SIGN ME UP

I'M INTERESTED IN SERVING IN THE FOLLOWING WAY(S):

- □ Greeter/Usher
- $\hfill\square$ Staff the Welcome Desk
- \Box Communion Server
- □ Scripture Reader
- □ Co-Lead Sunday School
- Co-Lead Quest (Wednesday Night Programming for Children)
- \Box Volunteer in the Nursery
- Offer the Children's Time Message During Worship
- \square Help with the Earth Day of Service (4/2I)
- Volunteer to help with VBS (7/22-26)
- □ Preparing Wednesday Night Dinners

I WOULD LIKE TO SIGN UP FOR:

- Student Summer Mission Trip
- □ My Child(ren) to attend Vacation Bible School (VBS) (7/22-26)



<u>Audio Assistance</u> Hearing assistance devices are also

available for your use, and can be obtained from the soundboard.

PRAYER REQUESTS

ADD MY REQUEST TO TO:

- Weekly Email
- □ Sunday Morning Prayers
- □ Prayer Chain
- □ Please Keep Private
- $\hfill\square$ I would like the Pastor to contact me

UPCOMING

EVENTS

Office Hours: M - Th -- 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM F -- 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

- SUN Worship 10:00 AM
- 4/14 Church Conference & Town Hall Meeting 11:15 AM Student Ministries Family Gathering 5:30 PM
- MON Bible Study 7:30 AM
- 4/15 Quilters 9:30 AM Cello Lessons - 3:30 PM Toastmasters - 6:30 PM

TUE Staff Meeting - 10:00 AM 4/16

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WED Yoga - 9:00 AM
4/17 Lydia Circle - 9:30 AM
Lunch Bunch - 11:30 AM
Weds Dinner - 5:30 PM
Quest - 6:30 PM
Confirmation - 6:30 PM

THU Card Players - 9:30 AM

4/18 Dignity Center Sandwiches - Noon Cello Lessons - 3:30 PM Simpson Shelter Meal - 6:00 PM

SAT Spring Clean-up - 9:00 AM

4/20

SUNWorship - 10:00 AM4/21Earth Day of Service - 11:30 AM

WAYS TO GIVE

In Person: Offering Plate Text: GIVENOW to (952) 900-6088 Online: minnetonkaumc.org/giving



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We Gather For Worship

Σ	Gathering Music	
\triangleleft	"Lord I Need You"	
0	Welcome and Breakthrough Prayer	
Ö	"Be Thou My Vision"	Hymn #451 UMH
\cong	Children's Time	
	Receiving of the Offering	"Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)"
	A Time of Prayer	
	"Spirit of the Living God"	Hymn #393 UMH
	Hebrew Bible Reading	Genesis 12:1-4, 10-20 NRSV
	Sermon	"Undeterred"
	"In Jesus Name (God of Possible)"	
	Sending Forth & Blessing	



A DYSFUNCTIONAL FAMILY

old stories, same problems



Is your family a bit dysfunctional at times? You're not alone! Starting all the way back in the book of Genesis, we see family dynamics that carry forward dysfunctional traits across generations. Despite this reality, God still chose these people, our ancestors of the faith, to be God's people. As we seek to learn from these ancient stories and apply our learnings to life today, we'll discover a hope grounded in the unmerited grace of our Creator.



Sunday School Today — If you're in grades K-6th, head downstairs with our all-star volunteers! Adults, please sign in/out and pick up your children from the lower level classroom after worship. Wednesday Night Programming: 6:30-7:30 PM — Following dinner (5:30 - 6:30 PM) kids in first through sixth grades are invited to participate in Quest, where we focus on Bible stories, bake for Simpson Shelter guests and develop friendships to last a lifetime.

Student Ministries Family Gathering! Sunday

4/14 at 5:30 PM — Come to the Fellowship

Hall to eat pizza, meet Chris, our new

Student Ministries Director, and have some

fun! Chris wants to get to know you and

your family, learn about your hopes and



Summer Mission Trip: July 27 - August 2 Are you a student in middle or high school that wants to develop friendships, strengthen your spiritual life and bless people in need? This experience has your name all over it!

Men's and Women's Breakfast Groups: April 19, 9:00 AM — Join us at Perkins (Hopkins Crossroads and Hwy. 7) for breakfast and conversation. Please let the Hagmanns know if you plan to attend: 952-544-4283. dreams for the student ministry, as well as share some of his own! Monday Morning Bible Study, 7:30 AM You're invited to join us for conversation as we study the assigned text for the week. Meet us in the Coffee Commons! All are welcome. ANNOUNCEMENT

Vacation Bible School (VBS): 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM, July 22-26 — You're invited to join us for a FREE VBS summer camp adventure where we'll explore Bible stories through music, drama, games, crafts, science and more as we learn to connect with and trust God at VBS, church, home and every area of our lives. Interested in volunteering or attending? Express your interest today on your Connect Card!

Church Conference and Town Hall Meeting: Today, II:15 AM in the Fellowship Hall — Vote to accept a 2O24 Investing in Congregations Grant; updates around church finances, our strategic plan and staffing/hiring; round table feedback sessions.

Lydia Circle: April 17, 9:30-11:00 AM — Meets the 3rd Wednesday of most months and discuss spiritual topics and social justice issues that reflect United Women in Faith studies. Newcomers welcome and encouraged choose fai!

Lunch Bunch: April 17, 11:30 AM — This month will be at Dukes on 7, Please call Eileen Jensen at 952-935-4306 to reserve your spot.

Dignity Center Sandwich-Making: April 18th at Noon Join us in the kitchen as we assemble sandwiches for Dignity Center guests.

Simpson Shelter Meal Service: Thursday, April 18, 6:00-8:30 PM — Join others (ages 8+) from MUMC and serve dinner to Simpson Shelter guests. Please sign up on your Connection Card today!

Spring Outdoor Clean Up: Saturday, April 20, 9 AM Please join us! Donuts and coffee will be provided.

Earth Day of Service: April 21, 11:30 AM — Join us for lunch, a May basket service project, plant flower seeds to take home and paint rocks to adorn our campus. All are Welcome!

United Women of Faith Shredding Event, April 27th, 10 :00 AM-12:00 PM — Purchase a \$10 paper bag that holds up to 20 lbs, a \$20 bag that holds up to 25 lbs or a reusable bag for \$25 that you can use until it falls apart! Contact Lynda Allen lynall66@gmail.com.

CONNECT

Please complete the card, tear at the perforation and place in the Offering plate

Name:		
Address:		
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Contact Preference: Email Phone Text		
 I/We are First Time Guest Please Select One: I would like MUMC to make a donation in my name to : ICA Food Shelf (Minnetonka) Simpson Shelter (Minneapolis) United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) - global disaster and humanitarian relief. Returning Guest Member/Attend Regularly I invited someone to church this week How did you hear about us?: 		

- My Next Step Today:
- $\hfill\square$ Include me in the weekly email list
- □ Learn about MUMC & Membership
- □ Find a small group
- Learn about mission opportunities
- Learn about digital giving

SERMON NOTES: