

WELCOME

The WFMC family is so glad you've joined us for worship! Here are some details that you may find helpful.

THE COMMUNICATION CARD is key to allowing us to welcome you fully. Please fill it out and, after worship, drop it by the Welcome Center where you'll find lots of information and a nice gift for every first-time visitor.

THE WORSHIP GUIDE in this folder will lead you through our service. We try to use elements, liturgy, and sacraments from a variety of Christian traditions to help lead people of all ages, stages, and tastes into the presence of God. Worship is participatory, so please join in prayer, word, giving, and song.

NURSERY for children up to 2 years is available for the entire morning in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP JR. (CWJR, age 2 and 3) is available all year for the entire morning worship service in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

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HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available in the foyer.

WHEELCHAIR SEATING is readily available in the center aisle or an usher will be glad to remove a sanctuary chair for your convenience.

THE WELCOME CENTER in the foyer is staffed before and after worship with friendly, helpful people who provide directions, information and answers.

PRAYER FOCUS: Lets pray that the Lord meets us all in unique ways during this holiest of weeks – that we might reach deeper depths of His grace and mercy.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS: AFRICA - Pray for Mike & Vicki Reynen, FM Area Directors for Africa. They travel extensively, speaking, teaching, training and encouraging missionaries and national church leaders.

HOME MISSION FOCUS: Pray for the Kentucky Refuge Ministries as they seek to lovingly serve those who have been displaced from their home countries for various reasons. Pray for refugees around the world.

YOUTH PRAYER FOCUS: *Christ the Lord is Risen Today - Hallelujah!*

This Wednesday night, the youth will meet for an outdoor hot dog roast here at WFMC. If the weather is bad, we'll just stay in the gym and roast the hot dogs in the oven. Bring a sweet or a salty item to accompany the hotdogs.

NURSERY:

	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 worship	G Proctor/K Roberge/LA Roberge S Sweigard	D Flanigan/F Reynolds/N Riffell
Sunday School	S Boileau/A Reifsnnyder/M Swaim	J Cline/T Kidwell/M Zweifel
10:50 Worship	P Diddle/J Lamiy/B Underwood C Winter	B Davis/M Branam/R Gouge R or S Gouge/G Stidom
6:00 Worship	No evening worship	M Dargan/A Warnock/C Winter
Wed. Evening	L Branam/K Winter	N Johns/R Zent

• **EASTER FLOWERS:** Thank you to all who sponsored Easter azaleas, daffodils and tulips for the sanctuary. You may take your flower(s) home at the conclusion of today's 10:50 a.m. service. If you don't remember your order, a master order sheet is posted at the Welcome Desk.

• **THANK YOU** Anita M, Barb C, Betsy B, Brian K, Faye M, Judy B, Lincoln T, Lyn S, Margaret D, Mark J, Melissa F, Paul J, Ruth C, Sommer T and Susie B for cleaning all the palm branches we used on Palm Sunday!

• **PLAYGROUND DEDICATION** Next Sunday just after morning worship, we'll have a brief dedication service for the Livingston Playground.

• **CONNECTIONS CLASS - A200:** If you are new to the church, have questions about opportunities, ministries, or ways to get connected at WFMC, come meet Pastor Daryl and the Belonging Team in A200 next Sunday, April 8, during the Sunday School/ABF hour, 9:40 a.m.

• **PRAYER FOR FAMILY MEMBERS WHO NEED CHRIST:** Join us as we meet at Monday, April 2, 7:00 p.m. at the home of Margaret Dargan, 191 Academy Dr., Wilmore, to pray for those in our families who need the Lord.

• **MEMBERSHIP CLASS:** Mark your calendar for the next Membership Class, a Saturday seminar April 14, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon, in room A200. Write "Membership" on your Communications Card if you are interested.

• **BIBLE QUIZ TEAM FERN SALE!** Our Quiz team is selling beautiful, large hanging ferns for your home for \$15.00 each, Saturday morning, April 28, 9:00 a.m. - noon (rain or shine), on the church front lawn. All profits go toward our trip to Quiz Nationals.

• **BLOOD DRIVE UPDATE:** Thank you for giving! We registered 19 people and provided enough donations to save the lives of 51 very grateful Kentucky patients. How about we double that donation number next time! (May 23 is our next blood drive.)

• **JOIN THE SANCTUARY CHOIR** as they begin working on music for the Singing Celebration May 13. Come to the Sanctuary next Sunday, April 8 at 5:00 p.m. for this short-term commitment to the choir.

EMPOWERED TO CONNECT CONFERENCE

Simulcast April 13-14, 2018

Hosted by WFMC

Come experience practical teaching in a safe and supportive community as we work to equip families, churches and professionals to better serve children impacted by adoption and foster care. Register at Eventbrite.com.

