

Faithfully committed to
Building Disciples ~ Growing Faith ~ Serving God

The Preschool will begin again on Tuesday, September 5th - Access to the Education Wing will be off limits 8:30a-3:30pm when the children are present.

Be Thankful
for all your
Blessings

Church & Community News & Events

October Birthdays

10/1 Dee Sneed
Jace Waller
10/2 Craig Stephenson
10/9 Todd Hayden
10/14 Kyle Boyer
10/15 Bruce Raeburn
10/16 Cindy Pappas
10/17 Jeannette Boggs
Harry Breen
10/21 Pat Williamson
10/25 Marie Passafiume
10/28 Mike Geldean
10/29 Elaine Coen
10/31 Amanda Francisco

October Anniversaries

10/1 Mark & Beth Thelo
10/5 Stan & Sandy Yenerich
10/10 Jeff & Lindsey Barrett
10/13 Tom & Barb Sweet
10/28 Tedd & Kim McCauley
10/29 Ricky & Jean Lawrence

If we have missed your celebration, please let the office know so we can add it the weekly bulletin announcement and monthly Circuit Rider calendar, please contact the church office at 815-467-5275

or email:

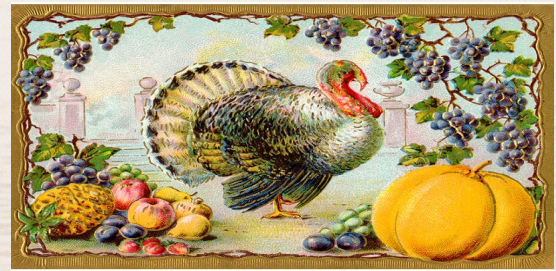
Office@channahonumc.org

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 those who grieve great loss of a loved one.



TURKEY SUPPER Carry Out Only

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4th, 2022

RESERVATIONS open October 4th

CHANNAHON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

24751 W. Eames (Rt 6), Channahon

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Channahon UMC will host the Northern IL Food Bank Truck in our parking lot on Monday, Oct. 2nd and Nov. 27th. Distribution 4pm to 5:30pm on both days.

We need the help of CUMC and our community for set up and distribution. (4p-6p) both days.

If you and/or your family/friends are interested in participating in this community outreach helping to feed those in need, please contact **Donna Szoke 815-342-9324** or dszoke08@gmail.com for more info or to sign up!

You're invited to a
Portillo's FUNDRAISER

Join us at Portillo's for a fundraiser to support:
Minooka UMC & Channahon UM Preschool

When: October 23, 2023 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM	at the Portillo's located at: 1155 Brook Forest Ave. Shorewood, IL
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20% of sales will benefit your organization. Order online or in app for pickup using code **PORTILLOS27** before checkout in the "Apply Offer" field, or show this flyer or a digital version to cashier when ordering at the restaurant. Valid on drive thru, pickup, curbside, and in restaurant orders.

Portillo's FOR GOOD
portillos.com/community

Channahon UMC Preschool

FALL FEST
Friday, October 27th
12n-9pm

Craft/Vendor Fair
Used Book Sale
Raffle Baskets

"Monster-ccioli" Dinner / 5p-7p

Trunk or Treating / 7-8p

All proceeds and donations will support the Channahon UMC Preschool Program



Sunday, October 29th
11:30am - 1pm

This is a FREE Community Event
All are invite for Safe Halloween Fun!

BUILDING DISCIPLES

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."

Sunday Morning Worship

9am- In-Person and Online with Live Stream
Holy Communion celebrated 1st Sunday of each month!

Masks are NOT REQUIRED at this time.

People may CHOOSE to wear a mask at any time, especially if you are immunocompromised.

Anyone not feeling well, with ANY symptoms, a positive test, or exposure to someone with COVID-19 - The CDC recommends to isolate for 5days & mask for 10days. If COVID-19 levels increase, masking may be recommended and/or mandated again.

FIRST Sundays of the month - we will worship with Minooka UMC here in our sanctuary and share in Holy Communion, choir and children's time.

Can't make it to church? Join us online LIVE at 9am or watch at your convenience - from our Youtube page - www.youtube.com/@channahonumc813/

The church is open and available for use for meetings, groups and events. Please be sure to confirm all usage, availability, and changes with the church office.

Join us as we gather for fellowship after our worship service.

3 WAYS TO GIVE



In Person



By Mail



Electronic Giving

2 Corinthians 9:6-8

Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.



Weekly Giving Report & Attendance

9/3 - \$24,428 / 52 9/10 - \$3,171 / 71

9/17 - \$5,860 / 71 9/24 - \$3,076 / 64

Thank you for your continued support of the life, mission & ministry of our church.

