

The liturgical color is green for the 27th day after Pentecost		
PRELUDE 9:00	“Now Thank We All Our God”	Kaufmann
PRELUDE & CHORAL INTROIT 11:00		
	“Come, Ye Thankful People Come” Bonnie Budziak, piano; Amy Bender, organ; Chancel Choir	arr. Joel Raney
WELCOME	Jim Post, liturgist	
*CALL TO WORSHIP		
L: As we give thanks for the ways God has provided for our needs, C: may we acknowledge our dependence on God. L: As Creator, you bring your dazzling light into our hearts! C: Help us to see that following your mandate welcomes the stranger to you. L: We praise you for your son, Christ the King! C: God of the lonely and lost, God of the secure and confident, L: gather us at this time of Thanksgiving. C: We have thanksgiving on our lips and gratitude in our heart.		
*OPENING HYMN	“Praise to the Lord the Almighty”	UMH 139
OPENING PRAYER		
Children are invited to stay in worship or meet in the Narthex to go to Sunday School		
SCRIPTURE	Isaiah 55:1-5, 10-13, p. 685	
WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC 9:00		
	“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” Bonnie Budziak, piano; Amy Bender, organ	arr. Joel Raney
ANTHEM 11:00	“For the Beauty of the Earth” Chancel Choir	Choral setting by Joel Raney
SHARING STORIES OF GOD AT WORK THROUGH CELEBRATIONS & CONCERNS		
SILENT PRAYER		
PASTORAL PRAYER		

*\* Congregation invited to stand if able*

THE LORD'S PRAYER		
<b>Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.</b>		
MENTOR IN MINISTRY		
SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY 9:00	“Hymn of Thanksgiving”	arr. Martha Powell Setchell
11:00	“Come to the Water”	arr. Lynda Hasseler
*DOXOLOGY #94		
<b>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!</b>		
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION		
<b>Good Shepherd, who leads and guides us through all the trials of our lives, we bring these gifts to celebrate our devotion to you. We thank you for our ability to give. Please be with us and cause us to grow in faith and in service. Amen.</b>		
HYMN OF CENTERING	“Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling”	UMH 348
SCRIPTURE	2 Corinthians 9:6-15, p. 183	
MESSAGE	“Love Begins at Home - World” Rev. Dr. Ivy Smith	
HYMN OF MISSION	“More Love to Thee, O Christ”	UMH 453
CONSECRATION OF PLEDGE CARDS		

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTION SUNG RESPONSE** "Go Now In Peace"

**Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.  
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong, and true. Know He will guide you in all you do.  
Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.  
God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.  
Amen. Amen. Amen.**

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**POSTLUDE**

"Now Thank We All Our God"

Piet Post

Altar Flowers are presented by Norm Brobst  
In Loving Memory wife Natalie

Pulpit Flowers are presented by Mike Gibson  
In Celebration of 53 years with my best friend.

*For flowers, please contact Kathy Fellows at 440.477.4485*

*You are invited to the gallery immediately  
following worship for our Stewardship Brunch.*

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Traditional Worship

November 24, 2024





YOUTH! What are you into? What do you want to see? What do you want to do?

 **NO!**      **Maybe...**      **Yesssss**

React to the messages below  
by circling an emoji  
& leave your contact info  
so Mackalyn can get in touch!

Tea Time on Sundays @ 10



Outreach & Missions



Meals like group dinners, ice cream outings, breakfasts



Retreats & UMC Events



Name & number or email:

Coffee Shop Meet ups pls



Middle School Sunday School



Parks, Museums, Hikes, Skating, Game nights, Lock-ins, etc.



Pls leave ur contact info!!

Drop off this sheet in the office, offering box, or hand to Mackalyn!

