



Sunday's Cool News

The #1 on Christian Education

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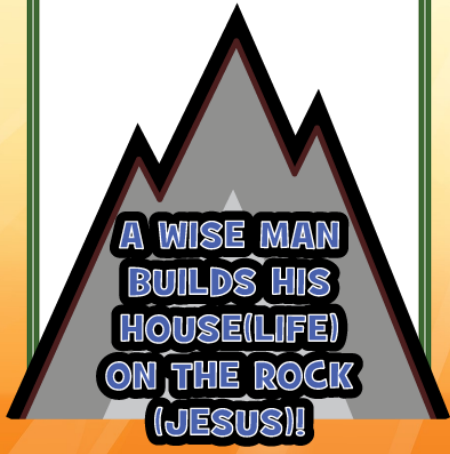
Once upon a time there were three little pigs. Each pig went out on his own to build a house. The first pig built his house out of straw. Does this story sound familiar? Is it possible that God could teach you something from the story of "The Three Little Pigs?" The pig that built his house out of straw is like the kid that has to have the coolest clothes and rides the best bike in the neighborhood. They want to be Mr. or Miss Better Than You. When the big bad wolf knocks on their door and wants to cause trouble, those "things" are not going to help those kids at all. The wolf will blow their house down in one puff. The second pig who built his house out of sticks is like the kid who thinks he can do everything by himself. He doesn't need anyone to help him, not even God. The wolf huffs and puffs one time and his house crumbles.

The last pig builds his house out of bricks. He represents the kid who puts his trust in God. Prayer and Bible reading are things he does every day to make him strong. The wolf huffs and puffs and blows and his house doesn't budge. The devil is kind of like the big bad wolf. He walks around looking for people he can destroy. Only those kids who are full of God's love, and have their lives built with bricks of prayer and bricks of Bible reading, will be able to tell the devil, "Not by the hair on my chinny, chin, chin!"



WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS SUMMER?

- **Truth & Light Players 2016 Production:** Auditions **March 26**; Rehearsals in June & July; Performances July 22 & 23; Details at mentorumc.org/truth-light-players
- **Vacation Bible School "SURF SHACK":** June 20-24 from 9 am to 12 pm for children age 4 as of 1/1/16 through 6th grade mentorumc.org/summer-programs
- **Youth Service Project:** June 25-July 2
- **Get Out Doors (G.O.D.) Camp:** June 20-24 from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm for students who have just completed 5th & 6th grade mentorumc.org/summer-programs
- **Middle School Mission Week:** July 10-15 for students who have just completed grades 6-8
- **Theatre Arts Camp:** July 18-22 AND 25-29 from 9 am to 12 pm for students who are entering grades 1-9; Performances are July 30 & 31 mentorumc.org/summer-programs



**Here's What Is Happening at
Mentor UMC for Children & Families...**

Sunday School

- Children 0-4 years old~Early Childhood Area
- K – 2nd Grade~Room 107
- 3rd Grade~Room 103 at 9 am
- 4th – 6th Grade~Room 104 at 9 am
- 3rd – 6th Grade~Room 104 at 11 am
- Family Worship is FIRST Sunday of the month and K-6th graders remain in worship with their families
- mentorumc.org/sunday-school

Cherub & Children's Choirs

- Cherubs~3 year olds through Kindergarten in Room 104 from 10:15-10:35 Sunday mornings
- Children~Grades 1-6 in Room 112 from 10:15-10:45 Sunday mornings

Parents' Morning Out

- Children walking through Kindergarten come to play and hear a story from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm
- Parents are invited to stay or leave
- mentorumc.org/parents-morning-out

Generations

- February 6 from 1:30-3:30 pm @ Mentor Ice Arena for Ice Skating
- www.mentorumc.org/generations



StuCo 56 NEWS

StuCo 56 is for students who are in 5th & 6th Grade. This fun fellowship group meets September through May on the **2nd & 4th Sundays** and is open to MUMC students and their friends!

When events are posted, follow link below the date to RSVP. Email Tammy Palermo at tpalermo@mentorumc.org to be included in her email list.

February 3 students will meet at Mentor UMC from **4:30-6:30** to make a meal for Project Hope.

February 7 students are needed to hold soup pots after worship for **SOUPER BOWL OF CARING**.

February 28 students will meet at MUMC to leave for **CLEVELAND ROCK GYM** at 5:30 to go Rock Wall Climbing.

Parents are requested to assist!

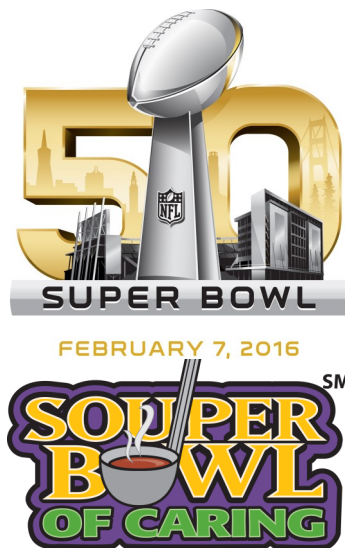
2015-16 Upcoming Dates

March 13 & 20

April 10 & 24

May 4 & 22

mentorumc.org/stuco-56
for details and RSVP links



Why are those StuCo 56 kids holding soup pots???

