

The Circuit Rider

CONFIRMATION 2023

JOIN US!

- Aug 20th @ 10:30 am - Parents' Meeting with Rev Lori
- Aug 27th - Student Classes Start
- Aug 27th @ 10:30 am - double session class due to holiday the following weekend
- Sept 3rd - no class due to holiday weekend
- Sept 10th to Oct 15th - Class as 11:30am on Sunday mornings
- Oct 22nd is Confirmation Sunday

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Healing Hearts Crafting Ministry

August 5th @ 10:00 am

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MIDWEST MISSION WORK DAY

September 8th

GO WITH THE GROUP TO MIDWEST MISSION DISTRIBUTION CENTER TO WORK FOR A DAY -- FELLOWSHIP WITH OTHERS & SEE WHAT GOES

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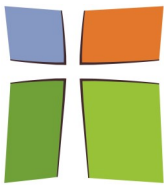
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UPCOMING ACTIVITIES




**TODDLER TIME
FALL 2023**

Monday & Wednesdays
9:30-11:00 am
Ages 2-4 years

Structured play while also learning.
Kids are able to interact and socialize with
kids their own age.

Contact Mahomet UMC
@ 217-586-2147 or email
ministrydir@mumc.org




**REGISTER NOW!
STARTS AUG 16TH!**

**Briana's BIG
Buddies
After-School
Program**

We provide care
and affection to
help children
grow and develop.

What We Offer :

- Early childhood education,
- After-school programs,

For More Info :

 217-714-7813

 brianasbuddies@hotmail.com

 brianasbuddiespreschool.com




*Gospel sing-a-long
with Middletown Band
AND
Weenie Roast*

Sunday, September 24th
@ 5:00 - 7:00 pm
Around the
Mahomet UMC Firepit



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...sited the Great Basket... and fell in love with it.
...sion to rebuild the village as a holiday




**Now Showing
CHRISTOPHER ROBIN**

**DOORS OPEN AT 6 PM
THE MOVIE STARTS AT 7 PM
SUNDAY.
AUGUST 6, 2023**

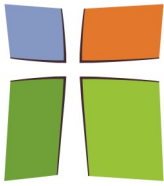
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**Collaboration of Mahomet UMC, Faith UMC
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*Trending
@ Mahomet UMC*

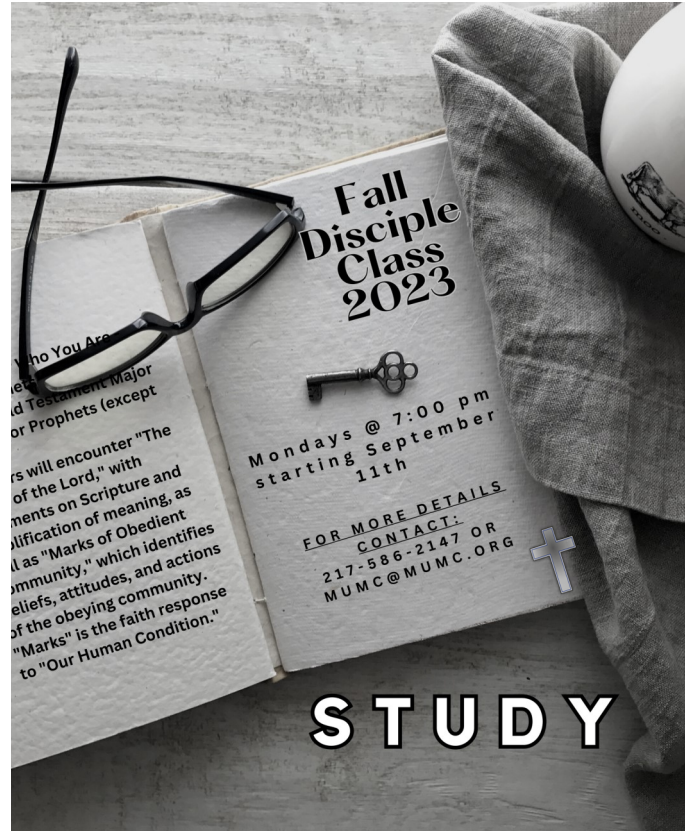
Pre-Order Your Shirt TODAY!

