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CONGRATULATIONS

Our congratulations go out to:

- Ricky & Linda Hambleton on their wedding anniversary
- Tyler Tanaka & Jay Simpson on their wedding anniversary
- Seth & Colleen Schutte on their wedding anniversary
- Bill & Karen Wilkinson on their wedding anniversary
- Tom & Patricia Murdoch on their wedding anniversary
- Wayne & Judy Seifert on their wedding anniversary
- Terry & Kristine Ruprecht on their wedding anniversary
- Andy & Kate Nelson on their wedding anniversary
- Joe & Pam Bowsher on their wedding anniversary
- Gary & Rae Dalton on their wedding anniversary
- Gary & Annalee Jellen on their wedding anniversary
- Tony & Georgine Early on their wedding anniversary
- Jim & Ruth Jesso on their wedding anniversary
- Greg & Joy Duitsman on their wedding anniversary
- Kevan & Laura Parrett on their wedding anniversary

IN SYMPATHY

- The family of Mike Donahue following the death of Mike on July 14, 2018. (Alexander & Jaden Donahue, 602 N Craig Dr, Mahomet, IL 61853)
- The family of Steve & Sherri Orenic following the death of Steve's mother Myrna Orenic on July 13, 2018. (Steve & Sherri Orenic, 1609 Point Drive, Mahomet, IL 61853)
- Bud Boller and family following the death of Bud's wife, Carol Boller on July 19, 2018. (Bud Boller, 803 Maywood Dr, Mahomet, IL 61853)

Hospital and Healthcare Facility Visits

If you or a member of your family will be in the hospital, please let Rev. Sweet know your legal first name, i.e., the name you will be admitted under.

Thank you!

THANK YOU!!

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

Thank you for your generous donation of School Supplies to Midwest Mission Distribution Center. Your gifts will be a blessing to so many people in their time of need. Thank you for choosing to partner with Midwest Mission Distribution Center in ministry. You are a blessing!

Chantel Corrie, Executive Director

A special Thank you to Gary Kling & Wayne Seifert for trimming all of the trees on the church property. We would like to express our gratitude for their hard work! Thank you! It looks great!

Dear friends in the Mahomet United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, Thank you for making a gift to Cunningham Children's Home in our honor. It was the perfect way to honor us. Patty has served on their board and we both cherish what their ministry accomplishes.

With gratitude,
John and Patty McIntosh

Betty's Brainerd's Ramp!

Thank you to all who contributed in some way to make this possible for Betty Brainerd. Betty is so grateful for the support. It was a true community effort that included three other churches.





Would you like to be an active part of our church service?

We could use your help! We are in need of Worship Assistants and Greeters! Simply arrive 30 minutes prior to the service, greet people at the door, hand out bulletins, distribute hymnals before the service and collect afterwards, record the attendance, and collect the offering.

Wesley Spirit Singers

Please join the Wesley Spirit Singers for hymn singing and reminiscing on:

Tuesday, August 14 at 1:00 pm
Bridle Brook
1505 Patton Drive
Mahomet, IL 61853



Coming Soon! A NEW Church Directory!

This will be a great tool for helping us put names with faces and connecting our families to one another. We have invited Lifetouch Church Directories and Portraits to photograph on October 25, 26, 27, 29, & 30.

Watch for more information on scheduling your appointment. We look forward to seeing all of you in our new directory!



Jake's Boys Concert

Please join us Sunday, August 12th at the Champaign First United Methodist Church for a live performance from the southern gospel ministry group, Jake's Boys, at 7 pm.

Jake's Boys is an eight member men's Southern Gospel group from the Gibson City, IL, area. In the spring of 1997, they performed in the musical Joseph and the Amazing Technical Dreamcoat as some of Jacob's sons. Following the musical, eight members decided to continue singing together as a ministry known as Jake's Boys. Since June 1997, they have performed in numerous churches throughout Central Illinois.

A freewill offering will be taken to benefit "Our Conference, Our Kids Endowment Fund" which supports the spiritual ministries of the United Methodist Church Illinois Great Rivers Conference serving agencies for children, youth, and families. This event promises to be a treat for your ears so we hope to see you there!





From the Finance Committee,

For the month of June 2018, our Unrestricted Giving income was \$23,391 and our expenses were \$35,405. Year to date as of the end of June 2018, our Unrestricted Giving income is \$188,402 and our expenses are \$ 217,689 leaving a -\$29,287 net.

As always, we are a transparent organization. The reports are always available on request. We thrive as a church because of our congregation's generosity and faithfulness.

Sincerely,
Scott Yeazel
Chair, Finance Committee

Grief Support Group Coming!

A Grief Support Group will begin on Wednesday, September 5, at 6 pm. This will continue through November 14 and then will resume at a later date.

This will not be a specific book study but an open sharing group. Please come to listen and share. I will have Bible verses and thoughts to start the conversation and interact in the course of the time together. I hope you will join us!

If you have any questions, please contact Pam Parker at pjp@volomail.net.

Blessing
of the
Backpacks!



- **Students:** Bring your backpacks with you
- **Teachers:** Bring your planner or briefcase.

*During both Worship Services on
Sunday, August 19*

Discipleship Classes

The Discipleship Team has some exciting classes coming up in the Fall for Adults. We are looking forward to a wonderful year of fellowship & learning. Sunday classes will begin on Sunday, Sept. 2.

Sunday Morning Discipleship Class

The Sunday morning 9:30 am discipleship class will be studying "*Escaping the Coming Night*" by Dr. David Jeremiah and the class will be held in the church library.