2023

Communion & 5th Sunday Offerings

The Sunday Communion Offerings for Sept - Dec will support 'Heifer International - Ending Hunger & Poverty' www.heifer.org

5th Sundays will be July, October & December - Monies will support the United Voices for Children again and offering envelopes are provided on these special giving Sundays.



Affiliated Agencies: Kids Above All • MYSI • Rosecrance

5th Sunday Special Offering October 29th

Special envelopes will be available in the Narthex.

Contribution gifts can be placed in the offering plate, dropped off or mailed to the church or scan the QR code to give online!



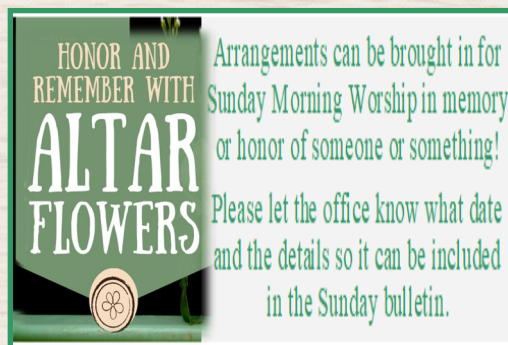
Kids Sunday School

Ages 3yr - 12th grade

10:30am - 11:15am

in Education Wing

FRIENDS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!



Confirmation Class

For Students 7th-8th grade+

Will begin Sunday, October 1st, 2023 through April 2024 during our Sunday School hour (10:30a - 11:15am).

This will be combined with MUMC staff and students.

Please call the church office or see Pastor Doh if you are interested in participating.



Our 'Adult Choir' sings on Sunday Mornings

New Schedule is April thru December
Break is Jan-Feb-March - NO CHOIR

Rehearsals are on Wednesday at 3:30pm and sing at our 9am worship services (Apr-Dec)

Anyone interested in being a part of the Sunday Morning Choir or musicians interested in playing during worship, Please see Brittany or call the church office for more information.



NEWS

Our Annual Church 'Charge' Conference is scheduled for Sunday, December 3rd in the Sanctuary at 3:00pm.

We invite and encourage all to attend in support of the life and growth of our church.

CUMC's Annual Conference Online Forms

LINK: <https://registration.uncnic.org>



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.



**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**
FAITH, FOOD &
FELLOWSHIP

Saturday, October 14th

The Men of the church meet the 2nd Saturday of each month at 7:45am at Grandma's Pancake House
669 W. Mondamin St ~ Minooka
Men Sr. High School and older are invited!



CUMC's Family CRAFT & MOVIE NIGHTS

For Adults and Kids - All Ages!
These are **FREE** Family Friendly Events
An Open Invitation for **ALL**!
Be sure to invite a friend or two!

Craft Night ~ October 6th at 6pm
Rock Painting - All supplies provided!

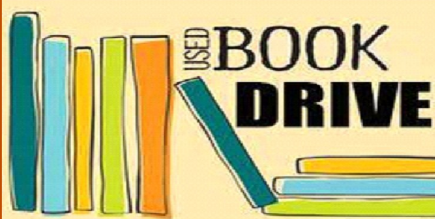
Movie Night ~ October 20th at 6pm
Popcorn and refreshments provided.
Bring your favorite blanket & pillow!
Movie TBA



2023-2024 Registration is still open
Openings available for each class room!

Call - 815-467-4708 or email
ChannahonUMPreschool@gmail.com

The Channahon UMC Preschool has an Amazon Needs List - Want to help support the school - visit the Amazon Link
<https://rb.gy/lh4dg>



Channahon UMC Preschool is collecting
USED BOOKS for a USED BOOK SALE
Fundraiser in October.

Please consider donating your gently used books of all genres, types and all age groups, to help our families and community share the love of reading.

Collection bins will be in the Narthex and the Education Wing. Any questions, contact Mrs. Smith 815-467-4708



United
Women
in Faith

YOU'RE INVITED

The invitation is always open...
TO JOIN A Channahon United Women in Faith CIRCLE!

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

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

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

Channahon UWFaith Circle Groups

UMF Leadership - 1st Tuesday 10am - FH - Oct. 3
Ruth Circle - 2nd Monday - 9:30am FH - Oct. 9
Rachel Circle - 2nd Tuesday - 10am in FH - Oct. 10
Hannah Jessup - Dates/Location Varies
Circle of Hope - Varies - FH at 1pm - Oct. 17
Ladies Aid - (Thrift Shop) 1st Thursday shop is open - 9am

Channahon UWFaith's Sunflower Harvest Craft & Vendor Fair

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14th, 2023
9A - 2P

Channahon United Methodist Church
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Holiday Shopping at its FINEST!