Sign Up Sheet in the Office

Order Now

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Fall Disciple Class 2023

Mondays @ 7:00 pm
starting September 11th

FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT:
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STUDY

MUSICAL

CELEBRATION & RECEPTION

In Honor of Kathy Tock's 25 years of musical ministry with the Mahomet United Methodist Church

AUGUST SUNDAY
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- 9:00 am during Worship Service -- Musical Celebration with Performances from past & present artists
- 9:45 am -- Reception with Cake & Punch



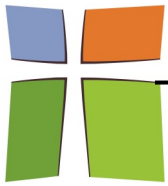

Healing Hearts Ministry Support Group

Saturdays, Sept 23rd - Nov 11th
10-11:30 am

Learn to cope with loss of a loved one, through death, divorce, or addiction, etc

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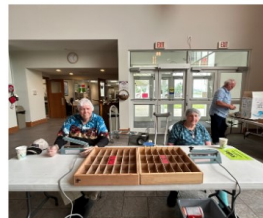


MUMC HAPPENIN'S

Game Night & Cookout

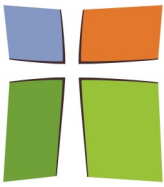


Rice Meals



NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT





COMMITTEE / TRUSTEE REPORTS

June Financial Report

Pledged	\$34,000
Non-Pledged	\$ 4,000
Unrestricted Income	\$38,000
Operating Expenses	\$36,000
Net Operating Income	\$ 2,000

Year To Date

Pledged	\$169,000
Non-Pledged	\$ 31,000
Unrestricted Income	\$200,000
Operating Expenses	\$215,000

EDUCATION

VBS WAS A SUCCESS!!

Avg. Children/Day — 33

Adult Volunteers — 21

Youth Volunteers — 6

~Healing Hearts Crafting Workshops starts Saturday, August 5 & will continue on the second Saturday of each month.

~Our new Support Group begins Saturday, September 23. This group will include other types of loss, not only death.

August Meeting

Monday, August 7 @ 7:00pm

Missions

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped assemble the Rice Meals for the Midwest Mission Distribution Center.

Friday, September 8 (All Day):

Midwest Distribution Center

1 spots still open!! Register Now!!



Sunday, October 29 @ 5pm:

Fall Fest Chili Cook-Off

Help us raise money for Eastern

If you have any ideas for 2024 Missions Calendar

Please Email or Call Chris Bunting

Email: christinebunting12@gmail.com

Phone: (217) 402-2866

Trustee

~Trustees are currently evaluating insurance quotes from two companies, & possibly a third.

~Our newest air conditioner and furnace combo has been installed & is providing cooling for Rooms 306, 308, 310 & 312.

~Parts for the repair of our nitrogen generator on our fire suppression system have begun arriving and their installation is expected in early August.

~Ethan Kempher is in the planning stages for his Eagle Scout Project which will include adding more bleacher space to our ballfield & repair of the existing bleachers.

~Melvin Bell has been making repairs to the train on the playground and applying a preservative stain.

~Large rubber mats are being purchased to place under the playground swings to increase the safety due the heavy use that area is receiving which results in movement of the protective mulch out from under the swings.

~Several other projects are in the bidding stage, including repair/replacement of non-functioning parking lot lights, sealing and repainting of our parking lot asphalt.

~Church staff & trustees are currently working with Second St. Painting whom is providing some painting for free. The first location to be painted is the area behind the altar to improve the background for our on-line streaming.



United
Women
in Faith

UPCOMING EVENTS



OUR NEXT MEETING

Thursday, September 7 at NOON a **Potluck** so bring a dish to share. Tableware and drinks are provided. **Program**

by Rev. Lori Harvey; **Hostess** is Cindy Dodd. All women of the church are invited to attend.

Sunday, September 10 at 9 & 10:30 am
UWF Sunday - Presentation of Second Grade Bibles
Announcement of Mission Recognition Pin recipient

Sunday, October 8 at 9 & 10:30 am
Cunningham Connection - M & Ms group will present Cunningham with Quilts they made.

Enjoy apple donuts and beverages

Donations can be Monetary gifts: Make checks out to Cunningham Children's Home.

