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WEEKLY UPDATE

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# CHURCH

June 19th, 2022

MODERN WORSHIP AT 9 AM & 11 AM
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP AT 9 AM & 11 AM



Worship with us online every Sunday at 9 & 11 AM <u>Mentorumc.org</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, and <u>Youtube</u>

# Pastor's Letter

This week's Highlight Reel "Favorite Scripture" is a single verse, and if not a favorite, at least familiar to many...

This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24

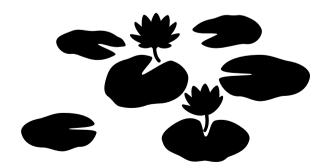
Some days, finding reason to rejoice and be glad is easier said than done. Yet we can choose to focus on the Lord's faithfulness...the Lord's presence in each day...the Lord's power revealed. It is a present reality and discipline. This IS the day...

As summer days unfold, let's challenge ourselves to find something to rejoice in each day. Longer days (the longest one of the year is this week)...Sun and Fun...Time with others...Time to relax and rest and refresh...Time to serve (VBS, G.O.D. Camp, YSP)

We must discipline ourselves to be grateful people. We often think of gratitude at Thanksgiving but what if we became rejoicing and glad people all year. Because the world presses in upon us sometimes. We can be swept up in the negativity and divisiveness around us. Or we can...this day...rejoice and be glad in the Lord.

You are God's Beloved!

Pastor Sondra



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In our prayers today & in your personal prayer time, please remember the following:

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

Aberdeen Crossing - Barbara Bradrich

The Enclave - Kay Disbro, Jeanne Babcock, Jim & Mary Lou Haines,

Delores Tackett, Johanna Kessler

Vista Springs - Audrey Arslanian

Salida Woods - Doris Sturm

Continuing Healthcare of Mentor - Virginia Gilman

Parker Place - Bill Owen, Bob & Sandy Linsell,

Opal Pinasky, Delores Parsons

Danbury Senior Living - Kathryn Bevacqua, Hugh Samson

Maple Ridge Sr. Living - Bob Chamberlin

Brookdale Wickliffe - Fran Rose

Tapestry Senior Living - Gloria McFeely

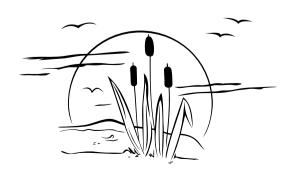
Symphony of Mentor - Lorraine Ahlstrom

Breckinridge/Fairmount - Patricia Laubscher

Mentor Ridge - Ginny Stein

### Members who are recovering at home or homebound:

Dale Snyder, Mary Jane Scott, Jarod Mausolf, Shirley Drobnick, Karen Mancini, Debbie Shorter, Harry "Bud" Weaver, Abe Szabo, Kathy Rippen, Ann Shetler, Jim Haines





# Need to Know



### Youversion:

https://www.bible.com/events/ 48905777

### **Takeover Day 2022**

Looking for an epic online event to participate in on Saturday, July 2? If you're a young person getting involved in this year's Summer Programs, then you might want to click this <u>link</u> (if you're not, send this to a young person you know).

This event is all about hearing directly from our young people about their past, present, and future experiences with our Summer adventures. Never been involved before? No problem, we want to hear from everybody! Learn more on our site and look out for updates in the coming weeks!

#### **Pastor's Book Club**

Meeting this week, June 23rd at 7 pm in-person or online! For June, we are reading: *Dare To Lead* by Brene' Brown. To purchase the book, please visit our <u>site</u>!

### **Devotionals** - Last Chance

The Upper Room June
Devotionals are still available
in the Narthex & the church
office. Pick one up today
before the month is up!

### Vacation Bible School & Get Out Doors (G.O.D.) Camp

Happening this week! We hope our kids and volunteers have an awesome time!

### **Journey Group Ministries**

Each Journey Group, with the help of a leader, seeks to cultivate community, strengthen one another in faith and life, and encourage all on a path of Christcentered discipleship.

If you are interested in joining a Journey Group click here.

If you would like more information or have questions please <u>email Pastor Mikayla</u> <u>Doepker</u>.

#### **Annual Conference**

Thank you to those who represented Mentor UMC at this year's East Ohio Annual Conference!



## **Sunday Morning Kids**

9:00 AM at MUMC

- Ages 0-2 and 3-4 sign in at the Early Childhood Area before service
- Kindergarten through 6th grade begin in worship and are then dismissed to Sunday School.

#### What is Juneteenth?

Visit <u>this page</u> on the United Methodist Church's website to learn more about this federal holiday.

# HIGHLIGHTS

### **Summer Highlight Reel**

As part of our ongoing Sermon Series, we are sharing our favorites each Sunday. For June 19, 2022, our favorites are: *Scripture:* 

Psalms 118: 24
Worship song:

Your Great Name *Hymn:* 

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee *Vacation destination:* 

Hawaii Reel Good News (a video mini series):

Tune in to Modern Worship at 9:00 AM to find out!

