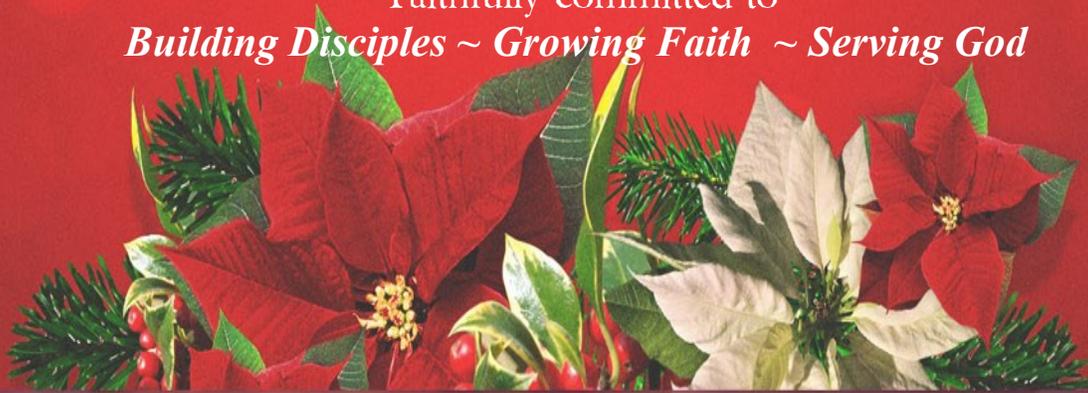


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In the early 90s, I decided to go back to school. It had been my plan for sometime but I was torn. I was a pastor in a denomination I loved and served for many years. Nevertheless, I believed that God was calling me in a new direction. I decided to go to seminary at Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary in Evanston Illinois. I thought it would give me the opportunity to study at a great school and to consider what I would do next in ministry.

We moved from Michigan to Evanston so I could start school. It was difficult because for the first time in years I wasn't going to a town where I would be the new pastor. There would be no welcome from a new faith community like in the past. It was a new beginning and I felt a little lost.

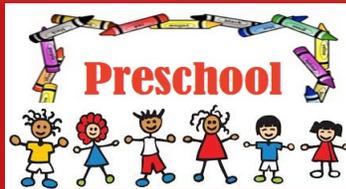
It was recommended that Becky and I attend Evanston First United Methodist Church. It was suggested that I get to know the senior pastor there, Rev. Dr. Emery Purcell. So I did.

In a very short time, Emery became my friend and mentor. He understood my circumstances because his story was similar to mine. I can count on one hand the number of people who have influenced me as much as Emery. His love for God, people, and ministry was remarkable to say the least.

My friend Emery died on December 2, 2019. I've decided to share a story from Rev. Purcell as told to his personal friend Robert A. Hill in his book Village Green. As we begin a new year, my friend's story reminds us that our mission and calling is so much bigger than ourselves. It also reminds us that we influence others by what we do and how we love. I hope you all have a Happy New Year!

Pastor Tim

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**Channahon United Methodist Preschool
Is doing well and enjoying their new location.**

**Classes are in session Monday-Friday
9a - 3p (2 sessions a day)
3yr - Tue/Thur 4yr - Mon/Wed/Fri**

**If anyone needs more information about the
preschool, please contact the school directly at
815- 467-4708 or email**

ChannahonUMpreschool@gmail.com

PRESCHOOL BUDDIES

The teachers are looking for anyone who is interested in working with the kids in the classroom a few hours a month. There is a sign up in the Narthex for anyone who is interested. For more information contact Karen Urban at the number/email above.

A new texting communication system

called “**REMIND**” for alerts, church information and special announcements is now available for sign up. This will allow us to send out a group text with short, immediate information about needs in our church, reminders of upcoming events and emergency notifications and just all around - stay better connected.

**Receive emergency announcements,
event reminders
by text or email or both from church using**



To Sign-up

Send a text message **@cumchurch** to **81010**

If you have a smart phone. Get push notifications. On your iPhone or android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link: **rmd.at/cumchurch** and follow the instructions to sign-up. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.