OR Purchase the most requested gift cards:
Amazon.com (Gift cards ship free!); Bath & Body Works; Dick's Sporting Goods; Hobby Lobby; Michael's; Target; Wal-Mart

THURSDAY READING CIRCLE

September 14

Remarkably Bright Creatures by Shelby Van Pelt

Remarkably Bright Creatures is the beautiful examination of how loneliness can be transformed, cracked open, with the slightest touch from another living thing. For fans of *A Man Called Ove*, a charming, witty and compulsively enjoyable exploration of a friendship, reckoning, and hope that traces a widow's unlikely connection with a Pacific Octopus.

October 12

Being Sheela; The Life Journey of an Immigration Lawyer, by Aditi Rao

Sheela Murthy—Immigration lawyer, entrepreneur and philanthropist—has helped many people overcome injustice, dispossession and legal tangles, so they may live a life of dignity in an increasingly challenging world. With insightful detours into her eventful growing-up years, the book follows Sheela's journey from India to America, through law school at Harvard to the inception of what went on to become one of the most successful immigration law firms in the world—the Murphy Law Firm. The book takes a close look at a few out of the countless cases that Sheela and her dynamic legal team have handled over twenty-five years. *Being Sheela* is about the human side of a successful professional, and immigrant and a woman of color, who has made it her purpose to strive for a better world.

Contact Sheryle Carpenter for more information or if you are interested in this group (217) 390-6038.

SCHOOL BAG PROJECT

Our M & Ms group is making school bags but need donations of supplies to fill them. Now is a great time to purchase school supplies. Below is the list of needed items. Your donations would be greatly appreciated! Thank you.

Kit Contains:

- 3 Notebooks -1 subject spiral
8" x 10 1/2"
- 1 Ruler -12" long with metric
- 6 Pencils -unsharpened
- 1 Pencil Sharpener
- 1 Pencil Eraser -2" or larger
- 1 Box 12 Colored Pencils
- 1 Box 24 Crayons
- 1 Pair of Scissors - student



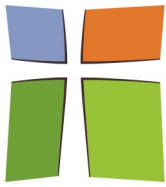


WELCOME MAGGIE ADARA IRVIN!

Maggie came into this wonderful world on Friday, June 30th to the parents of Carly and Nick Irvin. She was also welcomed by her siblings Mila & Mac Irvin. Carly is our Toddler Time Instructor and we are very blessed to have been apart of her amazing journey. Congratulations Irvin Family!



**Special Thank You to Melvin & Marilyn Bell
for updating the Train!**



AUGUST 2023 CALENDAR

Tuesday, August 1

9:00am — Amos Bible Study

Thursday, August 3

6:00pm — Safe Sanctuary Training for Briana's Buddies

Saturday, August 5

9:00 am — Wood Carving Group

10:00am — Healing Hearts

12:00pm — A.A.

Sunday, August 6

9:00am — Summer One-Worship Service

6:00pm — Family Movie Night w/ Mahomet UMC, Faith UMC, & First UMC Champaign

Monday, August 7

1:00PM — Monday Missions

5:30pm — Craving 2 Lose

7:00pm — Education/Disciple Team Meeting

7:00pm — Boy Scouts Troop #25

Tuesday, August 8

9:00am — Amos Bible Study

Thursday, August 10

6:00pm — Finance Committee Meeting

Saturday, August 12

12:00pm — A.A.

Sunday, August 13

9:00 am — Summer One-Worship Service

2:00pm — Bridal Brook Chapel Service

Monday, August 14

1:00pm — Monday Missions

5:30pm — Craving 2 Lose

7:00pm — Scout Troop #25

Tuesday, August 15

9:00am — Amos Bible Study

Thursday, August 17

7:00pm — Trustees Meeting

Saturday, August 19

9:00 am — Wood Carving Group

12:00pm — A.A.

Sunday, August 20

9:00am — Summer One-Worship Service

9:45am- — Musical Celebration & Reception for Kathy Tock's 25 years of Musical Ministry

10:30am — Confirmation Parent Meeting

Monday, August 21

1:00pm — Monday Missions

5:30pm — Craving 2 Lose

6:30pm — Nominations Team Meeting

7:00pm — Scout Troop #25

Tuesday, August 22

9:00am — Amos Bible Study

Wednesday, August 23

1:00pm — Spicy Seniors

Saturday, August 26

12:00pm — A.A.

