's of Preschoolers (MOPS) The PÁTH Women's Rétreat Payment - UMW The Big Event Tickets for Tonight - Youth Service Project (YSP) Faster Flower Orders - Altar Guild

Children & Family Ministries

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



StuCo 56

Register at mentorumc.org/stuco-56.

Meeting Sunday, March 24 6 PM to 8 PM at MUMC

<u>Laser Tag Sunday, April 14</u> Sign up <u>mentorumc.org/stuco-56</u> **Summer 2019 Programs**

mentorumc.org/summer-programs Sign up and find out more!

Vacation Bible School
June 17-21
Get Out Doors (G.O.D.) Camp
June 17-21
Theatre Arts Camp
July 8-12 and July 15-19
Performances July 19 & 20

MUM Preschool Pre-Registration for 2019-2020

Contact Colleen Judson at <u>judson.preschool@mentorumc.org</u> to register. <u>www.mentorumc.org/preschool</u>

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.

Easter Egg Hunt Candy Needed!

Small, individually wrapped candy is needed by March 24. This candy needs to fit into a plastic egg. Please leave it in the container in the Community Center by the bulletin board. Thank you in advance!

Malley's Easter Candy Fundraiser is underway!

MOPS & MOMSnext members appreciate your support of this annual fundraiser. Last day to take orders will be March 17. Candy will arrive the Week of April 8.

Positive Parenting Book Club will meet on March 18 at 6 PM instead of the 11th.

What's happening Sunday, March 10, 2019

10:00 AM - Journey Group - Conference 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
05:00 PM - YSP Big Event - Fellowship Hall, Kitchen
06:15 PM - Sunday Night Basketball - Hope Ridge
07:00 PM - Journey Group - Nagle - Conference
Room

What's happening this week . . .

Monday, March 11, 2019

10:00 AM - New Day Circle - Asbury Room 10:00 AM - Journey Group - Carr - Off-Site

11:30 AM - Mentor UMW Board Meeting - Asbury Room

01:30 PM - AS Group - Adams Parlor, Asbury Room

06:00 PM - iConnect Planning - Adams Parlor

06:30 PM - DivorceCare - Wesley Room

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

07:00 PM - General Conference Post Conference Information Meeting - Chapel

Tuesday, March 12, 2019

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

07:00 PM - Emmaus/Journey Group - Adams Parlor 07:00 PM - Rummage Sale Planning Meeting -

Chapel

Wednesday, March 13, 2019

09:00 AM - Journey Group - Nancy Landerholm -Conference Room

01:00 PM - Knitting Group - Adams Parlor

01:00 PM - GriefShare - Conference Room, Library

06:00 PM - Fellowship/Evangelism - Wesley Room

06:30 PM - Trustee Meeting - Asbury Room

07:00 PM - Children's Ministry Team - Conference Room

07:00 PM - Finance Committee - Adams Parlor

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

07:00 PM - Imbler Journey Group - Room 103

07:00 PM - Journey Group - Gallagher - Room 112

07:00 PM - PATH Planning Team Meeting - Chapel

07:00 PM - Journey Group - Wrobel - Off-Site

Thursday, March 14, 2019

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

09:30 AM - Ruth Naomi Circle - Fellowship Hall

10:00 AM - Overeaters Anonymous - Adams Parlor

10:00 AM - Western Reserve Garden Club Plng. Mtg. - Conference Room

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

06:00 PM - Canticle Bell Rehearsal - Wesley Room, Choir Room

06:00 PM - Charge Conference - Chapel

06:30 PM - Disciple I - Landerholm - Asbury Room

06:45 PM - Charter Members Rehearsal - Choir Room

07:00 PM - Mentor Jr. Women's Club Meeting - Fellowship Hall, Kitchen

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

07:45 PM - Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room

Friday, March 15, 2019

09:30 AM - MOPS Steering Team - Conference Room, Early Childhood

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

Saturday, March 16, 2019

08:00 AM - iConnect - Vocal Rehearsal - Chapel 08:00 AM - iConnect Rehearsal - Fellowship Hall

