

WELCOME

We're so glad you've joined us for Worship today! Here are some details that you may find helpful in your first visit here.

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.

PRAYER FOCUS: Let's be sure to pray for the effectiveness of the church around the world—that She would stand firm in conviction and service to Christ, in spite of the pressures the world puts upon Her.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS -THAILAND: Pray for Golf & Bethany Tonglamun as they serve in northern Thailand among the hill tribes—minority groups that have emigrated from neighboring countries. Pray for their daughter Eliana.

HOME MISSION FOCUS: Pray for Refuge for Women, the staff, and the women in need. Pray that human trafficking in all forms will be eradicated. Pray for healing for those who have been used and abused by others.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Hey Class of 2019 Seniors! Get your sleeping bag and hiking boots ready! We are going on our annual Senior Camping Trip to Fall Creek Falls State Park in TN. Camping Trip packets are available on the youth table. Please get your name on the list by Wednesday, August 29.

NURSERY:

	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	L Branan/J Goforth/O Proctor M Woki	G Proctor/K Roberge/L Roberge S Sweigard
Sunday School	J Lovell/D Roxberry	A Reifsnnyder/M Swaim
10:50 Worship	MK Kidwell/BK McMillen C Thompson/H Wheelock	P Diddle/B Lashbrook/B Underwood
6:00 Worship	A Blankenship/K Madill C McGlothlin/I Raymond	B Bowers/J Bowers/H Miller
Wed. Evening	L Branan/K Winter	S Baldwin/L Branan

• *Thanks so much to David Gyertson (former president of Asbury University), Art Brown (former pastor of Wilmore FMC) and Ted Moon (former OMS missionary to Taiwan) for preaching while Pastor Daryl recovers from surgery. Thank you all for your prayers and cards. Healing is ongoing and I should be back very soon. - Pastor Daryl*

• **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP** for children age 4 through grade 3 resumes today. Please read important details in the left panel of this worship folder.

• **CHILDREN & YOUTH MUSIC MINISTRIES** - Most church choirs begin rehearsals on Sunday, September 9, Tuesday September 11 and Wednesday September 12. Children and youth may sign up at "Music Central" just inside the entrance to Building B, next to the stairs.

• **CHRISTIAN LIFE CLUB (CLC)** begins Wednesday, September 5, for ages 2 years through 5th grade, 7:00 p.m. No need to sign up - just come! BUT - if you haven't filled out a yellow registration card for your child to participate in our church's activities, please see Cheryl Schell. Summer Fun meets for the last time this Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

• **ESTHER JAMES MEMORIAL SERVICE** will be this Saturday, September 1, 11:00 a.m. here in our church sanctuary. All are welcome to join in this celebration of her life! In lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorials be given to the Esther James Fund for Africa Missions, c/o The Free Methodist Foundation, PO Box 580, Spring Arbor, MI 49283

• **MEMBERSHIP CLASS:** Mark your calendar for the next Membership Class, held for four Sundays in September, at 9:40 a.m. during the ABF hour. Interested in attending the class which begins September 9? Write "Membership" on your Communication Card. The class gives a comprehensive introduction to our church, denomination, and beliefs. Come and investigate - no commitment is required to simply take the class.

• **MARRIAGE VIDEO SERIES** is coming Wednesday nights September 12-October 17, 7-8:00 p.m. Check the insert for more details.

• **PLANNING FOR EMERGENCIES: A GIFT TO YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS:** Do you know what to do to protect yourself and your loved ones if an accident and/or sickness prevent you from being able to handle your own affairs? Attorney Kimberly Barnard will address the simple measures you can take to avoid many complications. Also, learn what to do if you find yourself caring for a loved one who cannot make their own decisions. Topics will include documents needed for emergencies, legal steps necessary if documents are non-existent or insufficient, and resources available. Mark your calendar for Wednesday night, September 19, 7:00 p.m. in B104.

• **HUDDLE TIME** - The Fall after-school reading program begins soon and we need volunteers willing to meet with Wilmore Elementary school students on Tuesday afternoons, 3:00-4:30 p.m. at the church. Volunteers will read one-on-one, play games, review basic math facts, and provide homework help. All materials are provided and no experience is needed, just a willingness to love and encourage the children in their studies. **Volunteers only** will meet September 11 at 3:00 p.m. then the first session to welcome the children will be September 18. Write "Huddle" on your communication card or contact Jessica Bowers at: brianandjessicabowers@gmail.com.

Bible Quiz Informational Meeting Tonight—August 26, B104

For youth in grades 6 through 12

Interested in seeing what Bible Quizzing is all about? Join us for an informational meeting tonight — note the two times offered: at 4:30 p.m. we begin with new quizzers and parents only, and then 5:15 p.m. for returning quizzers and parents. Questions? Contact Jenny Madill at: kjmadill5@gmail.com.



