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## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

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Called Together to Serve God!

**REGISTER NOW!**  
[WWW.MYVBS.ORG/MAHOMETUMC](http://WWW.MYVBS.ORG/MAHOMETUMC)

**JUNE 24 - 28, 2024**  
**9:00 - 11:30 AM**



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# Mahomet UMC Happenings

## Questions from Jesus Sermon Series

- June 2nd What is lawful on the Sabbath?  
Mark 3:1-6
- June 9th Who are my mother and my brothers?  
Mark 3:20-35
- June 16th What shall we say the kingdom of God is like?  
Mark 4:40-34
- June 23rd Why are you so afraid?  
Mark 4:35-41
- June 30th Who is a hero for God?  
John 1:35-42

## You're invited!

A group for families of young kids to meet and do life together.

## Young Family Life Group



Meets the 2nd Sunday of the month between services at 9:45 am

For more information,  
Visit here

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## CANDLEWOOD LUNCH PROGRAM

July 15th - 19th

more info:  
Mahomet UMC  
www.mumc.org  
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## Helping Hands DAY OF CHARITY

JUNE 15TH  
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM





# Mahomet UMC Happenings



## CRAVING 2 LOSE

**NEXT SESSION  
STARTS JUNE 3RD**  
SESSIONS ARE 1ST & 3RD  
MONDAYS @ 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

**Sessions include:**

- Lessons
- Cooking sessions
- Health & fitness speakers
- Strength classes
- Walking groups



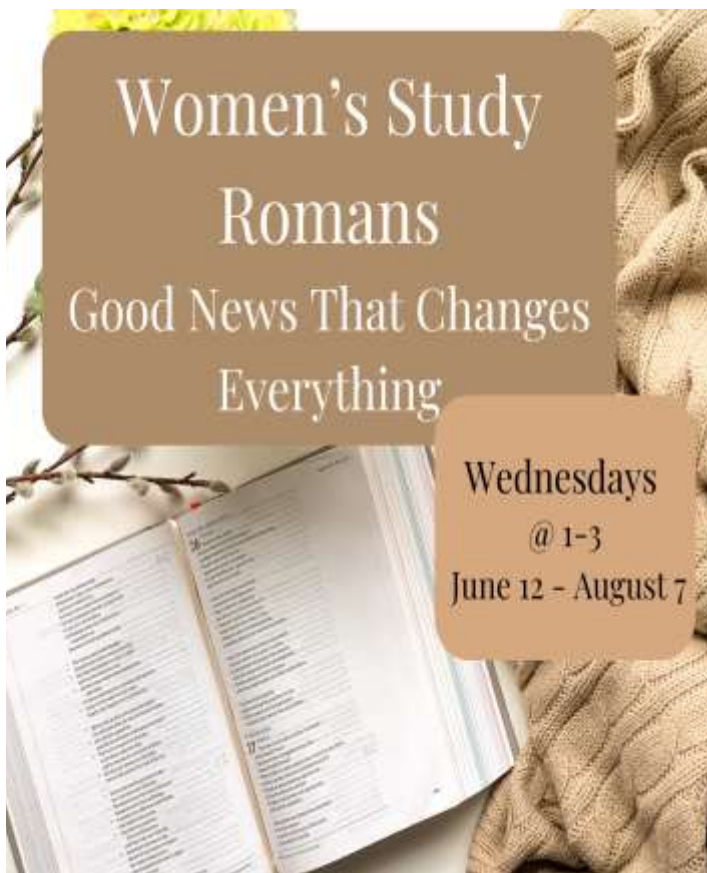
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## Women's Study

### Romans

Good News That Changes Everything

Wednesdays  
@ 1-3  
June 12 - August 7



 Mahomet UMC  
presents ....