If you don't have a smart phone, get text notifications. Text the message **@church** to the number **81010**.

If you don't have a mobile phone, go to **rmd.at/cumchurch** on a desktop computer to sign up for email notifications.

Any questions, please see Pastor Tim.

If anyone has trouble with 81010, they can try texting **@cumchurch** to **(412) 927-1459**.



A Friend's Story

Emery Purcell writes, When I was a child, there were often missionaries or evangelists staying with us. One I remember most fondly was Mary Schlosser. About fifty years of age then, she had been a missionary in China for many years.

All of us have heard stories of how missionaries forced native people to give up their culture and become westerners; how missionaries were tools of capitalistic colonialism. Some were indeed. But not Mary Schlosser. All she talked about were, not her converts, but the boys and girls in her school in China: how bright and eager and loving they were. She had high hopes for each of them and had arranged for some of them to go abroad to prestigious universities to study. She knew that one day they were going to make significant contributions to their people.

Now, you never read about Mary Schlosser in Time [magazine]. As a young woman she had had a promising career ahead of her. The call to China persuaded her to pour out her life there. After I knew her, Mary Schlosser spent many years in a communist prison camp in China and died shortly after her release.

I did read about Mary Schlosser a few years ago. A group of dissident students from China had been interviewed by a religious news editor. They talked about the missionaries who had taught their parents at a school in Kaifung. Among the names remembered were Clara Leffingwell and Mary Schlosser.

I have a sense that Mary Schlosser's resurrected life is only beginning. It is love, finally, that surpasses money and power; and overcomes tragedy. Mary Schlosser poured out her life in love for her boys and girls. Through her love, broken as it was, God's love poured through more and more to life down through the generations.

The thing I remember about Mary Schlosser is her radiance. Was she happy? I don't know. It is, in fact, an irrelevant question. Mary was radiant. In her enthusiasm and in the greatness of her soul, the sun shown on us. This is our hope.

Rudyard Kipling was once addressing students at McGill University in Montreal. The lure of having things and even the power of success all sound so good if you listen quick. Yet, powerful successful egotism is the ultimate failure. Kipling said:

Someday, you will meet a person who cares for none of these things. Then you will know how poor you are.

Over the years I have been privileged to know many people who are rich the way Mary Schlosser was rich. Sunday school and public school teachers - parents and young people - bosses and workers. People who have poured out their lives in love so that God's love can bring life.

I want to suggest that is what has actually made America great: not all the things we have to be happy; but, rather, the generous people who pick up the cross of human need-people whose radiant lives testify to life beyond the cross.

**Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
from our family to yours!**

More Church & Community

CHURCH OFFICE
[Closed]

December 24 - Jan 1
for Christmas & New Years!

For Emergency Pastoral Care
Contact Pastor Tim 630-344-9661

Class of 2019 - Art Smith Scholarship

We have 3 graduates of 2019, who qualify for the CUMC Art Smith Memorial Scholarship based on their current college or military branch enrollment. The Art Smith Memorial Scholarship is awarded to them to use as needed for their continuing education and/or military supplies.

We would like to congratulate the following students and wish them well in their endeavors for a bright future.

Camron Hayden, Gabrielle Jones, Emma McSteen

CHRISTMAS EVE AT CUMC!

Join us on Tuesday, December 24th

4:30p or 7pm

for a Candlelight worship service.



Isaiah 7:14

Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel, 'God With Us'

Register now

Grief Recovery Seminar

Where everyone has a story and
"Grief After the First Year:
Does it Really Get Easier?"



Nancy Nelson, LCSW

Sunday, January 19

10:30am - 12pm

At Channahon United Methodist Church - 24751 W. Eames - Channahon

Donation cost: **\$10** per person

Pre-Registration is requested

(in the Narthex or call the church office 815-467-5275)

Child care will be provided with advance notice with registration.

Light lunch will be served.

This event is for anyone who would like to attend!

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aneurysm in the
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which could rupture.

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Screens for
peripheral
arterial disease
in the lower
extremities.

Osteoporosis Risk Assessment

Ultrasound screen
of the heel bone to
determine abnormal
bone mass density.