08:00 AM - Journey Group Leader Meeting -

U8:00 AM - Journey Group Leader Meeting Conference Room

What's happening Sunday, March 17, 2019

10:00 AM - Journey Group - Conference Room

10:00 AM - Adult Sunday School - Adams Parlor

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

10:15 AM - Cherub Choir Rehearsal - Room 104

03:30 PM - YSP Meeting Adult Meeting - Youth Room, Youth Room B

04:30 PM - YSP Meeting - Youth Room, Youth Room B

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 – Hope Ridge

07:00 PM - Journey Group - Nagle - Conference Room General Conference: Post Conference Information Meeting at MUMC

On Monday, March 11 at 7:00 PM, the pastors will be offering a follow-up information meeting from the special called General Conference. The meeting will be held in the Chapel and no RSVP is necessary.



The special conference was held on February 23 – 26 with the express purpose of dealing with issues around human sexuality. The conference voted to keep the present language prohibiting the ordination of practicing homosexuals and the performance of same-sex marriages in our churches and by our pastors. The adopted plan adds to the enforcement of these prohibitions. The plan continues to affirm that all persons from the LGBTQ+ community are persons of sacred worth and that we are to be engaged in ministry to and with them. We will address how the conference and actions taken will impact the denomination, our local church, and our ministry to the LGBTQ+ community.

Post-General Conference Information Meeting

Following the General Conference on February 23 – 26, there will be three informational post-conference meetings across our annual conference. Laity are encouraged to attend. The last meeting is Sunday, March 10, 4:00 – 5:50 at Strongsville UMC.

Special Charge Conference

There will be a special called Charge Conference on Thursday, March 14 at 6:00 PM at MUMC. The meeting will be held in the Chapel. The only agenda item is to consider the recommendation of Sean O'Neil to the District Committee of Ordained Ministry as a candidate for ministry. The Staff-Parish Relations Committee approved him to come before the Charge Conference. The Charge Conference vote will be to recommend him or not recommend him to the District Committee of Ordained Ministry.

Ruth Naomi Circle

All ladies are welcome for our meeting March 14 at 9:30 AM. We will continue to work on the Christmas Eve candles. We 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.

For more information, contact Georgeanna Allen at 440-255-5515.

Wheeler Baby Shower

Please help celebrate the coming of Baby Boy Wheeler with a Baby Shower on Sunday, March 31 from 1:00 to 3:30 PM in the Mentor UMC Asbury/Wesley rooms. A luncheon will be served. Chelsea and Quincy are registered at Amazon and Target. RSVP by March 21 to Nancy Landerholm (440-290-7320 or noochylee@gmail.com) or Cori Babcock (440-942-2255 or cvbabcock@gmail.com).

March Prayer Focus - Nancy Landerholm



Use Ephesians 3:14-21, one of Paul's prayers, to pray during the month of March. Make it personal. Pray it for yourself or a family member. Maybe pray it for a new person each day of the month. Just Pray It!!!

Staff Position Posting - GEM Secretary/Treasurer

The Staff-Parish Relations Committee is seeking qualified candidates for the position of GEM Secretary/Treasurer. The primary responsibility is to facilitate the disbursement and reporting of all funds under the GEM (Gifts, Endowment, and Memorials) Committee.

The GEM Secretary/Treasurer will work with coworkers, congregation members, other Mentor UMC leaders, and those in banking and investment firms. This position will work under the GEM Committee and the Senior Pastor. They must be able to organize and manage their own work schedule, and do so with little supervision. The position is part-time with flexible hours varying from 8 - 10 hours a week, but can be as low as 3 and as high as 18. Expanded hours and responsibility are a possibility. The slowest months are September, November and December; the busiest months are January, March and April. There are some evening meeting requirements.

Primary duties include:

- 1. Using GAAP, provide accurate monthly accounting of GEM funds
- 2. Provide an annual report to the congregation
- 3. Carry out all financial matters voted on by the GEM Committee
- 4. Handle disbursement requests
- 5. Provide GEM Committee meeting minutes

Requires 2-4 years in a financial management position, or 3-5 years in related work experience with proficiency in GAAP. Demonstrate a proficiency in financial and word processing and spreadsheet programs including MS Excel, MS Word, MS PowerPoint and Outlook. Candidate should have an understanding of Endowment accounting. Should be comfortable working with computer data software. Problem solving and analytic skills are a plus. This staff person must be able to exhibit courtesy, cooperation and confidentiality in all dealings with members of the congregation, staff and the general public.