Sunday, August 27

9:00 am — Summer One-Worship Service

10:30am — Confirmation Class

7:00 pm — Worship Committee Meeting

Monday, August 28

1:00pm — Monday Missions

5:30pm — Craving 2 Lose

7:00pm — Scout Troop #25

Tuesday, August 29

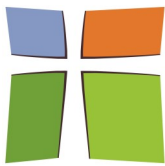
9:00am — Amos Bible Study

Wednesday, August 30

7:00pm — Praise Band Practice

Thursday, August 31

7:00pm — Staff-Parish Committee Meeting



AUGUST "SEARCHABLE ITEM" CONTEST

Find this item in the newsletter and email MUMC@mumc.org with page # and location to be entered.



Winner will be notified via next month's announcement.
Good luck everyone!



♥ Volunteers are the heart of the church and help it run smoothly. It is more fun when working as a group or with your kids. As opportunities arise, they will be posted in the weekly email; so please let the office know if and when you can help out.



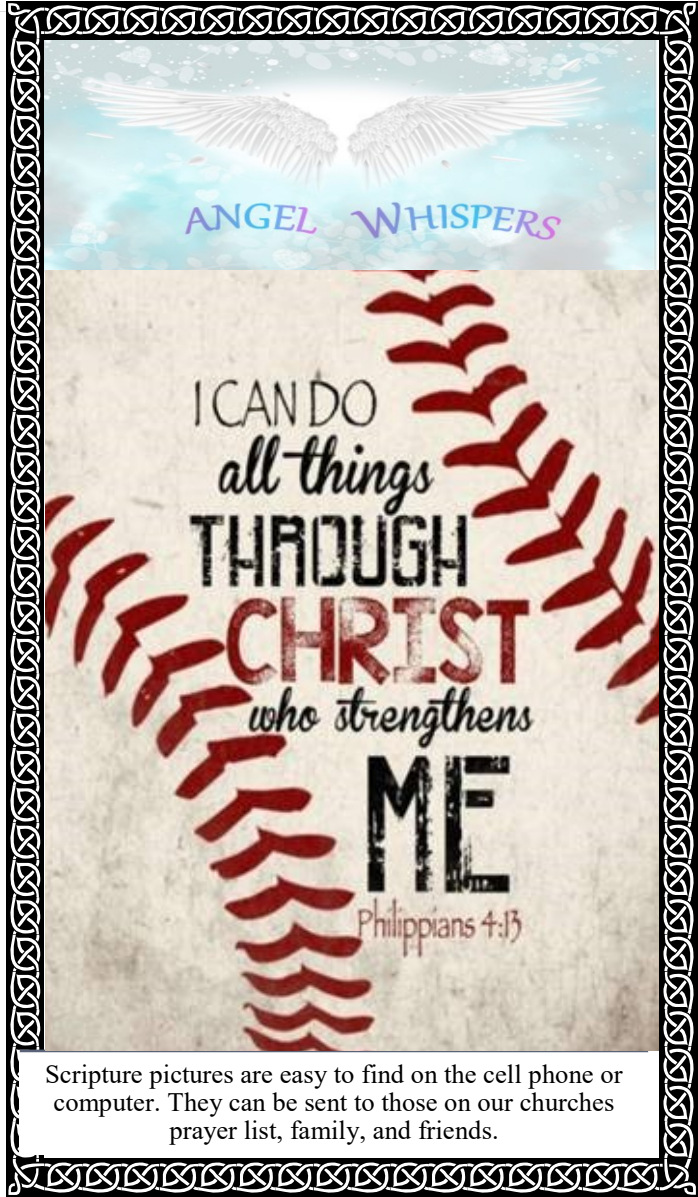
Hospital & Healthcare Facility Visits

If you, or a member of your family will be in the hospital or other healthcare facility, please let Pastor Lori or the office know so that she may visit them. Please provide the name that they were admitted under.

GOT NEWS?

Have an announcement or news, that you want to share with everyone,
Please submit no later than the 18th day of the month via

JULY WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT
Winner of the Search & Find is.....
Lois Meerdink
Stop by office and pick up your prize!



Scripture pictures are easy to find on the cell phone or computer. They can be sent to those on our churches prayer list, family, and friends.



Please be sure to check the church office if you are missing any items such as earrings, clothing, small children's toys, etc. and we



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Office Hours

Mon thru Thurs 9:00 am –2:00 pm

Sunday Schedule

9:00 am Traditional Worship
10:30 am Contemporary Worship & Children's Church

Church Staff

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Jay Simpson, Assistant Praise Band Leader
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