We will be in your neighborhood soon on

January 23rd @ Channahon United Methodist Church

Get your special Community Circle pricing!

Three ways to register:

Call toll-free: 1-866-229-0469

Online: www.lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle

Text: the word **circle** to 797979

9a - 4pm
By appointment
only



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We have been given some vouchers for FREE SCREENINGS.

Please call the church office before you register!

More Church & Community News

January Birthdays

1/1	Mark Lindstrom	1/13	Joe Waller
1/5	Cindy Boyer	1/15	Kris Hayden
	Barbara Tschopp	1/17	Ron Crenshaw
1/6	Frieda Manion	1/20	Dave Chapman
	Michelle Lyman	1/22	Char Blackwell
1/8	Jack Breen	1/26	Tim Casey
	Isaac Stricker		Norma Crenshaw
1/12	Jim Waller		

January Anniversaries

1/2	Gerald & Janet Sanders
1/6	Don & Joni Meyer
1/17	Ray & Wendy McSteen
1/23	Dave & Janet Chapman
1/28	Mike Campobasso & Kathy Gregory

If we have missed your birthday or anniversary and you would like it to be added to the weekly bulletin announcement and monthly Circuit Rider calendar, please contact the church office @ 815-467-5275 or email:

*Of-
fice@channahnumc.org*



January 8th & 22nd

Chair Yoga with Dottie is offered the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 10am in the CUMC Sanctuary!
Check our website calendar for any changes or updates.
All are welcome. Please bring a mat.

Matthew 7:24

"Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock."

A WORD FROM OUR TRUSTEES

We are getting closer to having a new **ELECTRONIC** Front Yard Sign - Thank you to everyone who has been contributing to the **NEW** Church Sign Campaign Fund. If you would like to help with this campaign:

- Please use the **Donation Lock** box on the wall outside the church office indicating to be designated to the 'New Church Sign' !

Collection of Church Keys – If you have church keys in your possession and are no longer required to need them, Please drop them in the lock box outside of the Office Copy Room or see Ray Brick for more info. Thank you !

Thank You....

Dear Prayer Blanket Ministry - I am only 1 year old, if I could talk I would thank you so much for the beautiful prayer blanket that I received from you. I was born 5 months premature, (2lbs) and with a cleft pallet. I have never had milk or food by mouth yet, only through a tube in my tummy. I have doctors and nurses at Shriners Hospital that I see every week to check my progress and give my mom lots of instructions for my care. They are scheduling surgery for my cleft pallet in December. With your prayers and God's grace I know I'll now be warm and happy in my recovery. **Lily More**

As a member of Channahon UMC, I never expected to receive a beautiful prayer blanket. I was literally brought to tears when Sandy and Stan Yenerich brought it to me. I did not realize just how sick and fragile I was. Thank you to all who participate in this heart lifting ministry. Not only did this blanket warm my body it also warmed my soul. Thank you for thinking of me. **John Tschopp**

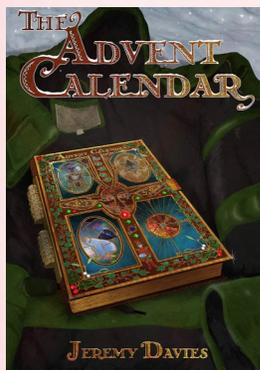
Thank you to Judy Maffin and her grandkids for coming in to fold all of the holiday bulletins. I am so grateful!
Kris Hayden

Our Deepest Sympathy

Lamentations 3:21-23

*Yet this I call to mind and therefore I have hope:
Because of the Lord's great love we are not
consumed. For his compassions never fail.*

Prayers for Mary & Mark Baker and their family
on the recent passing of Mary's mother, Mary Leski.



BOOK REVIEW: by *Bridget Stephenson*

'The Advent Calendar'
by **Jeremy Davies**

Abigail, Jack and Ethan grew up blissfully unaware of the wonders of Christmas, unlike their parents who had tried to come to terms with the loss of this festive season. On a desperately cold winters night over thirty years ago, Father Christmas mysteriously disappeared, leaving the residents of Willow Cove and the wider world without their magical winter holiday.