## Memory Loss Caregiver's Support Group

Scan Me  
for more info



**First Saturday of every month @ 10-11:30 am**  
**Starting August 3rd**

As a caregiver for a loved one experiencing memory loss due to conditions such as dementia, Parkinson's, Alzheimer's, or senility, we invite you to join our support group designed to offer assistance and guidance. By participating in this group, you will have the chance to engage with other caregivers facing similar challenges in the community.

Additionally, you will gain valuable insights and strategies for managing specific situations, along with access to resources aimed at supporting you through this journey. We welcome you to share your experiences, learn from others, and navigate this caregiving process together.





# Pictures of Mahomet UMC Happenings

## Boy Scouts Planting Trees at Parsonage



## Missions Car Show



## Honoring our Volunteers



Volunteers are the lifeblood of the church. Without volunteers like you, our church would have a hard time getting anything done. That is why we appreciate each and every one of you so much for all that you do to help the church run smoothly.

# Pictures of Mahomet UMC Happenings

## Congrats to Our Grads!



## MUMC Items for Sale @ Church



## Carlos Carrillo



Received Research & Creative Activity Recognition Award 2024—  
Congrats!

## Living a Chocolate Life's trip to Flesor's Candy Kitchen







## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### TRUSTEES REPORT

Work is in progress to repair damaged areas in the hallway and adjoining rooms. Painting and drywalling are almost complete. Insulation has been blown into the attic. Next steps will be repairing the dropped ceiling and replacing ceiling tile before replacing carpeting. Matco replaced three leaking pipes in the fire suppression system.

Spring tune-ups are complete for the church and parsonage HVAC systems.

Briana's Buddies summer contract was signed, effective May 28.

As required by the Home Owners Association, three trees were planted by the Scouts at the parsonage. They were bought with designated Memorial Funds.

### EDUCATION

- ♥ Graduation Celebration were on 5/19/24 between services.
- ♥ VBS will be the week of June 24th—Monday—Friday. Volunteer count is at 7, need more. Sign up for VBS online at: <https://www.myvbs.org/MahometUMC> for volunteers and children. Volunteers are needed to fill in as needed. We will be presenting lessons based on Bible heroes, with a Fun Day scheduled for Friday. The curriculum is Hero Hotline: Called Together to Serve God! In early June, expect to see a list of items to donate.



Monthly meetings — 3rd Thursdays @  
6:00 pm

### MISSIONS

Thank you to all of those that volunteered for the recent Car Show. We had a wonderful turn out of both participants and spectators for the Car Show as well as amazing weather. A check for \$549.81 was presented to 217Vets. Thank you to all of those that volunteered and participated. The Mission's Team has updated the mission event schedule for 2024. Please take some time to review the schedule as there are some changes. If you are able to volunteer, let us know as we would enjoy seeing you.

#### UPCOMING MISSIONS:

Missions for 2024:

- ♥ June 2024: June is MUMC's dedicated month to volunteer at Helping Hands. The date for the is event is June 15th from 8:45am -11:30am.
- ♥ July 2024: Lunches for Candlewood
- ♥ August 2024: Hospice Hearts donation drive
- ♥ September 2024: Rice Meals
- ♥ Oct 2024: Midwest Missions day trip & Chili Cook Off
- ♥ November 2024: College Care Packages and Hat/Mitten Drive
- ♥ December 2024: Advent donations and Bags of Joy

#### **Monthly Meetings 3rd Sundays**

#### **Between Services**

If you have an ideas for  
the Mission Team,

please let Chris Bunting know by:

**Email: [christinebunting12@gmail.com](mailto:christinebunting12@gmail.com)**

**Phone: 217-402-2866**



Do you have information that you would like to share with the church?

Please contact the church office no later than the 20th of each month to ensure it makes it into the next issue.