Great HOLIDAY SHOPPING Awaits!!
Over 40 vendors/crafters onsite!

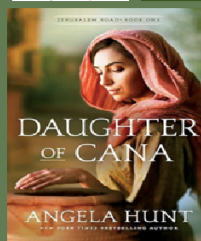
Channahon UWF will have a **BAKE SALE** during the event - They need baked goods donated for the sale!
MARK YOUR CALENDAR to COME SHOP GREAT DEALS AND GET A HEAD START ON HOLIDAY SHOPPING - OVER 40 VENDORS EXPECTED TO BE ON SITE!!

Help is needed for this event - please see Lana Stafford if you would like to lend a hand!



Channahon United Women in Faith
READING CLUB MEETING

Thurs., Nov. 2, 2023
6 p.m.
CUMC Room 145



We will read and discuss "Daughter of Cana," a Biblical drama and romance. Zoom link for the meeting will be available to those who want to join online. Contact Anita Young or church office to get on the email list.

DON'T FORGET TO FALL BACK

Don't forget to turn your clocks **BACK** One Hour before going to bed on Saturday, November 4th



Your
Terri Lynn
Purchases
Now
Benefit
CUMC
Tanzania
Mission Trip
Activities





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.

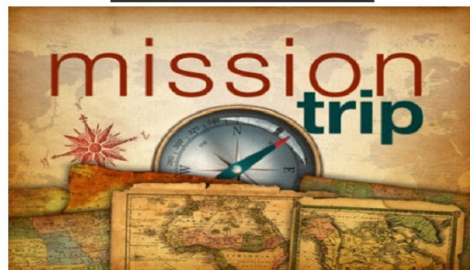


October Shop Schedule

Sunday	Oct 1	after service
Monday	Oct 2	6p - 8p
Thursday	Oct 12	10a - 2p
Monday	Oct 16	6p - 8p
Thursday	Oct 26	10a - 2p
Monday	Oct 30	6p - 8p

Be sure to pick up a new schedule there have been some changes!

OUTREACH TEAM



December 3rd - 6th, 2023

to Midwest Mission Distribution Center
in Chatham IL

5 openings - Those interested, please
see/email Elena Warren
EJWarren1943@gmail.com

Outreach team is collecting certain school supplies to bring with them to provide for MMDC's school supply ministry. Collection box is in the Narthex. Supply Kits include:

- 3 - one subject spiral notebooks
- 1-12" ruler / 6 unsharpened pencils
- 1-pencil sharpener / 1- 2" pencil eraser
- 1 box 12 colored pencils/ 1 box 24 crayons
- 1 - student scissors



ILLINOIS VETERANS HOME MANTENO

The Veterans are so grateful for all of our support and donations.

Things have changed and we will be collecting Halloween candy for treat bags!

We will prepare the treat bags on Sunday, October 15th after worship in FH



CHAIR YOGA

Wednesday Mornings at 9:00am

In Fellowship Hall

Check our website calendar for any changes or updates.


All are welcome.

Please bring a mat



Outreach team is cooking & serving dinner at Daybreak Shelter in Joliet on Monday, October 23rd at 6pm.

Donations list will be out soon.



CoDA

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

CoDA
Group will start meeting again on Saturdays at 8am room 143 beginning Nov. 4th



Senior Luncheon

October 4th ~ 12:00n

Doors open 11:30am

Suggested donation - \$5

Call 847-738-1268 to RSVP by Oct. 2nd
Please call to RSVP w/Janet 847-738-1268 or sign up in the Narthex

Menu: Southern fried chicken breast with country gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, dinner rolls and dessert

October - bring 5 different food pantry items and receive \$2 discount



PRAYER
Blanket MINISTRY

Prayer Blanket Ministry for



WILL COUNTY Children's ADVOCACY CENTER
HOPE, HEALING, AND JUSTICE FOR ABUSED CHILDREN

Will meet the 1st Monday of the month in Fellowship Hall.
Bring your scissors!!!

Next meet ~ October 2nd at 10am in FH

Next Date:
Wednesday, October 11 at - 10:15am/FH after Yoga
Bring your scissors!



BTB
Broken to Beautiful
A Support Group
for the broken hearted, lost and suffering!

'Broken to Beautiful' is a support group here at CUMC for our **members, families, friends and community** for anyone suffering a loss. A loss of any kind is GRIEF, and we come together as ONE to support ONE another!