Interested parties should send their resume to <u>SPRC@mentorumc.org</u> with the words "GEM Applicant" in the subject by April 1.

All-Church Rummage Sale 2019 Volunteer Sign-Up Sheet

All are welcome to help make this event a success!

Please circle as many time slots as you would like.

Lunch will be provided for you on Saturday.

Monday, April 22 - Saturday, April 27

| | Monday | 9AM-1PM | 1-5PM | 5-8PM | |
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| | Tuesday | 9AM-1PM | 1-5PM | 5-8PM | |
| | Wednesday | 9AM-1PM | 1-5PM | 5-8PM | |
| | Thursday | 9AM-1PM | 1-5PM | 5-8PM | |
| | Friday | 9AM-1PM | 1-5PM | | |
| | Saturday | 8AM-12PM | 12-4PM | 3-5PM | All Day |
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Email: _____

Phone: _____

If you have any questions, please contact Rhonda Hoon at 440-255-6569 or rhondahoon@yahoo.com.

Please place the form in the offering plate, give to the church office or call/email Rhonda with your information.

MUM Preschool - Help Spread the Word!

Mentor United Methodist Preschool has been serving our local community for 52 years. Children ages 3 to 5 enjoy quality programs in a loving, secure environment. If you know of family, friends, co-workers or neighbors who have young children, why not recommend our preschool? There are morning and afternoon classes available. Families of all faiths are welcome. Colleen Judson is our Administrator. Contact her at judson.preschool@mentorumc.org. More information and enrollment forms are at www.mentorumc.org/preschool. Enrollment for the 2019-2020 school year is now open, so please spread the word!

2019 Annual All-Church Rummage Sale



April 27, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Attend planning meetings March 12 and April 9 at 7 PM in the Chapel.

Hear Ye, Hear Ye! Come one, Come all!

Gather up all those useful household items, clean clothing (NO FOOT WEAR) and bring them to the church Monday, April 22, through Thursday, April 25, 9 AM to 7 PM. Sorting your own donations is a great way to help! Just put your items on the appropriate tables.

NO ITEMS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON FRIDAY, APRIL 26.

Please NO major appliances, dehumidifiers, refrigerators, air conditioners, tires, sofa beds, non-flat screen televisions, bowling balls, encyclopedias, cook books, landline telephones or footwear.

All are welcome to come bid on our silent auction/buy it now priced items. They will be displayed again this year on the counter in the Gallery, Tuesday through Friday, with bids accepted until 6:00 PM on Friday.

Workers are needed all week to help unload, sort, set up and price items. On Saturday, the day of the sale, we need workers to help customers check-out (cash only) and get their purchases to their cars.

Please be sure to sign up, as this helps us plan. On Saturday, lunch and snacks will be provided for workers.

Sign up with friends and enjoy time together of fun and fellowship, while working for a good cause! Sign up at this link https://bit.ly/2ViAp6r.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Money earned from the sale supports significant church projects. Contact Rhonda Hoon at rhondahoon@yahoo.com or 440-255-6569 with any questions.

EASTER FLOWER ORDERS 2019

This year we are offering tulips, daffodils, lilies, and hyacinths. The prices are as follows:



Tulip, Daffodil, Lily, Hyacinth \$7 each

Please make your check to MUMC or Mentor United Methodist Church. Checks and forms can be mailed to: The Altar Guild c/o Mentor United Methodist Church 8600 Mentor Avenue, Mentor OH 44060.

The Altar Guild will also be at the Information Hub on Sunday, March 10, 17, 24 and 31 with forms to order plants.

The last day to order will be March 31, so we can place our order and they can be delivered for Easter.

Your plants may be picked up after the 11 AM service on Easter morning.

Please indicate how many of each type you would like: ____ Tulip (\$7) ____ Daffodil (\$7) ____ Lily (\$7) ____ Hyacinth (\$7) Total \$ (PLEASE PRINT NAMES) From _____ In memory of _____ In appreciation of To the Glory of God

Place my flowers in: _____ Sanctuary ____ iConnect

Lent and Holy Week

The season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday and ends 40 days and 6 Sundays later on Easter Sunday. Easter Sunday is April 21. Here's our schedule for the weeks of Lent and Holy Week.