Questions? Contact Amy Kinnell: amykinnell@yahoo.com

CHURCH SOFTBALL: Softball starts soon and you can be involved either as a player or a fan! Males and females age 16 or older are welcome to play on the church team. Games are on Thursday nights and only a 90 minute time commitment. If you want to play on our church team, let Michael Dobie know ASAP at: mrd_112@hotmail.com or 576-3526 (call or text).



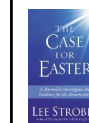
April Senior Adult Luncheon Friday, April 6

The April luncheon will feature sloppy joe sandwiches with cole slaw, chips, and ice cream sundaes prepared by Rosemary Nowitzki. Following the lunch we will be entertained by a hand bell concert featuring our own Andy Miller and Patrick Barnett from Asbury University. Join us in Building C at 12:00 noon.



Ladies—join our fun group of ladies for a yummy dinner and good conversation Monday, April 9. We will meet at Panera at Brannon Crossing at 6:00 p.m. Questions? Contact Rachael at 859-608-2147.

Outreach Resources 2018



The Case for Easter -

Journalist Investigates the Evidence for the Resurrection by Lee Strobel
A more cerebral and objective book written to disprove Christianity and the resurrection.



The 3:16 Promise - He loves. He gave. We believe. We live.

By Max Lucado
A word-by-word journey through the life-changing verse found in John 3:16. A perfect tool for introducing God's grace and plan of salvation.



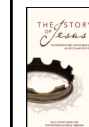
He Did This Just for You By Max Lucado

A more subjective and story-oriented work designed to tell the story of Jesus in a conversational and narrative manner.



Raised? Finding Jesus by Doubting the Resurrection

Authors Dodson & Watson don't shy away from the hard questions or settle for easy answers. They help you to see how the resurrection offers hope for the future and answers for the life and death questions we all face.



The Story of Jesus - Experience the Life of Jesus as one seamless story.

Selections from the NIV
A small book with a big message this booklet uses the text of the NIV to offer a concise, revealing narrative of the most significant human being who ever lived.



The First Easter Ever

A simple retelling of the Easter story, families can share this story of God's promise of everlasting love each Easter season.

Please take as many copies as you can give away to non-believing friends, co-workers, neighbors, and family.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF APRIL 1, 2018

TODAY

8:00 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer—B106
8:30 a.m. Morning Worship I
9:40 a.m. Sunday School, Adult and Youth Bible Fellowships
10:50 a.m. Morning Worship II
No musical rehearsals today
No evening services; no afterglows

MONDAY

Public Schools Spring Break
No A.M. Ramblers
10:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study @ Metcalf home, 20 Veterans Dr.
7:00 p.m. Prayer for Unsaved family—191 Academy Drive

TUESDAY

6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting—A200
NO Youth Prayer Breakfast
8:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200
9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study @ Moore home, 117 Hawthorne Dr, Nich.
NO Chimes or Bell Choirs
7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball—CMC

WEDNESDAY

No A.M. Ramblers
No *Silver Bells Handbell Choir*
4:55 p.m. Bible Quizzing—B100s
NO Friendship Company; NO Young Musicians
6:30 p.m. FMY (Free Methodist Youth) Hot Dog Roast—Building C
7:00 p.m. Adult Prayer Meeting—B200/201
Children 4 yrs-5th grade meet downstairs in A100
(NO CLC due to Spring Break)
Nursery/Childcare—Building B Preschool Wing

THURSDAY

10:00 a.m. Common Threads—B107
2:00 p.m. Prayer for the Nation—178 Wesley Dr, Wilmore

FRIDAY

No A.M. Ramblers
12:00 noon Sr. Adult Luncheon—Building C
4:00 p.m. Bible Quiz Team and Newcomers Quiz Team to Bedford, IN

SATURDAY

10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service
3:00 p.m. Youth Open Gym—Building C

MOMS WHO PRAY will not be meeting the first Thursday of the month due to spring break. They begin again April 19.

