

Please help us be hospitable to you by filling out the white COMMUNICATION CARD and dropping it by the Welcome Center in the main foyer. Here are a

few items that are good to know about our worship gatherings.

The Worship Guide will lead you through the worship services. We try to use elements of liturgy from a variety of ages and Christian traditions to help people of all ages, stages and tastes actively participate in worship.

NURSERY for children up to 2 years is available in *Building B Pre-school Wing* (Main Floor) for the entire morning every Sunday.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP JR. (CWJR - ages 2 & 3) is available in Building B Preschool Wing (Main Floor) for the entire morning every Sunday.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP (CW) for children age 4 through grade 3 meets in Rooms Al02 and Al04 downstairs. After the Children's Time, children return to their families, then leave the Sanctuary during the doxology where they will be escorted by CW Staff. Following 8:30 worship, parents of children ages 4 through Kindergarten must pick up their children from Room Al04. Children in grades 1-3 will be taken to their Sunday School classroom. Following 10:50 worship, parents must pick up their children from Al02 or Al04 downstairs.

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available in the fover.

WHEELCHAIR SEATING is 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 each service with friendly, helpful people who can give directions, provide information, and answer your questions. Please stop by, especially if you're new to WFMC.

<u>PRAYER FOCUS</u>: Pray for our Jail Ministry at Jessamine County Detention Center and the Rest Home service led weekly at Diversicare in Nicholasville. Pray for encouragement for the leaders and fruit from the ministries.

MISSION FOCUS: PORTUGAL: Pray for Eduardo & Cindy Angelos as they minister in Lisbon, focusing on planting pioneer churches, reaching the lost, training new Christians and releasing them to be leaders.

<u>CALVARY RESTART FOCUS:</u> Pray for us as we continue to work with an engineer to go before the city of Lexington with a plan for a future parking lot expansion. Pray for wisdom and grace for us and for the city.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Pray for our youth as they live out the call to follow Jesus in their schools, with their friends, on their teams, at their jobs. Pray that they will be gracious, hopeful, truthful, and loving in all their ways.

NURSERY STAFF:

| | Today/This Week | <u>Next Week</u> |
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| 9:30 Worship | B & E Randall/O Proctor | N Ellwood/S Folsom/F Jamison |
| | K Roberge | |
| Sunday School | J Lovell/D Roxberry | B Barker/R Cooper |
| 10:50 Worship | MK Kidwell/BK McMillen C Thompson/H Wheelock | K Barnard/C Padgett/K Padgett R Padgett |
| 6:00 Worship | A Blankenship/K Madill C McGlothlin/I Raymond | C Coulliette/P Gilmore/S Thompson |
| Wed. Evening | A Allen/B Wheelock | L Branan/K Winter |

- 2016 YEAR-END GIVING STATEMENTS are ready for pick-up in the church foyer. Thank you so much for your faithful giving to the Lord's work.
- Membership Class: Mark your calendar for the next Membership Class, held for four Sundays in February, at 9:40 a.m. during the ABF hour. Interested in attending the class which begins February 5? 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.
- SILVER BELLS: Are you 60 or older? Have you ever watched handbells and liked them? If yes, then we have something for you. Come be a part of the Silver Bells handbell ensemble. This opportunity will be Wednesdays from 1:30-3:00 p.m., from Feb. 1-April 24. No experience necessary.
- SPECIAL PRAYER FOR OUR NATION continues as the focus of a weekly prayer group, Thursdays at 2:00 p.m. This group meets for one hour every Thursday at the home of Martha Sparks, 178 Wesley Drive, (Wesley Village). Questions? Call Martha Sparks at 858-0474.
- "NEWCOMER" BIBLE QUIZZING: The annual opportunity for Bible quizzing begins soon (February through April). This is a chance for 5th-7th graders who have never quizzed before to try it in an abbreviated way. A Parent/Newcomer Information Meeting will be Sunday, February 5, at 5:00 p.m., in room B106. Practices are nine weeks, Wednesday evenings (Feb 8 April 8), 4:50-6:30 p.m. Please attend the meeting to find out more information. Questions? Contact Coach Pam Hiatt.
- QUESTIONS ABOUT THE YOUTH CALENDAR? Want to sign up for Afterglows? Need to sign up for an event? The youth bulletin board is in Building C near the kitchen. Please stop by and catch up on the calendar, the Afterglow schedule, and upcoming youth events. You may also check the youth ministry page on the website or send Pastor Andrea an email.

Save the Date! The home mission's team invites you help end homelessness by participating in the upcoming WALK FOR WARMTH

Lexington Rescue Mission "Walk for Warmth" in Phoenix Park on February 18. Register online at www.lexingtonrescue.org.



Common Threads begins February 9!

Thursdays, 10:00-12:00

Common Threads is a group who gathers weekly to make the beautiful prayer shawls ready and available for church members to pick up and give to sick or troubled friends. Plan to join us! Every interested person, novice or experienced, is welcome!

Come back tonight and join us for our Sunday Evening Worship service, 6:00 p.m.
Tonight: Minor Prophet, Major Message - Zechariah with Pastor Daryl



This may be the most important time in our nation's history to pray for her leadership. One way is to join the the Presidential Prayer Team.

At http://www.presidentialprayerteam.com you

will find helpful reminders/ideas for how to pray for our national leaders.