Holy Week

Sunday, April 14 - Palm Sunday with our typical services at 9:00 and 11:00 AM

Thursday, April 18 – 7:30 PM Holy Thursday service in the Fellowship Hall Friday, April 19 – 7:30 PM Good Friday Choir Cantata Tenebrae Service Saturday, April 20 – 10:00 AM Community Easter Egg Hunt at Garfield

Sunday, April 21 – Easter services at 9:00 and 11:00 AM

Martin Journey Group

The Martin Journey Group meets Sundays at 10 AM in the Conference Room. After a break, they will start a new study on March 24. This is a great time to join! The new study is from Sandra Richter on the Book of Ruth. Please contact Johanna Martin at <u>johannamartin@sbcglobal.net</u> to let her know you are interested so we can order the correct number of books.

Ohio Living Hospice Volunteers Needed

Ohio Living Hospice is seeking volunteers for Lake, Geauga and eastern Cuyahoga Counties to provide companionship, friendly visits and pet thérapy. If interested, please call Kim Evans at 440-953-1256 or kevans@ohiolivina.ora.

Companionship - Provides comfort and emotional support and may include talkina, listenina, readina or just being present.

Pet Therapy - Volunteer and certified pet therapy animal visits to provide sensory stimulation and companionship to offer comfort to our patients.

The Path

Please remember payments for The Path are due today. Stop by the Information Hub if you need assistance.

Childcare Help Needed

Compassionate, caring, loving individuals are needed to spend 5 hours per month with little people during our Mothers of Preschoolers meetings.

When: second and fourth Fridays of the month, 9:30 AM to 12 PM

Where: MUMC Pay: \$10 per hour

Contact: Tammy Palermo at tpalermo@mentorumc.org

Woodlawn Homes Easter Outreach

Mentor United Methodist Women is collecting new items to be distributed at Woodlawn Homes:

50-64 oz. size name brand liquid laundry detergent

small box dryer sheets

socks – child and youth sizes, boys and girls

24 pack Crayola crayons

small wrapped candies (fit inside plastic Easter eggs)

Bibles – Spanish or English, adult or children's

infant and children's books – Spanish or English

"clean" teen books

4 oz. size bubbles with wand

#2 wooden pencils with bright colors or designs



Please place donations (new items only, please) in the "Woodlawn Easter Outreach" collection bin located in the Mentor UMC Community Center by Wednesday, March 20.

If you would like to help with an Easter Egg Hunt at the Woodlawn Community Center on Saturday, April 6 at 1 PM, please sign up through the church app or online at www.mentorumc.org/local_missions to indicate how you will help. Please contact Carole Ring at umw@mentorumc.org or 440-255-7213 if you have questions.

Thank you for your generosity and support!

Food Pantry Leadership Needed

Missions Commission is seeking leadership for our Food Pantry ministry. Food distributions take place four times a year. If you are interested, please contact Bill Mueller at muellerhomeoffice@oh.rr.com.





Change the World Day

This Lent we can make a difference! Use the Change the World Day coffee cup to collect money for Rise Against Hunger. A Keurig cup is about 25 cents. A cup of coffee at McDonald's is about \$1. And of course, Starbucks can set you back at least \$4. Consider giving up a cup of coffee and donating that money. Yes, tea, energy drink, and pop drinkers, you can participate, too!

For the 40 days of Lent, these donations will add up. Checks can be made out to MUMC and noted "Change the World Day". Donations can be placed in the offering plate any Sunday or you can turn in your cup at the end of Lent. You can give online or through the app, just select "Change the World Day" as the fund from the pull-down menu. More information will follow about where to turn in your cups.

MUMC has committed to raising \$10,000 to provide 30,000 meals. If everyone attending service on a Sunday gave \$20 this Lent, our goal would be met!

The Mentor 5K Race for Rise Against Hunger/Change the World Day is Saturday, May 11 from 8 AM to 10:30 AM. Meal packing is Saturday, May 18. More information will be coming soon. Thank you!

