

SIGN ME UP

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

- ☐ Greeter/Usher
- ☐ Staff the Welcome Desk
- ☐ Communion Server
- ☐ Co-Lead Sunday School and/or Quest
- ☐ MUMC Grounds Team
- ☐ Soundboard/Video Operator
- ☐ Outreach Team
- ☐ Assist with Wednesday Night Dinners

I WOULD LIKE TO SIGN UP FOR:

- ☐ Discover MUMC Class

I WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT:

- ☐ Mission/Serving Opportunities
- ☐ Church Membership
- ☐ Scheduling a Baptism or Wedding
- ☐ Financial Giving Opportunities

PRAYER REQUESTS

ADD MY REQUEST TO:

- ☐ Weekly Email
- ☐ Sunday Morning Prayers
- ☐ Prayer Chain
- ☐ Please Keep Private
- ☐ I would like the Pastor to contact me

UPCOMING
EVENTS

Office Hours:
M - Th -- 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
F-- 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

SUN	10:00 AM - Worship
8/17	11:15 AM - Dignity Center Sandwiches
	11:15 AM - Beloved Community Conversation
	11:30 AM - Sunday Fun Day Youth Group
MON	7:30 AM - Bible Study
8/18	9:30 AM - Quilters
	3:30 PM - Cello Lessons
	6:30 PM - Toastmasters
	6:30 PM - Walking with Friends
TUES	7:00 PM - Servant Leadership Board
8/19	
WED	9:30AM - Lydia Circle
8/20	11:30 PM - Lunch Bunch
THURS	3:30 PM - Cello Lessons
8/21	6:30 PM - Walking with Friends
FRI	
8/22	
SAT	
8/23	

JAZZ SUNDAY WILL BE AUGUST 31st.



Audio Assistance

Hearing assistance devices are also available for your use, and can be obtained from the soundboard.

WAYS TO GIVE

In Person: Offering Plate

Text: GIVENOW to (952) 900-6088

Online: minnetonkaumc.org/giving



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10:00 AM

Gathering Music

"My Savior, My God"

"This is Amazing Grace"

Welcome & Breakthrough Prayer

Children's Time

Receiving of the Offering

A Time of Prayer

"Here I Am Lord"

Scripture Reading

Youth Mission Trip Sharing

2025 Student Mission Trip Slideshow

"Child of Love"

Sending Forth and Blessing

We Gather For Worship

"Bring Me Home"

#593 UMH

Micah 6:6-8 and
John 21:15-17 (Inclusive)



Over the next few weeks, we're welcoming a lineup of incredible guest pastors to share with us. Each one brings their own style, story, and message—and we can't wait for you to hear what God has put on their hearts.



CHILDREN

Ry and Chris are looking for your voice and ideas to create a robust youth and children's program to kick off this fall. Come join the team and help plan a fun and thriving future for MUMC! Please reach out to Chris and Ry if you are interested in joining this team!



STUDENTS

The Youth Group will be meeting for Sunday Fun Day after this morning's worship service!



SMALL GROUPS

Monday Morning Bible Study: 7:30 AM
You're invited to join us for conversation as we study a pre-assigned text for the week. Meet us in the Coffee Commons. All are welcome.

Would you like to help plan events that the church hosts throughout the year? We are looking for party/event planners to join the Outreach Team. Meetings are the first Monday of the month via Zoom. Please talk to Ry if you're interested in helping!

The MUMC Shoe Drive has kicked off! Any shoes that have life left (no holes, please) are welcome. All shoes must be in pairs. No ice skates, roller skates or roller blades, please. Bring your old shoes to church and turn them into a donation to support our children and youth ministries!

Walking with Friends - We meet and walk on Mondays and Thursdays at 6:30 PM. We walk for one hour on different trails in Minnetonka throughout the Spring, Summer and Fall. Interested in joining us for conversation, camaraderie and exercise? Contact Pat Clawson: 952-212-9276 or Judy Fallat: 612-360-8686

SERMON NOTES:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you so much to Rebecca Pederson for bringing this morning's treats in the Coffee Commons! If you would be willing to volunteer, please sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8O5OF4AA8AB28AAF-F2-57OI895I-sunday#/>

Our 2025 Christmas in July campaign continues! We have reached our goal of fixing the Sanctuary lights, and are now working toward replacing our outdoor sign with a digital one! Donate by indicating "Christmas in July" on your envelope, or by selecting "Christmas in July" in the dropdown for online giving.

Registration for the "Refresh Your Soul and Reignite Your Spirit" Women's Retreat on October 25, 2025 starts tomorrow. You can find more information at the Welcome Desk. The retreat will be held at Camp Fire Minnesota (formerly Camp Tanadoona) in Excelsior. Physical registration forms and more information can be found at the Welcome Desk. Online registration will be available at: <https://minnetonkaumc.e36Ochms.com/external/form/d4f46859-49f4-4cc3-8c46-OaOI7OI28d9O> starting tomorrow!

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Lydia Circle will be meeting on Wednesday, Lydia Circle chooses faith topics and social justice issues that reflect United Women in Faith studies, leading to lively discussions each month. Newcomers are welcome and encouraged to join in.

Lunch Bunch will be meeting at Hazelwood Restaurant (5635 Manitou Rd, Excelsior, MN 55331) on Wednesday, August 20th at 11:30 AM. Please send your RSVP to Eileen Jensen (952-935-4306).

On Sunday, August 24, please join us after worship for a 1-hour hosted conversation to learn how our church is one of ten faith communities in Minnetonka organizing and mobilizing the community alongside elected officials and other local leaders to protect vital social safety nets like SNAP and Medicaid.

Please join us in the kitchen after worship to make sandwiches for the Dignity Center. We strive to donate between 120-150 sandwiches a month!

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

Name:

Address:

City:

State: Zip Code:

Email:

Phone:

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)
☐ Imara International (Nanyuki, Kenya)
☐ 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:
☐ Include me in the weekly email list
☐ Learn about MUMC & Membership
☐ Find a small group
☐ Learn about mission opportunities
☐ Learn about digital giving