A typically reckless sledging crash leads Jack and Ethan to the discovery of an enchanting book which has lain hidden for years. With the help of their elder sister they manage to break the secret code and through the magical text in the book, the children undertake a remarkable quest North. There is magic at work along the way as the children face a race against time to restore pleasure and joy to millions of children across the world.

I give this a 5 Star ***** Amazing and Fantastic Story.

Imagine that something happens to make everyone forget Christmas. Then imagine a generation that grows up with no recollection. Someone's bound to notice something, right? And that's the premise of this book. Two brothers and a sister find a book that leads them on a quest.

I am 43 years old and have just read this book and whilst, as an adult, I guessed the story early on it was never the less a fantastic story. Perfect amount of excitement, intrigue and Christmas spirit. I can't imagine anyone not liking it. Brilliant and perfect for the festive season. It would be lovely to read this with children in the run up to Christmas. Loved it!



Matthew 28:18-19

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.

New Member Orientation

Sunday, February 2, 2020

Pastor Tim will be holding a brief New Members Orientation for those interested in becoming a Channahon UMC member.

Please let Pastor Tim know you are interested at Pastor@channahonumc.org

Meet February 2nd at 10:15am in his office for a brief informational orientation meeting .
New Members Sunday is yet TBD.



'Come As You Are'

"Come! Whosoever will come, let him take the water of life freely."
REVELATION 22:17

Wednesday Evening Worship ~ 6:30p – 7pm

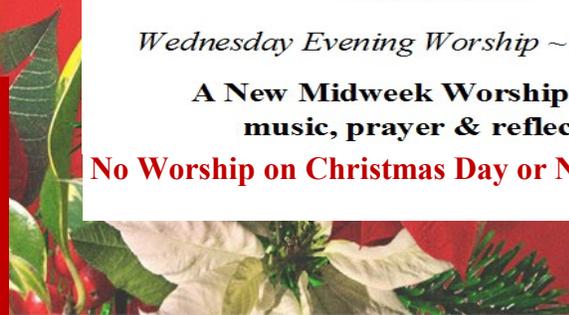
A New Midweek Worship offering music, prayer & reflection!

No Worship on Christmas Day or New Year's Day!



Was Sunday, December 8, 2019

We as a congregation had an opportunity to return a portion of God's blessings bestowed on each of us by pledging our commitment for 2020. If you are interested in placing a commitment pledge for 2020, there are additional pledge cards and envelopes in the narthex by the donation box. Please prayerfully consider your gift giving for 2020 and fill out the pledge card. They can be placed in the offering plate, mailed in or dropped off at the church office.



1 John 5:21

*Dear Children,
Keep away from anything that might take God's place in your heart!*

PREPARE FOR A NEW DECADE OF SERVICE IN CHRIST WITH US

Aurora District Winter Lay Academy

January 4 & 11, 2020 - 8:30a to 4pm

Friendship UMC - 305 E. Boughton Rd - Bolingbrook
\$40 registration fee - deadline 12/23

Choice of Classes:

- Sacraments in the UM Church
- Lay Servants Lead in Conflict Resolution
- Teaching the Teachers

Registration forms are available in the Narthex !



10:15a – 11:00am

Pre-School to 5th Grade

*Preschool thru K meet in room 136
1st thru 5th meet in room 145*

Youth 6th – 12th grade are invited to come work with the younger kids in their classrooms!

NO Sunday School 12/29 or 1/5



Colossians 3;16

Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you, with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God.



United Methodist Women
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UMW NEWS & EVENTS

Upcoming Conference & District UMW Events Calendar

January 17 - 19

2020 Mission U - Winter Event ~ Dixon, IL

First United Methodist Church -202 S. Peoria Ave., Dixon, IL 61021

Mail registration to: Linda Osikowicz, 21647 Inglenook Ln., Deer Park, IL 60010 - Email to: nilumw.registrar@gmail.com

Fees: \$100 (postmarked/mailed by December 31, 2019); \$125 (postmarked/mailed by January 6, 2020).