SCHOOL OUTREACH TEAM BOOK DRIVE

Do you have books your child no longer needs? Donate them to the Jessamine Early Learning Village Book Drive. Place them in the Book Drive collection box in the church foyer. Books should be:

- *for infants and children through 2nd grade
- *New or gently used
- *without torn pages or writing in them
- Please no magazines, textbooks, outdated nonfiction, encyclopedias sets or coloring books.





WFMC is a church that serves!
Would you like to know what, where, and how?
Check out the SERVE tab on our website at: wilmorefmc.org.
Discover the opportunities that await your initiative to serve the body.



2017 SPIRITUAL RENEWAL WEEK, FEBRUARY 12-15! Mark your calendars now and plan on attending these four days of services. Pray for Roy Lauter who will be sharing the Word, and pray for our church body that we will commit to giving God the space and time in our lives to speak a new word to us through this renewal week.

Kentucky-born native and graduate of Asbury University and longtime friend and member of WFMC, Roy and wife Sue are proud parents of daughter Lori and

husband Rich Wright, and proud grandparents of Nathan (26) and Benjamin (22). Roy brings over 56 years of ministry experience involving preaching, story-telling, mentoring, teaching and missions. A mountain boy at heart. Roy prefers little to no introduction except to say, "Here's Roy!" Pray for him as he prepares, and for our receptivity to what God has in store.



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2017

TODAY 8:00 a.m. Pre-Service Prayer—B107 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 Tintinnabulation Handbell Choir—Asbury University 3:30 p.m. Chimes of Joy—B102; Allegro Handbell Choir—Sanctuary 4:30 p.m. Marriage Ministry Team Meeting--A200 Heaven's Harmony—B100, Youth Choir—B101 4:45 p.m. Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary Evening Worship - with Pastor Daryl 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. HS & MS Combined Afterglow @ Building C Prayer Team Meeting-A200 7:15 p.m.

MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study—Metcalf home, 20 Veterans Dr.

TUESDAY

6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting—C203

7:15 a.m. Youth Prayer Breakfast—Building C Great Hall

8:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200
6:15 p.m. Blessings Handbell Choir—Sanctuary
7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball—Building C
7:30 p.m. Joyful Bells Choir—Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY

4:50 p.m. Bible Quizzing—A106

6:00 p.m. FMY (Free Methodist Youth)—Building C Great Hall

6:15 p.m. Friendship Company —B101; Young Musicians —B100

7:00 p.m. Adult Prayer Meeting—B201

CLC (Christian Life Club) 2 yrs old—5th grade

2 yrs. - K: Building B Preschool Wing

1st - 5th grade: A100 Wing

Nursery/Childcare—Building B Preschool Wing

THURSDAY

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

FRIDAY

5:00 p.m. High School Ski Trip

SATURDAY

10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service

3:00 p.m. Open Gym

HAZARDOUS WEATHER POLICY: If public school is cancelled, all morning church events that day will be cancelled.

Cancellation of afternoon and evening events will be determined by late morning, case by case. Check the church web page

determined by late morning, case by case. Check the church web page (look for the snowflake) or call the church office. For Sunday events, please check the church website or local news.

God and Government: Tax, Revenue, Respect & Honor Pastor Daryl Romans 13:1-7

CD'S OF MORNING AND EVENING MESSAGES ARE AVAILABLE.

Note "Message" and date on a Communication Card or at the Welcome Center and pick up your CD the following Sunday. A donation of \$2.00 helps to cover costs.

PRAYER SEEKING SALVATION: Lord Jesus, I know that 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 sins and live my life wholly for You, seeking to be obedient to You in everything.

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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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Our giving this morning is one of our expressions of worship and thanks to the Lord for all He is and all He has done for us. Just as He did not skimp on His grace in giving us Christ, we do not skimp in our praise. We give willingly, with cheerful and glad hearts.

OFFERTORY

John Ness Beck

A Joyful Noise (Psalm 100) Sanctuary Choir

DOXOLOGY*

Hymnal 758 (BULA)

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.

*Children may now leave for Children's Worship

SONGS OF EXEMPLIFYING GOD'S STANDARDS TO THE WORLD

Hymnal 387 O to Be Like Thee! (stanzas 1 & 2) Hymnal 456 Reaching for Excellence

MESSAGE Pastor Daryl

God and Government: Tax. Revenue, Respect and Honor

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Gilbert Martin

Sing to His Name!

P Help for the hearing impaired is available. See an usher for assistance.

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

To Greet the MorningDavid Paxton"Allegro" from Organ Concerto #2G.F. HandelA Joyous AcclamationLani SmithVariations on "God of Grace" (Hymnal 292)arr. Raymond Haan

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.

SONGS OF GOD'S INCOMPREHENSIBLE LOVE

Hymnal 67 The Love of God (stanzas 1 & 3)
Insert How Deep the Father's Love for Us

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 165 Adoration

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness: Bow down before Him, His glory proclaim; With gold of obedience and incense of lowliness,

Kneel and adore Him: the Lord is His name!

Fear not to enter His presence in poverty, Bearing no gifts to present as your own.

Bring truth in its beauty and love in its purity;

These are the offerings to lay at His throne. (CCLI Member)

PRAYER Pastor Daryl

GOD'S WORD TO US

Romans 13:1-7 (Page 804)

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

All: Thanks be to God.