SAVE THE DATES - more details to come:

Bridal Shower for Jenna Filipiak (Adam Schell's fiancée)
Saturday, April 21, 1-3 p.m. @ Evans home, Wilmore
Baby Shower for Sara Sweigard
Monday, April 23, 7-9 p.m. church Hospitality Room

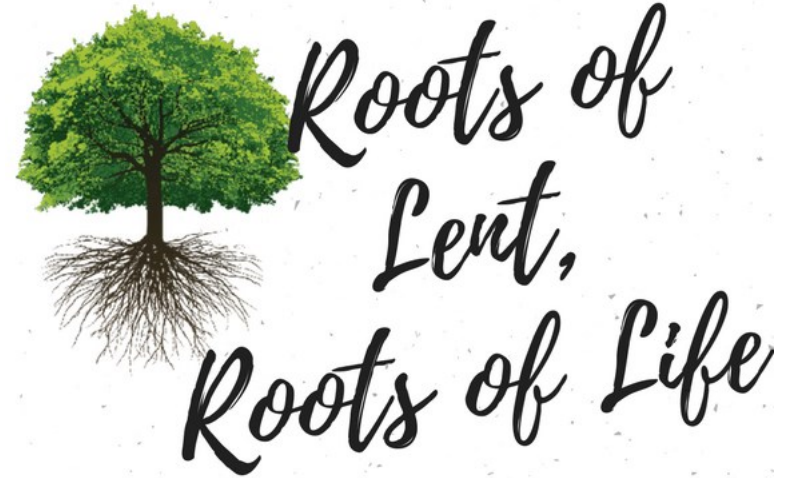
PRAYER SEEKING SALVATION: *Lord Jesus, I know I have sinned against You. I believe that You died for me, and I place my trust in You. Forgive my sins and save me from the judgment to come. Help me to turn from my sin and live a life wholly devoted to You.*

PRAYER SEEKING SANCTIFICATION: *Lord Jesus, I recognize my need for holiness. Purify me of all that is unlike You, fill me with Your Holy Spirit until I am totally Yours, and set me apart for Your purposes from this day forward.*

If you seek or have found salvation or sanctification today, please let a member of the pastoral staff know. We're here to help you on your journey.

Roots of Lent, Roots of Life: Worship
Matthew 28:1-20

Pastor Daryl



CD'S OF MORNING AND EVENING MESSAGES ARE AVAILABLE.
Note "Message" and date on a Communication Card at the Welcome Center and pick up your CD the following Sunday. A donation of \$2.00 is requested to cover costs. Messages may also be freely downloaded at www.wilmorefmc.org.



WILMORE
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APRIL 1, 2018
EASTER / RESURRECTION DAY

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CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Dwight

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

How do you respond to someone who gives His life for you? You give, in return, all you have to give. Money is just a part of it. You give your attention, your time, your hopes and dreams and submit them all to the One who let you live – who made possible every good thing you have. This is why we give to Jesus and to His work in the world today.

OFFERTORY

arr. Michael Cox

I Know that My Redeemer Lives
Sanctuary Choir

DOXOLOGY*

Hymnal 625 (OLD HUNDREDTH)

*Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Children may now leave for Children's Worship

VICTORIOUS SONGS CELEBRATING THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

Hymnal 215	<i>Alleluia! Alleluia!!</i>
Hymnal 216	<i>Christ Arose (stanzas 1 & 2)</i>
Hymnal 217	<i>Christ the Lord Is Risen Today</i>

MESSAGE

Pastor Daryl

Roots of Lent, Roots of Life: Worship

BENEDICTION

SONG OF RESPONSE

Hymnal 37	<i>Hallelujah Chorus</i>
Sanctuary Choir & Congregation	

POSTLUDE

Joachim Neander, *arr.* Alan Smith
He Is Risen!

WORSHIP GUIDE

God is so glad you've set aside this time to worship Him. He inhabits the praise of His people. As we gather, please take a moment to ask God to prepare us for worship - to open our ears and minds to His voice, and to freely apply His word to our hearts and lives. Please also take a moment now to silence all electronic devices so that the Lord might have opportunity to freely speak to all.

GATHERING

<i>Welcome, Happy Morning!</i>	arr. Lani Smith
<i>Thine Is the Glory (Hymnal 227)</i>	arr. Anna Laura Page
<i>This Joyful Day of Days</i>	arr. Dale Wood
<i>Alleluia! Jesus Is Risen</i>	arr. Karl Osterland

MUSIC MINISTRY

Craig Courtney
The Tomb Stands Open Wide!
Sanctuary Choir

Welcome to Worship!

If you are visiting with us for the first time and are searching for a church home, please fill out the Communication Card and turn it in at the Welcome Center in the foyer, where you'll receive a nice gift - our way of saying, "We're honored by your visit." Returning guests and regular attendees, please note your attendance and requests on the Communication Card, then place it in the offering plate.

TRIUMPHANT SONGS OF CHRIST'S RESURRECTION

Hymnal 225	<i>Worship Christ the Risen King (stanzas 1-3)</i>
Hymnal 220	<i>He Lives (stanzas 1 & 3)</i>

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 105	<i>He Is Lord</i>
<i>He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!</i>	
<i>Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.</i>	
(CCLI Member)	

PRAYER

Pastor Daryl

GOD'S WORD TO US

Matthew 28:1-20
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Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

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