Lodging: Quality Inn, Dixon (815 284-0500) a block of rooms has been reserved.

Studies: Practicing Resurrection: The Gospel of Mark and Radical Discipleship, Women United for Change, 150 Years in Mission and what About Our Money?

January 25

January Aurora District Meeting

at Aurora Wesley UMC. -Schedule will include breakfast, our speaker (representative from SCARCE speaking on recycling), and officer training. Registration Fee is \$5.00 – Checks payable to "Aurora District UMW" Send registration by January 20, 2020 to:

Mari Curless -14 N. May St. Aurora, IL 60506

Email: [Shirley McKnight @ redwoodcats@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ShirleyMcKnight@redwoodcats@sbcglobal.net)

Phone: Mari: 630-892-9373

There will be something for Every Woman at this meeting

YOU'RE INVITED

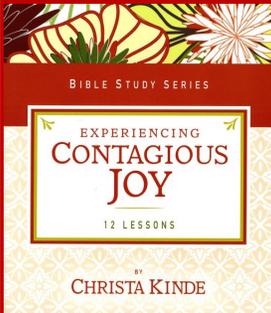
The invitation is always open...TO JOIN A CUMW CIRCLE

Perhaps you are ready to get connected and get involved and join a UMW circle.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the following UMW members:

Dottie Priddy, Lana Stafford, Anita Young or call the church office.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study



Women, Come and explore, 'Experiencing Contagious Joy', our new bible study that meets on Tuesday mornings from 9:30 am to 11 am in the Fellowship Hall. Classes will begin on Tuesday, January 7, 2020 and will conclude on Tuesday, March 24, 2020.



Sign up and books are in the Narthex. Books are \$6 each.

If you have any questions, contact Becky Casey, Class Leader, call or text at 815-557-9659 or email - beckyrosecasey@gmail.com

UMW POST Cookie Walk Report

When Hannah Jessup Circle began planning for the 2019 UMW Cookie Walk, we weren't sure what to expect. After all, we had not held a cookie sale since December 2016 and didn't know if we would have enough cookies to sell or, for that matter, enough customers to buy them. But thanks to the help and support of so many people, Channahon United Methodist Women were blessed with a truly successful Cookie Walk.

A total of 85 buckets full of cookies were sold on Saturday, December 7. Additional plated cookies were sold for donations on Sunday, December 8. Those sales, along with generous donations, provided \$1,531 for missions! The event also enabled us to send plated cookies to CUMC's shut-ins, Channahon police and fire departments, and local families who are struggling right now.

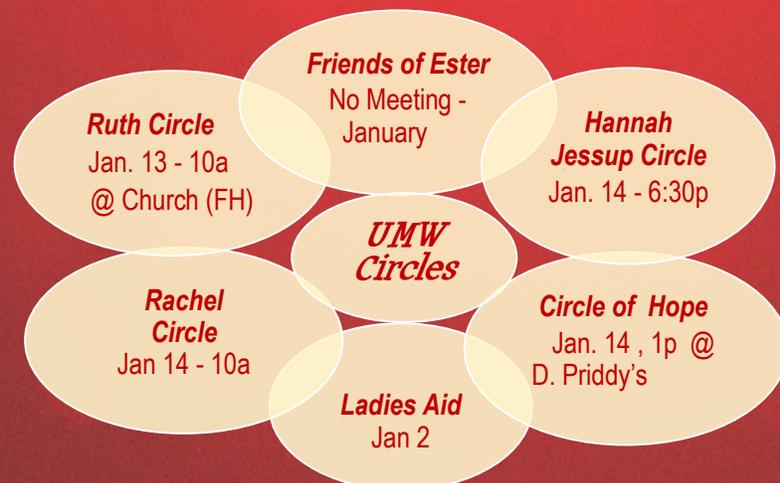
Thank you to all who baked cookies, made donations, and lent their time and treasure to support the Cookie Walk.

We offer special thanks to Mark Baker who gave his time to play Santa Claus for our young and young-hearted guests. We really appreciate those who helped to promote the event, including Becky Casey and Kris Hayden. Finally, thank you to the Channahon UMC Youth, who blessed us and impressed us with their donation of beautifully hand-decorated cookies.