Unbroken: Path to Redemption Webcast Wednesday, Sept. 12, 7:00 p.m. B104

Drawing from the amazing story of Louie Zamperini (a WWII POW who came home still fighting mental and emotional battles before finding faith at a Billy Graham Crusade), Dr. Dick Tibbits will present research and scientifically documented findings that show the healing power of forgiveness.

All are welcome!

Questions? Contact Matt Kinnell: kinnell01@yahoo.com

A New, Short-Term Adult Elective
"Christ-Centered Parenting:
Gospel Conversations on
Complex Cultural Issues"

This six-week elective includes a 30-minute video, followed by group discussion. Topics include: gender issues, suicide, depression, anxiety pornography, and addiction.

Presented by
the WFCM Family Ministries Team.

Sundays, September 2-October 7
9:40 a.m., Room B107

Questions?
Contact Rachel Weinberger
at rachel@nichpeds.com,
or 859-576-0397, or
the WFCM
office.



A New, Long-Term Adult Bible Fellowship

young families

This long-term ABF is especially for young married couples just starting out (with or without children) and single parents.

"**young families**" promises a relaxed atmosphere for sharing and studying God's Word together, as well as social opportunities.

Begins TODAY, August 26
9:40 a.m., Room C202

Questions? Contact class leaders
Dave & Carol Coulliette
Art & Sylvia Brown
Paul & Sue Hamaan

Ladies & Girls! Come to a drop-in

Bridal Shower

in honor of

Marlee Faul

Saturday, September 8, 1:00-3:00 p.m.
C202 Hospitality Room

Marlee & David are registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond.
Questions? Call Cheryl Faul @ 865-622-1756



WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF AUGUST 26, 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
- 4:30 p.m. Quiz Info Meeting—B104
- 5:30 p.m. Pre-Service Prayer—B106
- 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship
- 7:15 p.m. Sidewalk Social
- No Afterglows—enjoy Sidewalk Social!
- Prayer Team Meeting—A200

MONDAY

TUESDAY

- 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting— A200
- 7:15 a.m. Youth Prayer Breakfast—Building C
- 8:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200
- 7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball—Building C

WEDNESDAY

- 4:55 p.m. Bible quizzing Rookies only—B100s
- 6:30 p.m. FM Youth (no meal)—Building C
- 7:00 p.m. Adult Prayer Meeting—B200/201
- Summer Fun, Grades 1-4—A100 Wing
- Summer Fun, Kindergarten & under— Building B Preschool
- Nursery—Building B Preschool

THURSDAY

- 2:00 p.m. Prayer for the Nation—178 Wesley Dr., Wilmore

FRIDAY

- 4:00 p.m. HS Seniors depart for TN Camping Trip

SATURDAY

- 10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service

UPCOMING CALENDAR ITEMS FOR AUGUST / SEPTEMBER

Here are some highlights of events coming up:

- August 26 Children's Worship begins
- August 26 Bible Quiz Info meeting for 2018-2019
- August 26 Sidewalk Social following evening worship
- August 31 High School Seniors Camping Weekend
- Sept 2 Adult Elective Christ Centered Parenting, 6 Sundays
- Sept 5 CLC Begins / FM Fall Youth Roundup
- Sept 6 Ladies' Volleyball begins
- Sept 9 Music Rehearsals begin
- Sept 9 Membership Classes—4 Sundays
- Sept 12 Marriage Video Series begins Wednesday nights
- Sept 12 Young adult Bible study begins Wednesday nights
- Sept 12 "Unbroken" Webcast
- Sept 16 Pie/Ice Cream Social
- Sept 19 Planning For Emergencies Seminar

Only the Best for His Own

Art Brown

Philippians 1:12-30



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



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.

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CHILDREN'S TIME

Amy Cooper

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GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

What do we have, really, to give to God? It's not like He needs our money, although He uses it productively. When you think about it, money is just a symbol. What God really wants is for us to give Him ourselves...just like He gave Himself to us in Christ.

OFFERTORY

Lord of All
Joy Ireland, soloist

Phill McHugh

DOXOLOGY*

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

Hymnal 758 (BULA)

SONGS OF ASSURANCE

Hymnal 463
Hymnal 405

Precious Lord, Take My Hand
My Faith Has Found a Resting Place

MESSAGE

Only the Best for His Own

Art Brown

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Lead On, O King Eternal (Hymnal 483)

arr. Jason Payne

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

This Is My Father's World (Hymnal 58)

arr. Bob Kauflin

My Faith Looks Up to Thee (Hymnal 410)

arr. Craig Curry

Crown Him with Many Crowns (Hymnal 234)

arr. Lloyd Larson

Welcome to Worship!

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SONGS OF PRAISE AND TESTIMONY

Hymnal 66

To God Be the Glory

Hymnal 520

Redeemed

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 429

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send Your Spirit in this place;

Lord, listen to Your children praying, Send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

(CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Emeritus Dean Cook

GOD'S WORD TO US

Philippians 1:12-30
(Page 830)

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.