United  
Women  
in Faith

#### NOTE CHANGE OF DATE FOR NEXT UWF MEETING

The next UWF meeting will be held on  
**Thursday, JUNE 13 at 1 pm** with the program  
given by Rev Lori and Hostess is Gerry Drake.  
We do not meet in July or August but will  
meet again **September 5.**

**4TH OF JULY TRAY FAVORS BY M & Ms**

#### YOU ARE INVITED TO THE UPCOMING UWF EVENTS:

**June 13** Meeting, 1 pm - Speaker, Rev. Lori



**SEPTEMBER 5** Potluck, 12 Noon

Speaker, Kami Parker Bring a dish to share. Drinks and  
tableware will be provided.

**SEPTEMBER 15** UWF Sunday, 9 & 10:30 am Worship



**OCTOBER**, (Exact Date TBD) Cunningham Connection



**DECEMBER 7**, Cookie Walk & Bazaar

#### NEWS FROM CUNNINGHAM CHILDREN'S HOME

(All of our faith community at Mahomet UMC  
is welcome to donate.)

Transporting our youth at Cunningham Children's Home to all  
sorts of destinations has become challenging as we've been  
operating without a large passenger van for quite some time.  
These activities are vital for the wellbeing and development  
of our kids and mirror experiences families provide for their  
children. So, when the opportunity arose to purchase a used  
Chevy Express Passenger Van from Kinmundy United  
Methodist Church at the incredible price of \$24,000, and with  
Faith United Methodist Church's donation of \$5,000 we decided to  
**step on the gas!** We invite you to join us in **WHEELS OF  
HOPE**, our journey to making this a reality.

Below, please find four suggested giving levels:

**1. The CAREavan:** CAREavan along with us by **donating \$500  
or more.**

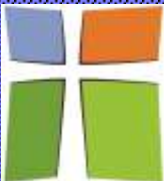
**2. The Fill'er Up:** The Chevy Express accommodates 13 pas-  
sengers plus a driver, making it a spacious choice with a siza-  
ble gas tank. In Illinois, the average cost of a gallon of diesel  
gas is \$3.70. Become our gas buddy by **donating \$111 or  
more** to cover the cost of filling up our tank.

**3. The Neat Seat:** Just like any family with kids, maintaining a  
clean vehicle can be quite the task. **Donate \$65 or more** to-  
wards acquiring waterproof, easy-to-clean chair covers, and  
over-the-seat organizers. Your contribution will greatly assist  
in keeping our vehicle tidy and organized.

**4. The Road Tripper:** Healthy snacks, bottled water, games  
and movies are ideal for any road trip. Support our cause by  
**donating \$31 or more**, which covers the average cost of es-  
sential items. Your contribution ensures our youth are en-  
gaged and guided, leading to a seamless journey towards  
their destination.

Please **donate now** or **start a Travel Team** to contribute to **WHEELS  
OF HOPE**. Contact Ginger Mills at [gmills@cunninghamhome.org](mailto:gmills@cunninghamhome.org) if  
you have questions about Wheels of Hope or starting your own  
Travel Team.

Thank you!



# JUNE 2024

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 1**

9:00 am — Illini Carvers  
12:00 pm — A.A.

## **SUNDAY, JUNE 2**

9:00 am — Traditional Worship Service  
10:30 am — Contemporary Worship Service  
6 pm — General Conference Town Hall

## **MONDAY, JUNE 3**

1:00 pm — Monday Missions  
5:30 pm — Craving to Lose  
7:00 pm — Scout Troop #25

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 8**

12:00 pm — A.A.

## **SUNDAY, JUNE 9**

9:00 am — Traditional Worship Service  
9:45 am — Young Family Life Group  
10:30 am — Contemporary Worship Service

## **MONDAY, JUNE 10**

1:00 pm — Monday Missions  
6:00 pm — Memorial/Scholarship Comm. Meeting  
7:00 pm — Scout Troop #25

## **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12**

1:00 pm — Women's Bible Study — Romans  
6:00 pm — Where's Pastor Lori?

## **THURSDAY, JUNE 13**

1:00 pm — UWF Meeting  
6:00 pm — Finance Committee Meeting  
7:00 pm — Church Council Meeting

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 15**

8:30 am — Helping Hands Work Day  
9:00 am — Illini Carvers  
12:00 pm — A.A.