JOIN US - Tuesday, Oct. 24, @ 2pm in Fellowship Hall.

All are invited and Everyone is Welcome!

The point is NOT, (and it NEVER will be) to STOP the Grief.

That's like stopping the Ocean.

The point is to find **WAYS** to SWIM!

Ephesians 1:18

I pray also that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which He has called you, the riches of His glorious inheritance in the Saints.

More Serving God...



Narcotics Anonymous recovery group meets here at the church on Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm in room 143.

Enter around back through door #4.

For more information, contact NA Rep.
Pete - 815-530-1065

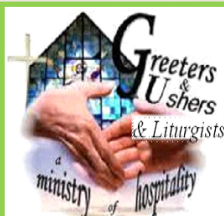
For the safety of our staff and preschool kids - the church front doors will be locked during School and Office Hours.

Please use the appropriate door bell for entry.



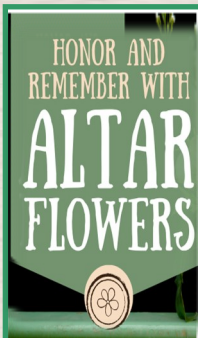
Also, the locks on the exterior doors have been changed. Please contact the church office if you need a new key or access to the church

Dispose of your old worn and tattered flags here at the church in the bin outside of Fellowship Hall. The Troop 444 Boy Scouts will dispose of them through a Troop Ceremony. Thank you for honoring our Country.



Interested in our Hospitality Ministry for Ushering, Greeting and Liturgy?

Please contact the church office or see Donna Buckley to be added to the rotation list.



Arrangements can be brought in for Sunday Morning Worship in memory or honor of someone or something!

Please let the office know what date and the details so it can be included in the Sunday bulletin.

Stay connected in God's Word

There are many online daily devotionals. Finding the right one for you is important. Find suggestions and links here each week to feed your SPIRIT - Spiritually!



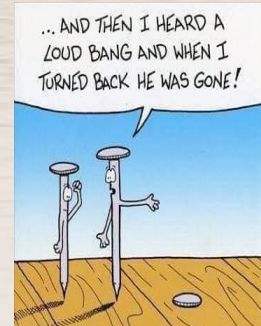
great resource:

Upper Room Daily ONLINE Devotions link

<https://upperroom.org/devotionals>

Sep/Oct devotional books are available in the Narthex, on the card ministry table

Be sure to pick one up or call the office to have one mailed to you.



FALL

Z E G A J S D M Y F U N I Q W B
P K R N C X T S E V R A H L S O
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A R W E D H J L T S O R F B U K

acorn	colors	leaves	scarecrow
apples	fall	mushrooms	spiders
autumn	football	orange	squirrels
birds	frost	pumpkins	trees
bonfire	harvest	raking	vegetables
changing	jacket	red	yellow



OCTOBER 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<div>1</div> <div>Communion Sunday</div> <div>8am - Combined Worship @ 10am - 11am Thrift Shop Open 10am - Coffee Fellowship 10:30am - Adult Sunday Study - 10:30am - Confirmation Class - 10:30am - Kids Sunday School -</div>	<div>2</div> <div>Church Office Closed</div> <div>8:30am - Preschool - EDU 10am - Prayer Blanket Ministry - 12pm - Staff Parish 144 @ 4pm - Northern IL Food Truck 6pm - THRIFT SHOP OPEN</div>	<div>3</div> <div>8:30am - Preschool - EDU 10am - UMW Leadership Mtg - FH 11:45am - MUMC Bible Study - 7pm - Garden Club - FH</div>	<div>4</div> <div>8:30am - Preschool - EDU 9am - Chair Yoga 11am - Thrift Shop Open 11:30am - Senior Luncheon 3:30pm - Choir Rehearsal - 5pm - GS 75934- 140/76156- 144 6:30pm - NA - Narcotics</div>	<div>5</div> <div>8:30am - Preschool - EDU 6:30pm - BSA Troop 444 & 454 -</div>	<div>6</div> <div>No Preschool</div> <div>6pm - Family Craft Night</div>	<div>7</div> <div>7:45am - Men's Breakfast - OS @ 9am - Craft & Vendor Fair</div>
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More details and information is available on our church website calendar.



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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday Worship Service 9:00am

In person, live stream and online!

Coffee Fellowship 10:00am

*Children's Sunday School is offered for
Pre-school – 12th grade (Sept. - May)
10:30a - 11:15*

All are welcome when we resume in the Fall!



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We are especially grateful for:

*May your blessings
be as countless as
the autumn leaves*