The Christmas Spirit is alive and well at Channahon UMC!

Anita Young

Hannah Jessup Circle Chair



MORE... Growing Faith

**Light snack
will be provided**

*Please let Brittany
know of any
restrictions.*



KIDZ CLUB

*Magnifying Christ
in each of us!*

**Kids Preschool – 5th
Grade
Wednesday Nights
6:30p – 7:30p**

**NO KIDZ Club or Youth Group on
Dec. 25, Jan. 1 and Jan. 8th - Resumes on 1/15**

Friends are always WELCOME!



**Student
Small Groups**

GET PLUGGED IN...

**with our Youth Group Ministry
and our Leaders,
Craig & Bridget Stephenson**

Youth - 5th – 12th grade are invited to come
Wednesday nights 6:30p – 7:30p
for fellowship and discussions.

Youth Bible Study is offered 6p - 6:30pm

FRIENDS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!!

**NO YOUTH GROUP OR BIBLE DISCUSSION
Dec. 25, Jan. 1 and Jan. 8th**

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!



6p - 8pm

January 17

For our monthly MOVIE NIGHT

With tons of fun:

Craft, Game, Movie, Popcorn & Refreshments!

Kids PreK – 5th are welcome!

**Sign up will be in the Narthex or Call the office.
*Sign up is important so we can have enough supplies and
if there are any allergies we need to know about.***

**Double the Fun & Bring someone!
YOUTH - come for CRAFTING FUN!**



**Ignite
God's
Power**

**PRAYER
CIRCLE**

**Wednesdays
9-9:30 a.m.**

**In the church
office**



Saturday, January 14

**The Men of the church meet the 2nd Saturday
of each month at 7:45am at Grandma's Pancake House
669 Minooka Rd. - Minooka**

Men Sr. High School and older are invited!

**Co-Dependents Anonymous (CoDA) support group has begun meeting here at Chan-
nahon UMC every Saturday Morning 8a-9:30a in room 143. (unless otherwise posted).**

CoDA is a fellowship of people who seek healthy relationships.

The only requirement for membership is the desire for improved relationships.

**Group members support each other on their individual journeys as they learn to love
themselves. CoDA therapy relies upon a set of 12 steps for recovery.**

**More information
about CoDA can
be found at
www.CoDA.org
CUMC contact
person is Nancy G.
708-912-3056**





John 12:26
Whoever wants to serve Me must follow Me, so that my servant will be with Me where I am. And my Father will honor anyone who serves Me.

December - Sunday Worship Ambassadors

Counters: Warren Wendel

Sunday, January 5 is Communion Sunday

Communion Stewards: Lou McCoy, Lana Stafford, Kathy Gregory, Dawn Brick

Responsibilities of the Liturgist/Worship Ambassador:

Greeting & announcements, lead opening prayer & call to worship, reading of joys and concerns, reading of scriptures, assisting with the blessing of the offering, and serving Communion (on Communion Sunday)

Anyone interested in being part of the Ambassadors Servant list, please see Donna Buckley or let the church office know what your interests are. A new 2020 schedule is being put together. You can also be listed as a substitute for days we are in need of people.

	<u>Jan. 5</u>	<u>Jan 12</u>	<u>Jan 19</u>	<u>Jan 26</u>
Greeters	Lou McCoy	Ricky & Jean Lawrence	Kathy Gregory & Mike Campobasso	Ray & Cathy Breen
Liturgists	Becky Casey	Lou McCoy	Amanda Francisco	Janet Robb
A/V	Mark Lindstrom & Mike Geldean	Steve Olson & Anita Young	Connor & Ryan McKay	Anita Young & Mark Lindstrom

Christmas Eve Ambassadors

4:30pm Service

Greeters: Donna Buckley / **Liturgists:** Lou McCoy
Communion: Donna Szoke, Lou McCoy, Brittany Alcantar, Becky Casey, Donna Buckley
A/V - Steve Olson

7pm Service

Greeters: Becky Casey / **Liturgists:** Lana Stafford
Communion: Choir Members
A/V - Mark Lindstrom



During Communion each month we give an offering as part of our mission giving in connection with the Northern Illinois Conference Rainbow Covenant.