## **SUNDAY, JUNE 16**

9:00 am — Traditional Worship Service  
9:45 am — Missions Committee Meeting  
10:30 am — Contemporary Worship Service

## **MONDAY, JUNE 17**

1:00 pm — Monday Missions  
5:30 pm — Craving to Lose  
7:00 pm — Scout Troop #25

## **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19**

1:00 pm — Women's Bible Study — Romans

## **THURSDAY, JUNE 20**

6:00 pm — Education/Discipleship Comm. Meeting  
7:00 pm — Trustees Comm. Meeting

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 22**

12:00 pm — A.A.

## **SUNDAY, JUNE 23**

9:00 am — Traditional Worship Service  
10:30 am — Contemporary Worship Service  
11:30 am — New Members Class

## **MONDAY, JUNE 24**

9:00 am — Be a Hero VBS  
1:00 pm — Monday Missions  
7:00 pm — Scout Troup #25

## **TUESDAY, JUNE 25**

9:00 am — Be a Hero VBS

## **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26**

9:00 am — Be a Hero VBS  
1:00 pm — Spicy Seniors

## **THURSDAY, JUNE 27**

9:00 am — Be a Hero VBS

## **FRIDAY, JUNE 28**

9:00 am — Be a Hero VBS

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 29**

12:00 pm — A.A.

## **SUNDAY, JUNE 30**

9:00 am — Traditional Worship Service  
10:30 am — Contemporary Worship Service

## **Ice Cream & General Conference Information**

Attention all Mahomet UMC'ers!  
There will be a townhall meeting discussing  
the latest buzz from General Conference  
At **Sunday, June 2nd at 6:00 pm.**

This is your golden ticket to an evening filled  
with updates and scrumptious ice cream  
delights.

Let's scoop up all the essential info together  
and make this event a truly sweet success.  
See you there!





*Just a friendly  
reminder...*

- ♥ 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

**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 [office@mumc.org](mailto:office@mumc.org) or call 217-586-2147.

### 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.

### Isaac's (high school helper) last day



*Angel Whisper*

I Can Do  
ALL THINGS  
through  
Christ  
who  
Strengthens Me  
PHILIPPIANS 4:13

[bibleversestogo.com](http://bibleversestogo.com)

Scripture pictures are easy to find on the cell phone or computer. They can be sent to those on our churches

### \*MAY WINNER ANNOUNCEMENT\*

Winner of the Search & Find...

**Kate Donahue**

**CONGRATULATIONS!!!**

### JUNE "SEARCHABLE ITEM" CONTEST

Find this item in the newsletter and email  
[MUMC@MUMC.ORG](mailto:MUMC@MUMC.ORG) with page #  
and location to be entered.



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



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### **Office Hours**

Mon thru Thurs 9:00 am –2:00 pm

### **Sunday Schedule**

9:00 am Traditional Worship & Children's Church

10:30 am Contemporary Worship & Children's Church

### **Church Staff**

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Dr. Carlos R. Carrillo Cotto, Organist

Jay Simpson, Assistant Praise Band Leader

Christopher Ryder, Custodian ~ [cleaning@mumc.org](mailto:cleaning@mumc.org)

Deonté Mosely, Choir Director ~ [mosely008@gmail.com](mailto:mosely008@gmail.com)



## Where's Pastor Lori?



Wednesdays @ 6-7 pm  
June 12th, July 17th, August 14th, September 11th

Once a month on Wednesday there will be a fun-filled challenge  
 and we want you to be a part of it!  
 You'll be searching for Pastor Lori in a fun and engaging way.

Here's how it works:  
 Clues will be given during the Sunday service as well as in the Monday email.  
 On these special dates, bring your chairs, picnic, and friends for an evening of music, and fellowship.

We look forward to seeing you there!