To view previous Reel Good News clips (and to keep an eye out for upcoming ones) check out our <u>playlist on YouTube!</u>

To read the intros and backgrounds to our favorite music, check out our <u>site!</u>



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## What's M. Mission Opportunities



## We Need You! **Volunteers Needed for Theatre Arts Camp**

TAC is in need of volunteers this clothes! Donations can be July, the 11th through the 15th. High School Students and Adults needed! Please visit this form to volunteer: click here.

### More Than A Meal

This Saturday! You can sign up for this month's More Than A Meal, which is Saturday, June 25th, by visiting our online sign up here!

On the last Saturday of each month, we cook a meal, pack individual servings, and offer drive-thru pick-up for anyone who would like a meal. You can help cook, pack meals, clean up, or hand out meals while interacting with guests.

### **Hope Chest**

Hope Chest is in great need of children and teen SUMMER dropped off in the Community Center!

### **YSP Prayer Need**

This week the Youth Service Project Mission Trip will kick off! From June 24 - July 2, 19 terrific people will travel to Country Cooperative Parish in Newberry, MI. View the next page for a prayer calendar.

### **Food Ministry**

Thank you to those who donated to our end-of-schoolvear distribution!

Distribution was last week and we're so lucky to have had great volunteers helping us out!

Keep an eye out for upcoming details about our next distribution!

## **Sunday Morning Summer** Sign Up @ MUMC

Now open for LEADERS. K-6th grade leaders are needed for June & July. Babies, Toddlers, and 2 yo leaders are needed June, July, and August. Please note that leaders in the Early Childhood Area are asked to wear a mask as we LOVE GOD & LOVE PEOPLE.

### **Project Hope**

Volunteers for various tasks needed. Flexibility is available. Learn more on our site, click here or visit Project Hope's site, here. You can also call (440) 354-6417.

#### More?

Interested in seeing more? Check out our Missions Page on our Website. Click here.

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# SUMMER SCHEDULES

### Youth Schedule for June & July

- June 17-19: Youth Annual Conference
- June 24-July 2: Youth Service Project (YSP)
- July 3, 2022: YSP Sharing Sunday
- July 5-8 Middle School Mission Week
- July 10: MSMW Sharing Sunday
- July 11-15 & 18-22 Theatre Arts Camp (TAC)
- July 22 & 23: TAC Shows

### **Summer of SONdays**

(Western Reserve District)@

- July 10: New Leaf UMC in Conneaut
- July 17: Mentor UMC
- July 24: Willoughby Hills UMC
- July 31: Hope Ridge UMC

## Summer Programs

### **Middle School Mission Week**

Act Out Love

July 5-8, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

### Registration deadline: June 29

Open to completed grades 6, 7, & 8. <u>Click here</u> to view the registration form.



### **Theatre Arts Camp**

July 11-15 and 18-22, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

Completed kindergarten through 8th grade can sign up to be cast members.

Grades 6th through 8th can sign up to be crew members.

High School students & adults can sign up to be leaders!

Click <u>here</u> for more details and <u>here</u> for the registration and volunteer form.

If there is a financial concern that is prohibiting you from registering, please contact Tammy at <a href="mailto:tpalermo@mentorumc.org">tpalermo@mentorumc.org</a>



## YSP Prayer Calendar 2022

"But those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint." Isaiah 40:31



| June 25 Saturday   | June 26 Sunday   | June 27 Monday   | June 28 Tuesday   |
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| Please pray for a day of safe travel and that the Holy Spirit would empower our team to be an effective witness for Christ in this Upper Peninsula community and beyond.  Be praying for our group as a whole.  Isaiah 40:31 | Pray that our hearts and minds would be ready to serve through God's Country Cooperative Parish (GCCP). Pray that we would have a spirit of humility as we serve.  Specifically, be praying for Isabella Cuff and John Busch and Doug Denton.  Micah 7:7 | Pray that we would be receptive to the work ahead as we begin our construction projects. Pray that we would unify as a team and community to complete the tasks at hand.  Specifically, be praying for Beka Denton and Marye Etta Fairchild.  Luke 10:1-12 | Pray that our hearts, minds and bodies are open to Christ's transforming power. Pray that God directs each word and action that we might glorify God in our work.  Specifically, be praying for Kiersten Grantz, Madison Matijevic and Kurt Hinkley.  Deuteronomy 31:1-8      |
| June 29 Wednesday  | June 30 Thursday   | July 1 Friday  | July 2 Saturday   |
| Pray for GCCP and for the ministry God has placed on the hearts of this cooperative parish and Church and Community Worker Randy Hildebrant, Director of GCCP.  Specifically, be praying for Sean McArthur and Nancy Leyden. | Pray that we stay focused, keep a positive attitude and remain strong as we near the end of our work week.  Specifically, be praying for Jackson McDonald, Jay McDonald and Bill Mueller.  | Pray that we would finish our work with a smile! Please pray that we have seen God in all our work and interactions throughout the week.  Specifically, be praying for Jaden McDonald, Rob Pauley and Jim Post.  | Please pray for a day of safe travel home and that God would give the drivers strength and focus after a tiring week. Pray that God would spark a new love in our hearts and minds to live for God daily.  Specifically, be praying for Paul Raser, Andrew Ring and Rod Ring. |
| James 5:7-12   | Ruth 1:19-21, 14-17  | Acts 16:16-34  | Isaiah 40:27-31   |

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