Welcome to Mentor United Methodist Church!

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www.mentorumc.org

Lead Pastor  
Rev. Sondra Snode

Traditional Worship  
Sanctuary 9 and 11 AM

Modern Worship  
iConnect Fellowship Hall 9 and 11 AM

Communion Chapel 10:30 AM

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August 25, 2019

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Worship Through Music

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ALL YOUTH will have their annual KICK-OFF on Sunday, September 22 from 6:00-8:00 pm. There will be FOOD PROVIDED! With this in mind, PLEASE RSVP! http://www.mentorumc.org/youth-56

Prayer Buddies
More adults are needed!
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.

Children Need YOU on Sunday Mornings!
Sign up for September, October, and November!
9AM Babies, Toddlers, & 2 YO (1 person-can be youth) Kindergarten through 2nd Grade (1 person-can be youth) 5th & 6th Grade (1 person)
11 AM Babies, Toddlers, & 2 YO (3 people-1 must be an adult) Kindergarten through 2nd Grade (2 people-1 can be youth) 3rd & 4th Grade (1 person)

Sign up at https://bit.ly/2XJpVST or contact Tammy at tpalermo@mentorumc.org.

Family Sunday
The first Sunday of each month at Mentor UMC is Family Sunday. Children join their family in worship instead of attending their regular Journey Group. We will be offering something special for our kids in the Gallery following both the 9 AM and 11 AM services to celebrate us all worshiping together. Mark your calendars for our upcoming events!

September 1 - Back-to-School Craft to give to teachers
October 6 - Pumpkin Decorating
November 3 - Balloon Animals
December 1 - Homemade Christmas Cards

Gingerbread Workshops
Join us any Wednesday from 10 AM to 12 PM in the Gallery to work on crafts for the Gingerbread Craft Show. We are open to new craft ideas, so bring your own or we will have something for you to do. If you have questions, call Kathy Fellows at 255-5899.
Time is running out to join Disciple classes at Mentor UMC!
Disciple 1, taught by Rev. Sondra Snode, will be from 6:30-7:45 PM on Thursday nights. Class begins September 12 and runs for 12 weeks (with a week off for Thanksgiving). Then, after Christmas break, it will go for another 12 weeks from January-April. This class is the most thorough introduction to the Bible that 24 weeks can offer.

If you have taken Disciple 1, Cathie McAdams will be teaching Disciple 2 on Monday nights, beginning September 9, from 6:30-8 PM. This class is also a 24-week format, and will give you a chance to dive a little deeper into themes from the Old and New Testaments with “Into the Word, Into the World.”

Let Pastor Quincy know if you want to join either class no later than Tuesday, September 3 at qwheeler@mentorumc.org or 440-255-3496.

Missions Luncheon - Liberia Trip Presentation
Today, August 25, from 12:30 to 2:00 PM in Fellowship Hall
Missions will serve soup and salad. Tammy, Nancy, Eliana, Roxy, and Aidan will share photos and experiences from their trip to Liberia this summer. Learn about how God is working across the globe!

Schedule Fall Groups and Meetings
Remember to contact Teresa in the office to schedule your meeting and class times for the coming months. It is important to reserve your space ahead of time. Office hours are Monday through Friday 8 AM to 4 PM or email tsimons@mentorumc.org.

Financials YTD Through July 31, 2019
Receipts $537,168
Disbursements $583,139
Deficit ($45,971)

You are cordially invited to join the Ruth-Naomi Circle Fall Kick-Off!
Thursday, September 12, 9:30 AM, Adams Parlor
Join us for a special program presented by a member of the Mentor Fire Department’s Public Education Department. He will be here to share with us the many services available to those in our community that go beyond the duties of Fire/Rescue. Please join us for this informative program, a time of fellowship and refreshments. Open to all who are interested. All women of the church are welcome to become a part of Ruth-Naomi Circle women’s fellowship. Need more information or have questions, please contact Georgeanna Allen at 255-5515.

Annual Church Picnic September 8
The Annual Mentor United Methodist Church picnic will be at the pavilion at Garfield Park from 1-3 PM on Sunday, September 8. Join us for hot dogs, hamburgers, games and fellowship! If your last name begins with A-M, please bring a side dish. If your last name begins with N-Z, please bring a dessert. See you there!

Evangelism Training
Have you ever wondered how to bring people to church who are not going to church and don’t have a relationship with Jesus? What if, instead, we bring “church” and Jesus to them?

Please join the Fellowship/Evangelism Team, led by Pastor Quincy, for a special training and coordination meeting on Sunday, September 15, at 12:30 PM. We will meet in the Conference Room to learn more about opportunities to reach the unchurched in the Mentor area in the coming year! Pizza will be provided!

Project Hope Volunteers Needed
Volunteers are needed at Project Hope or at your leisure. Make and deliver a meal, pack lunches, spend time with an elder and more. Fill out an application at www.projecthopeline.org or email volunteer@projecthopeline.org.

Hope Chest
Hope Chest is in need of towels. These can be dropped off at 1 Victoria Place in Painesville or the bin in the Community Center. Thank you!

Learn about our handyman Joseph Ministry on September 15
Come learn about local missions through Joseph Ministries. Immediately following the 9:00 and 11:00 AM services on September 15, the Missions Committee will be hosting a gourmet coffee and pastry informational gathering in the Wesley Room (between the Sanctuary and the Gallery).

Come if you have ever been on a missions trip or if you have an interest in learning how our church can support local needs related to household repairs. This ministry is critical to our local community and we are looking for volunteers to give as little or as much time as you are able. We will meet with our experienced team to meet these needs. You need not have any specific skills and you will not be required to make any commitments at this meeting. Just come and have some gourmet coffee (or tea) and explore what Joseph Ministries is all about, even if you are not quite sure if you have any skills to serve in this way.