# MENTOR UNITED HIGHLIGHTS METHODIST CHURCH



**Members who are in need of prayer:**  
Karen Mancini, Marilyn Oliver, Luke Sanvido, Lois Dyckman, Pam Crawley, Bob Linsell, Dick & Nancy Smith, Andy Champa, Georgeanna Allen, Noralee Starr

**Members admitted to Rehab, Assisted Living, or Nursing Home Facility:**  
*The Enclave* - Delores Tackett, Johanna Kessler, Dee Smith, Mary Lou Haines, John Shetler, Carol Anderson, Doug Kepp  
*Governors Point* - Doris Sturm  
*Aristocrat Berea* - Virginia Gilman  
*Parker Place* - Bill Owen, Bob & Sandy Linsell, Deloris Parsons, Mary Ann Haycox  
*Mentor Ridge* - Russ Lancaster  
*Tapestry* - Gloria McFeely  
*Symphony of Mentor* - Lorraine Ahlstrom  
*Breckenridge/Fairmount* - Patricia Laubscher  
*Village of St. Edward* - Dale Porter  
*Holly Hill* - Floyd Richards

## Upcoming This Week

Monday, November 25

- Parent's Morning Out
- Carr Journey Group
- Thanksgiving Prep

Tuesday, November 26

- Ring Journey Group
- Modern Worship Team
- Thanksgiving Prep

Wednesday, November 27

- Child & Caregiver Class
- Knitting Group
- Thanksgiving Prep

Thursday, November 28

- Church office closed
- Thanksgiving Day Meal, 11 to 1:30

Friday, November 29

- Church office closed



*NEW Worship schedule!*

# Next Sunday

**9 AM Modern & 11 AM Traditional**  
*in-person & online*



## **Poinsettias**

Order your poinsettias TODAY! Find the online order form on our website or grab one in the Info Hub. Plants are \$7 each and the deadline to order is December 9th.

## **Young at Heart Luncheon 2024**

This year's Young at Heart Luncheon will be on Wednesday, December 11th at 12 PM at Mentor United Methodist Church. The MUMC Women of Faith are excited to host this wonderful Christmas Luncheon of chicken marsala, Caprese salad, zucchini medley, and Andes mint chocolate brownies for dessert. Those 62 years and older are invited to join us for a meal and Christmas fun! Call the Church Office or sign up online by MONDAY, DECEMBER 9th.

## **Advent Devotional**

You can pick up a Devotional at the church or read the digital version on our website. This devotional was created through the collected efforts of members & friends of MUMC. Check out the beautiful devotions and art!

*To celebrate the art shared in this devotional and our Stewardship craft, we will have an art display in the Gallery through December. Come check it out starting December 1st.*

## **Advent Candle Lighting**

Sign up online or talk to Pastor Tammy to light candles this Advent season in service. Invite friends or family!

## **Giving Trees**

Give gifts to children & organizations in need this Advent season. Check out the tags on the trees around the church or the online signup which can be found on our website. All gifts must be in to the church by Sunday, December 15th at noon. More details on our site.

# Advent Season

**December 7th**

*Gift of Time from 1-4 PM, an afternoon of free childcare at MUMC*

**December 14th**

*Christmas Play: 'A Charlie Brown Christmas', 4 PM  
in Fellowship Hall – Tickets on sale now!*

**December 15th**

*Christmas Cantata in Traditional Worship, 11 AM*

**December 18th**

*Blue Christmas Service, 7 PM  
in the Chapel at MUMC*

**December 20th**

*Prelude to Christmas, Charter Members Men's Choir  
& Guests, 7:30 PM in the Sanctuary*

**December 24th**

**Christmas Eve Services**

*Communion, 3 PM*

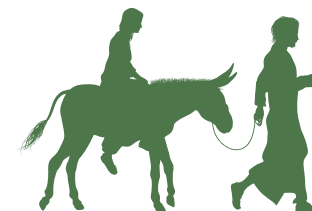
*Family, 5 PM*

*Modern, 7 PM*

*Traditional, 9 PM*

**December 29th, 30th**

*Youth Holiday Lock-In, 7 PM-8 AM,  
gather, celebrate, and have some Holy Shenanigans*



*Ongoing through the season:  
Join us in the Gallery for Fellowship;  
hear live music & have refreshments*

*Join us for Communion in the Chapel  
around 10 AM every Sunday*