

## **Church Profile 2026**

**Name of Church:** Mayo UMC

**Church Address:** 1005 Old Turkey Road

**City:** Edgewater **State:** MD **Zip Code:** 21035

**County:** Anne Arundel **District:** Two Rivers

**Parsonage:** Yes\_X\_\_ No \_\_\_ **Housing Allowance:** \$0 **Salary:** \$ 53,000

**Number of worship services:** 2 (8:15am and 10:15am)

**Average Worship Attendance:** In person: 20 at 8:15am and 60 at 10:15am Online: No live Stream

**Number of appointed clergy:** 1 **Number of additional paid staff:** 3 - PT

### **What are the characteristics of the church and community?**

We have strong community partnerships, especially with the local schools. Children regularly participate in worship. Mayo has a dynamic Children's Music Program, which includes a 3-year-old drummer and 8-year-old organist and The Turkey Point Singers, ages 3-17 years of age. Mayo's musician provides free music lessons to any child wanting to learn. We engage in many outreach programs such as Backpack Buddies, Gabriel Project, BrightView Sr Living etc. We have many military members, educators and nurses participating in the life of the church which allows us several opportunities for partnership outside the walls of our building. Our congregation, like the surrounding community, is predominantly Caucasian, with growing populations in Hispanic/Latino members. The community has the majority married couples with a few single parent families, opportunities for new ministries. Our community is searching for a non-judgement church, to develop meaningful spiritual connections.

### **What is the vision for the next 3-5 years?**

The vision is to live into the new hub system and collaborate with other congregations to increase discipleship and mission in our community. Mayo wants to continue to develop discipleship paths for all persons, but with a focused intent on youth and children. Connecting and integrating new persons into ministry and mission that allows them to grow as disciples is paramount in the vision.

### **What are the expectations of the pastor?**

- High energy and enthusiasm for ministry and mission
- Creative and adaptive leadership, including relational skills for people of all ages
- Ability to apply scripture to daily living for themselves and for others
- Provide pastoral care to our members through phone calls, visits, written correspondence
- Possibly be "tech savvy" and help us grow our digital footprint through social media
- Have financial awareness, and lead us through financial development, and stewardship
- Pastor effectively in a small, rural community