January Communion Mission Offering on January will support Grace Children's Hospital, Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Grace Children's Hospital in Port-au-Prince, Haiti provides care for children and families with tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS, respiratory infections, and those impacted by the earthquake. In this area where many live on less than \$1/day, the hospital provides much-needed immediate care and follow-up clinical care for children and families.

Please make checks payable to CUMC -memo: Grace-Haiti

AND all monetary donations marked as Grace- Haiti'

Collection baskets are in the Sanctuary front window sills for collection as you return to your seats after Communion



January Shop Dates

Thursday	Jan 2	10a - 2p
Sunday	Jan 5	10a-11a
		<i>After worship service!</i>
Monday	Jan 6	6p - 8p
Wednesday	Jan 8	11a - 12n
		<i>Senior Luncheon</i>
Thursday	Jan 16	10a - 2p
Monday	Jan 20	6p - 8p



NURTURING NEWS

We would like to remind everyone that there is a special board hanging in the Narthex by the information counter that is especially designed for those with a special request: *Lawn/yard care, ride to church, house cleaning, meals...*

This ministry is called **"PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE"**

How it works:

If you have a need-- fill out the form request and post it to the board.
If you see a need - and you can fulfill that need you can take the post and contact THAT person to make arrangements.

More...Serving God



Anyone interested in being a part of the Sunday Morning Choir, please see Brittany for details and information.

Choir Winter Break will be 12/29 - 1/ 12 while Brittany is out of the office.

Choir will resume on Sunday 1/19, 2020 with rehearsal at 8:00am.



Wednesday – Jan. 8 @ 11:30am

Suggested Meal Donation is \$4 per person

Those 60 and older who would like to attend are asked to call for reservations on/before January 5 - call 815-726-0094 ext 322

January Senior Lunch will be on February 5
Come Early - Thrift Shop will be open 10:30a-11:30am

Extended Table

HOLY COMMUNION



For our home-bound members, family and friends. If you, or someone you know, would like Holy Communion brought to them, please contact the church office or see Pastor Tim.

CUMC YOUTH ~ NEED YOUR HELP!!

They are STILL collecting **Pop Can TABS** to benefit Ronald McDonald House



Little things make a big difference. You can help support the Ronald McDonald Houses of Chicagoland & Northwest Indiana (RMHC-CNI) by donating the tabs you pull to open soda, soup and other aluminum cans.

They are also STILL collecting **Plastic Caps & Lids**

- soda/water bottles
- laundry soap caps, toiletries, Etc.



... any kind of plastic lid is needed for a recycled material park bench for our church!

Collection bins for both are located in the Narthex and the Education wing.

OUTREACH NEWS

Please remember our **Donation Central Collections** located in the Narthex.

Gently used shoes Boxed snacks
Cases of soda Travel toiletries

Please visit the collection to see the complete list of needed items!

Mokena Veterans Home is asking for Coffee, Individual apple & cherry pies, and Henley long sleeve t-shirts (M - 2xl)

Bringing DOWN the GREENS!

Sunday, January 5

following our worship service and fellowship please plan to stay to lend a hand bringing down our Christmas decorations and getting them all back in storage!

Many hands make for light work!

Channahon UMC - Channahon, IL
Served December 2 - 4, 2019



Chatham Mission 2019

We are grateful for our eager Mission teams who go out and serve beyond the walls of our church.

Pictured left to right:

Elena Warren, Gwen Tunney, Micki Thompson & Jean Lawrence faithfully served at Midwest Mission Distribution Center in Chatham IL



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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday Worship Service	9:00am *
Coffee Fellowship	10:00am
Kids Sunday School	10:15am
Wednesday Worship "Come As You Are"	6:30p-7p

*Sunday School is offered for pre-school –5TH grade
6 - 12th grade students are invited to assist in the
younger kids classrooms (Sept. - May)*

*Staffed nursery is provided for children kindergarten and younger - room 117



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