Modern Worship

Worship Through Music

O Come O Come Emmanuel
- Aaron Shust

Hark The Herald Angels Sing/
King of Heaven
- Paul Baloche

He Has Come For Us (God
Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen)
- Meredith Andrews

Noel
- Lauren Daigle

Peace Has Come
- Hillsong

Welcome to Mentor United Methodist Church!

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Lead Pastor
Rev. Sondra Snode
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Traditional Worship
Sanctuary
9 and 11 AM

Modern Worship
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.

December 8, 2019

Visitors
If this is your first visit, please stop by the
Welcome Center in the Gallery. We
have a gift 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 Nominating/Lay Leaders,
next week by Altar Guild.

Congregational Care

Members admitted to the Hospital:
Hillcrest - Charles Snyder • UH - Carole Elwell

Members admitted to Rehab, Assisted Living or Nursing Home Facility:
Vista Springs - Jim Reed • Aberdeen Crossing - Barbara Bradarich
Brookdale Mentor - Norma Kuzik • Brookdale Wickliffe - Fran Rose
Tapestry Senior Living - Ron McFeely
Mentor Ridge - Gloria Meyer, Mid Donahue
Fairmount - Patricia Laubscher, Connie Harnden
Salida Woods - Ross & Kathryn Bevacqua
Maple Ridge Sr. Living - Bob Chamberlin

Members who have returned home or are homebound:
Diane Champa, Gloria McFeely, Michelle Park, Carole Leland,
Virginia Gilman, Ginny Stein, Jill Tackett

Congratulations to grandparents Dana and Kim Ludwig and aunt Julia on the
birth of Levi William to parents Josh and Mackenzie Ludwig on November 19.

Our sympathy to Jeff, Cindy, Andrew and Katie Klein in the passing of Jeff’s
mother, Nadine Miller, on December 4.

At the Information Hub
Chocolate Advent Calendars

Weekly Update

Download our app!

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Good morning!

Preaching this morning is Rev. Quincy Wheeler. Our sermon series is “A Stable Relationship.”
The YouVersion Link is https://bible.com/events/5924382.

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

Advent Wreath Lighters
9:00 AM Rhonda & Larry Hoon
11:00 AM Confirmation Students
Maximum enrollment is 12 children. Please contact Colleen Judson at judson@mentorumc.org for more information.

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00-11:15 am. Cost is $110/month ($550/year) plus a $65 non-refundable registration fee and a $30 activity fee.

Children must be 3 as of January 1 and potty trained. The class is on 3rd & 4th Grades (2 people) 5th and 6th grade (1 person)

New Class
9:00 AM Babies, Toddlers, and 2 Year Olds (2 people) 11:00 AM Babies, Toddlers, and 2 Year Olds (1 person) 3rd & 4th grades (2 people)

Contact Tammy for more info and/or to sign up at tammy@mentorumc.org.

Join our Greeter Team
We are in need of more friendly faces to greet on Sunday mornings and for the Christmas Eve services. Rotations are flexible, so please let us know if there are any times you can help.

Contact Kurt Farrar at 440-669-5427 or farrark414@yahoo.com. Stop by the Welcome Center, text, email, or call.

Volunteers are needed for ushering during the five Christmas Eve services. Rotations are flexible, so please let us know if there are any times you can help.

A sign-up sheet will be at the Information Hub beginning December 1. You can choose the time (9:00 AM or 11:00 AM) and which service, Modern (Fellowship Hall) or Traditional (Strand Hall). Contact Tammy for more information.

There is a need for a Superintendent on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays at the 11:00 am service time. This individual assists with families signing in to the Early Childhood Area, monitoring the ECA and the Children’s hallway throughout the hour. Contact Tammy for more info or to sign up with tammy@mentorumc.org.

The Preschool is offering a Young 3 Year Old Class beginning January 15. This class is for children who are 3 years old and ready to learn. Tuesdays and Thursday from 9:00-11:15 am. Cost is $100/month ($550/year) plus a $30 non-refundable registration fee and is $30 activity fee. Maximum enrollment is 12 children. Please contact Colleen Judson at judson@mentorumc.org for more information and/or to register.
Giving Trees
The Christmas trees in the Gallery, Fellowship Hall and outside the Chapel are decorated with different giving ornament tags. Select an ornament and show Christ’s love.

Green Trees: GIVING Gifts for children in need. Gifts are due back by noon on Sunday, December 15 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: McCurdy, Birthright, Forbes House and Helping Hispanics Hope.

Yellow Angels: PRAYING Pray for the name or group listed throughout the holiday season.

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

Extra Toys Needed
If you have extra new toys that are looking for a home, or if you see a really good deal on some toys remember our Giving Trees. We always can use extra gifts! Place unwrapped gifts in the office by our tree by December 15.

We sometimes have tags that are not returned or need to add something to make sure siblings get the same amount of packages. So while you are out and about this season look for some “good deals.” We are always in need of things for boys ages 7-12. All gifts are due on or before December 15. Thank you! Questions? Contact Betsy Iskra at Iskra5@aol.com or 440-283-6524.

Charter Members Men’s Choir Annual Christmas Sing
Friday, December 20, 7:30 PM
Our men’s choir will be joined by the men’s choir of Painesville United Methodist Church. It will be an evening of glorious sacred music! Bring family and friends to the concert and reception. A free-will offering will be collected.

Christmas Eve Services
3 PM Holy Communion in the Sanctuary
5 PM Child-Led Service in the Sanctuary
7 PM Traditional Service with Charter Members Choir in the Sanctuary
Modern Service with the Modern Worship Band in Fellowship Hall
9 PM Traditional Service in the Sanctuary with Canticle Bells, Chancel Choir and the Hallelujah Chorus
11 PM Traditional Service in the Sanctuary with Special Music

Annual Christmas Play - “The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe”
Saturday, December 14 at 4:00 PM with a potluck meal to follow. Tickets are available at https://mumctlp.booktix.com.