David Jeremiah's dramatic narrative and perceptive analysis addresses the challenging issues in the perplexing book of Revelation. Through the mysteries posed in the book, Jeremiah guides the reader on an electrifying tour of the future .

The Sunday morning 9:45 am discipleship class will be studying "*Exploring the Mysteries of Heaven*" by Dr. David Jeremiah and the class will be held in the Discipleship Room.

Pastor David Jeremiah provides answers to questions about the nature of heaven, the kinds of bodies heaven's occupants will have, why heaven will never be boring, why infants and small children will go to heaven, and the dwelling place God is preparing for Christians in heaven

Wednesday Evening Adult Study

Beginning on September 12, the Wednesday evening adult study will meet at 6 pm in the church library. They will be studying "*Jesus and His Jewish Influences*". Please join us to learn more about Jesus and the Jews of His Time. We welcome anyone who wishes to learn more about their faith.

New Women's Bible Study

Beginning this fall, on Thursday's, there will be a New Women's Bible Study. The class will be studying "*The Voice of God*" by Priscilla Shirer. Stay tuned for more information!



FAMILY FOCUSED BACK TO SCHOOL PREP!
SUNDAY, August 19th at 9:45 am

- *Cold Lunch Ideas*
- *Locker Magnet Making*
 - *AM/PM Job Charts*
 - *Calendar Challenge*

MAHOMET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



KIDS HAD THE CHANCE TO EXPERIENCE GOD THROUGH CRAFTS, RECREATION, SNACK TIME, MUSIC, SCIENCE AND STORYTELLING. FAMILIES CONTRIBUTED MANY JARS OF PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY AND PAJAMAS FOR COURAGE CONNECTION. WE ENDED OUR TIME TOGETHER WITH A FAMILY PARTY ON A GORGEOUS SUMMER NIGHT.

THANK YOU TO ALL OF YOU FOR HELPING TO MAKE VBS SO MEANINGFUL FOR OUR COMMUNITY.





AUGUST, 2018 CALENDAR

THURSDAY, 8/2—8:30 am Women's Small Group at Mahomet Family Restaurant; **6 pm** Bible Journaling; **7 pm** Staff Parish Relations Committee

SATURDAY, 8/4—Noon AA

COMMUNION SUNDAY, 8/5—8:30 am Worship; **9:45 am** Discipleship; **10:45 am** Worship with Praise Band; **5 pm** AA

MONDAY, 8/6—1 pm Mission Mondays; **7 pm** Discipleship Team

TUESDAY, 8/7—7 pm AA

THURSDAY, 8/9—8:30 am Women's Small Group at Mahomet Family Restaurant; **7 pm** Church Council

SATURDAY, 8/11—Noon AA

SUNDAY, 8/12—8:30 am Worship; **9:45 am** Discipleship; **10:45 am** Worship with Praise Band; **5 pm** AA

MONDAY, 8/13—1 pm Mission Mondays

TUESDAY, 8/14—1 pm Wesley Spirit Singers; **7 pm** AA; **7 pm** Finance Committee

THURSDAY, 8/16—8:30 am Women's Small Group at Mahomet Family Restaurant

SATURDAY, 8/18—Noon AA

SUNDAY, 8/19—8:30 am Worship; **9:45 am** Discipleship; **10:45 am** Worship with Praise Band; **5 pm** AA

MONDAY, 8/20—1 pm Mission Mondays

TUESDAY, 8/21—7 pm AA

THURSDAY, 8/23—8:30 am Women's Small Group at Mahomet Family Restaurant

SATURDAY, 8/25—Noon AA

SUNDAY, 8/26—8:30 am Worship; **9:45 am** Discipleship; **10:45 am** Worship with Praise Band; **5 pm** AA

MONDAY, 8/27—1 pm Mission Mondays

TUESDAY, 8/28—7 pm AA

THURSDAY, 8/30—8:30 am Women's Small Group at Mahomet Family Restaurant

SATURDAY, 9/1—Noon AA

Mark Your Calendars - ALMOST TIME FOR WOW!!!

The Mahomet United Methodist Church is excited to announce our Wonderful Outreach Wednesday (WOW) program will resume September 5th. All events are free of cost and a meal will be provided from 5:30 pm until 6 with the weekly theme beginning after the meal. Our goal is to engage the community with entertaining activities that promote building friendships as well as shape a relationship with our church.



Everyone is welcome with open arms so spread the word!!



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Office Hours

Monday--Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Sunday Worship

8:30 am Traditional Worship

10:45 am Contemporary Worship

Sunday Schedule

8:30 am Traditional Worship

9:30 & 10:30 am Coffee Fellowship

9:45 am Sunday School/Discipleship Hour for All Ages

10:45 am Contemporary Worship

Church Staff

Rev. Craig Sweet, Pastor ~ csweet@mumc.org

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Angela Pearl, Office Administrator ~ apearl@mumc.org

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Dr. Carlos R. Carrillo Cotto, Organist

Kyle Shaw, Organist

Emily Kuchenbrod, Choir Director

Eileen Waters, Parish Nurse ~ enie@mediacombb.net

Carrie Roberts, Nursery Co-Coordinator

Marty Butts, Custodian



Circuit Rider Deadline, August 20th: Committees, classes, and groups: If you have information about upcoming events, please let us know.

Worship Attendance Figures for July, 2018

Date	8:30 am	10:45 am	Total
July 1	125	80	205
July 8	84	95	179
July 15	91	70	161
July 22	110	64	174
July 29	105	47	152
July Total	515	356	871



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