

Be the Church: Check out the ways to get involved below!

Today-9:45AM Last New Member Class
Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8AM Walking at the Church
Monday-8AM Lois Stetzler funeral
Monday-6PM Trustees Meeting
Monday-7PM Boy Scouts
Tuesday-8:30AM Staff Meeting
Tuesday-10AM XYZ Mexican Train
Tuesday-6:30PM Care Givers' Support Network
Tuesday-7PM Praise Team Practice
Wednesday-6:30AM UMM Prayer Group
Wednesday-1PM VBS Work Day
Wednesday-6PM VBS Work Day
Thursday-8:30AM Quilters
Thursday-6PM Bells Practice
Thursday-6PM Thursday Night Bible Study
Thursday-7PM Choir Practice
Saturday-7AM Men's Bible Study
Sunday- Graduation Sunday
Sunday- Mother's Day
Sunday-8:30AM Traditional Worship Service
Sunday-9:45AM Sunday School (All Ages)
Sunday-10:45AM Cross Connections Worship
Sunday-1:30PM XYZ Trip to ICC Philharmonic Chorale

Be the Church:

Scan the QR code to see the upcoming events for next week!
You can also download our app to keep up to date with events in the church!



MORTON METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Schedule:

- Traditional Service: 8:30 am
- Sunday School (all ages) 9:45 am
- Cross Connections: 10:45 am

Contact us!

Email: info@mortonumc.org
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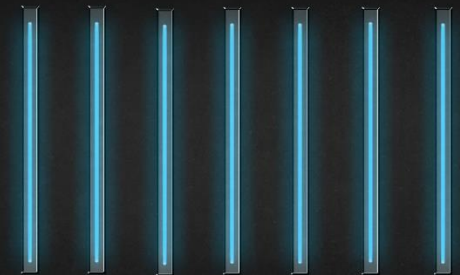
Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

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SEVEN CHURCHES



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OF REVELATION



MORTON
Methodist Church

Sunday, May 5th, 2024

Morton Methodist Church Announcements

XYZ

Tuesday May 7 at 10am, XYZ will be playing Mexican Train at the Church followed by lunch out in Morton. Sunday May 12 at 2:30pm, XYZ will be attending the ICC Philharmonic Chorale. See Footprints for more details.

VBS Work Days

All levels of crafting abilities are welcome at our VBS work days! Please help us prepare! We are meeting Wednesdays from 1-3pm and 6-8pm. Please contact Mary Barrick for more information.

Lost and Found

All unclaimed items in the Lost and Found will be donated after the May 12th services. The Lost and Found is located in the storage room off the gym.

Graduate Recognition Sunday May 12th

Please contact Pastor Adam if you have a High School or College graduate that you would like to be recognized.

Special Guests Sunday May 12th

Next Sunday we will be welcoming special guests James and Anna Labala from Liberia. They will be speaking during the Sunday School hour at 9:45am.

Spring Cleaning and Organizing

The Trustees have been doing some spring cleaning and have some rummage-sale type items available in the storage room off the gym. It is first come, first served with a free-will donation for any item. The rummage sale area will be clearly marked. Please do not take anything from the unmarked area. For questions, please email Pastor Adam or Pastor Bill

Worship Service

May 5th, 2024

8:30 a.m.

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart

Linda Clauser

Call to Worship*

Leader: God calls us to be still

People: And know that he is God!

Leader: God calls us to praise

People: And worship Him as God! Praise be to God!

Passing the Peace*

Opening Hymn*

Morning Has Broken

UMH 145

Children's Time

Offertory

Bread and Wine of Life

MMC Choir

Doxology*

UMH 94

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Old Testament Reading

Psalms 139

New Testament Reading*

Revelation 3:1-6

Gloria Patri*

UMH 70

Sermon

"Still Aware"

Pastor Bill Novak

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Closing Hymn*

Rise Up, O Men of God vs. 1-3

UMH 576

Benediction*

Refrain*

Rise Up, O Men of God vs. 4

Postlude

*Please stand if you are able

Scripture Reading

NIV

Revelation 3:1-6:

"To the angel of the church in Sardis write:

These are the words of him who holds the seven spirits of God and the seven stars. I know your deeds; you have a reputation of being alive, but you are dead. ² Wake up! Strengthen what remains and is about to die, for I have found your deeds unfinished in the sight of my God. ³ Remember, therefore, what you have received and heard; hold it fast, and repent. But if you do not wake up, I will come like a thief, and you will not know at what time I will come to you. ⁴ Yet you have a few people in Sardis who have not soiled their clothes. They will walk with me, dressed in white, for they are worthy. ⁵ The one who is victorious will, like them, be dressed in white. I will never blot out the name of that person from the book of life, but will acknowledge that name before my Father and his angels. ⁶ Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches.