Be the Church: Check out the ways to get involved below!
Today-12:15 Potluck
Today-1PM Church Conference
Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8AM Walking at the Church
Tuesday-8:30AM Staff Meeting
Tuesday-9:30AM Skeins of Love
Tuesday-10AM XYZ Movie Day
Tuesday-7PM Praise Team Practice
Wednesday-6:30AM UMM Prayer Group
Wednesday-9:30AM Bible Study Fellowship
Wednesday-10AM Prayer and Care Meeting
Wednesday-12:30PM MMW Board Meeting
Wednesday-6:30PM Pastor Paul's Bible Study
Thursday-9:30AM Pastor Paul's Bible Study
Thursday-5:30PM Thursday Night Bible Study
Thursday-5:45PM Bells Practice
Thursday-6:30PM Cantata Practice
Thursday-7PM Choir Practice
Saturday-7AM Men's Bible Study
Saturday-8AM Walk and Talk
Saturday-11:30AM Velva June Martinie Memorial Service
Sunday-8AM Blood Pressure Sunday
Sunday-8:30AM Traditional Worship Service
Sunday-9:45AM Sunday School
Sunday-10:45AM Cross Connections Worship

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

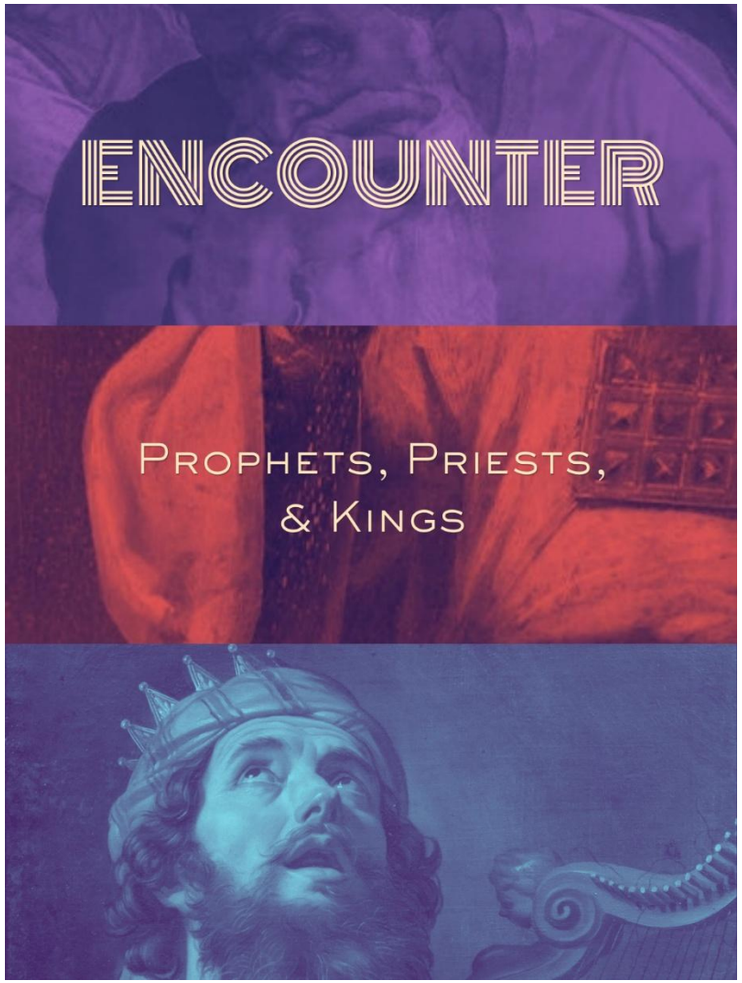
Sunday Schedule:

- Traditional Service: 8:30 am
- Sunday School: 9:45 am
- Cross Connections: 10:45 am

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MORTON
Methodist Church

Sunday, November 8th, 2026

Announcements

Church Conference Today

Our annual Church Conference will be held today at 1pm in the gym. There will be a potluck beforehand at noon.

Volunteer Drivers Needed for Van Pickup Service

We are excited to announce plans for a Sunday morning pick up service using the church van to transport members to and from 8:30 worship. To launch this service we are looking for volunteer drivers to join the team. You can volunteer for just one Sunday per month or join a regular rotation. If you are interested in serving as a driver or would like additional information, contact Mary Jane Davis.

XYZ

On Tuesday, November 10th, XYZ will be having a movie day at church. Bring a friend and a sweater. Popcorn and drinks are provided.

No Wednesday Night Encounter This Week

There will be no Dinner, Discipleship, or Pub Theology this Wednesday, November 11th. Pastor Paul will still be holding Bible Study at 6:30pm.

Christmas Giving Tree

Christmas Giving Tree tags will be available beginning this Thursday, November 12th. Please remember to sign your name and phone number in the book for each tag you take. There is a $50 spending limit for each tag. Follow the instructions on the tag and return the gifts by noon on Wednesday, December 2nd. Cash and checks will also be accepted. Please designate they are for the Christmas Giving Tree.

Thanksgiving Turkey Collection

The Morton Methodist Men are collecting frozen turkeys to donate to Manna from Heaven. If you are able to donate, please sign up at the Welcome Desk. Please leave the turkeys in the walk-in freezer (the door to the right inside the refrigerator) by Monday, November 23rd.

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Worship Service

November 8th, 2026 8:30 a.m.

Welcome/Announcements	
Prelude	*O Worship the King* Gospel Bells
Call to Worship*	
L: Be pleased, O God, to deliver us.	
P: Lord, make haste to help us.	
L: Let all who seek God rejoice and be glad;	
P: Let us who love God's salvation say:	
All: God is great!	
Passing the Peace*	
Opening Hymn*	*There's a Wideness in God's Mercy* UMH 121
Children's Moment	
Offertory	*Morning Has Broken* Gospel Bells
Doxology*	UMH 94
Centering Hymn	*Emmanuel, Emmanuel* UMH 204
Pastoral Prayer	
The Lord's Prayer	
Old Testament Reading	Daniel 3:1, 8-23
Gospel Reading*	Mark 16:9-20
Gloria Patri	UMH 70
Sermon	*"God With Us"* Pastor Bill Novak
Closing Hymn*	*Send the Light* CH 437 vs.1-3
Benediction	
Going Forth*	*Send the Light* vs.4
Postlude	

*Please stand if you are able

Scripture Reading

Mark 16:9-20

9 When Jesus rose early on the first day of the week, he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, out of whom he had driven seven demons. **10** She went and told those who had been with him and who were mourning and weeping. **11** When they heard that Jesus was alive and that she had seen him, they did not believe it.

12 Afterward Jesus appeared in a different form to two of them while they were walking in the country. **13** These returned and reported it to the rest; but they did not believe them either.

14 Later Jesus appeared to the Eleven as they were eating; he rebuked them for their lack of faith and their stubborn refusal to believe those who had seen him after he had risen.

15 He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation. **16** Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. **17** And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; **18** they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well."

19 After the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, he was taken up into heaven and he sat at the right hand of God. **20** Then the disciples went out and preached everywhere, and the Lord worked with them and confirmed his word by the signs that accompanied it.