Brad Smith, a seminary intern in 1990 at Spring Valley Presbyterian Church in Columbia, SC was giving a simple prayer during a Super Bowl event and inspired a youth-led movement to help hungry and hurting people in the world. The youth decided to collect donations at their schools and churches in soup pots, and then send every dollar DIRECTLY to a local charity of THEIR choice. Since 1990, more than \$100 million has been collected for soup kitchens, food banks and other charities.

Our donations will go to Project HOPE for the Homeless in Painesville. Please consider donating on **Sunday, February 7th!**



HELP ME!



Have you ever been in a lot of trouble? Maybe it's a bully named Butch, or maybe it wasn't a person. Maybe it was math, or even worse, English! Aaaahhh!!!

Life can be pretty scary sometimes. Even things at home can get tough. (Think of poor Little Red Riding Hood.) When times get tough that's when kids need to turn to God's word to find HELP! A very wise man wrote about the kind of help God provides for us when we are in trouble.

Cross out all the letters C, K, and W, in the section below. Put together the remaining letters to find out just what this wise man had to say.

Like this

~~K~~~~W~~~~G~~~~S~~~~O~~~~D~~~~K~~~~C~~~~W~~~~I~~~~W~~~~S~~~~K~~~~O~~~~U~~~~K~~~~W~~~~R~~~~R~~~~E~~~~K~~
~~F~~~~U~~~~W~~~~G~~~~K~~~~E~~~~A~~~~N~~~~C~~~~D~~~~K~~~~C~~~~S~~~~T~~~~W~~~~R~~~~K~~~~E~~~~N~~~~G~~~~C~~~~T~~
~~H~~~~A~~~~N~~~~C~~~~W~~~~E~~~~K~~~~V~~~~W~~~~E~~~~C~~~~R~~~~K~~~~P~~~~R~~~~E~~~~W~~~~K~~~~S~~~~E~~~~C~~
~~N~~~~K~~~~T~~~~H~~~~E~~~~K~~~~L~~~~P~~~~K~~~~I~~~~W~~~~N~~~~T~~~~K~~~~R~~~~O~~~~U~~~~C~~~~W~~~~B~~~~L~~~~C~~
~~C~~~~P~~~~S~~~~K~~~~A~~~~W~~~~L~~~~W~~~~M~~ 46:1



THAT'S A MOUTHFUL!

Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers, if Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers, where's the peck of pickled peppers Peter Piper picked? Try to say that three times as fast as you can and you'll probably wind up in the hospital.

Tongue twisters can be really fun when enjoyed with a few good friends. Gather some of your buddies around, and see who can say the twisters below three times, FAST, without messing up! You won't believe the new languages you will create in the process. Have fun!!!

- Rotten Roscoe rescued Rosie from the roaring rapids!
- Three freethinking frogs think friendly thoughts!
- Shameful sheep-sellers sell cheap sheep!
- Rub rugs roughly!
- A swim well swum is a well-swum swim!
- Trim these three fine free trees!



Happy Birthday to . . .

2 Kyle C

3 Noah E

3 Jenna P

4 Ella R

5 Kenton R

6 Riley P

7 William S

10 Demarcus B

10 Sarah M

10 William S

11 Lucas W

14 Grayson S

15 Tyler C

15 Molly L

17 Wyatt B

14 Leia T

24 Eva K

24 Nathan P



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

20 Hudson K

What's Up

Contact Information

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Sunday School Rooms

0-4 YO : Early Childhood Area

K-2nd Gr : Room 105

3rd Gr : Room 103 at 9 am

4th-6th Gr : Room 104 at 9 am


3rd-6th Gr : Room 104 at 11 am

SUNDAY MORNINGS

Sunday School 9 & 11 am

Cherub Choir 10:15-10:35 (Room 104)

Children's Choir 10:15-10:45 (Room 112)

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	Parents' ¹ Morning Out 10:00 am- 12:00pm	²	StuCo 56 ³ Make a Meal for Project HOPE 4:30- 6:30 pm	⁴	⁵	Generations ⁶ Ice Skating @ Mentor Ice Arena 1:30-3:30
FAMILY ⁷ WORSHIP 	Parents' ⁸ Morning Out 10:00 am- 12:00pm	⁹	¹⁰	¹¹	MOPS & ¹² MOMsnext 9:30-Noon	¹³
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StuCo 56 to ²⁸ Cleveland Rock Gym 5:30-8:30 pm	Parents' ²⁹ Morning Out 10:00 am- 12:00pm					

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