

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Please help us be hospitable to you by filling out the white COMMUNICATION CARD and dropping it by the Welcome Center. There is a place for you to worship, serve and be known here.



The WORSHIP GUIDE will lead you through worship. We use elements, liturgy and sacraments from a variety of Christian traditions and times to help people of all ages, stages and tastes actively participate in worshipping God together.

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HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available in the foyer.

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

PRAYER FOCUS: Let's pray for one another as many of us will see family members who need Christ this week.

CPT PRAYER FOCUS: During construction it has been advantageous for us to take on small projects to enhance the final outcome of the project. Pray for additional resources and gifts to cover the cost of these.

MISSION FOCUS: THAILAND: Pray for Bethany Ury Tonglamun who serves with OneMissionSociety's human trafficking prevention ministry. She partners with a local Bangkok church.

CALVARY RESTART FOCUS: We praise God for an exciting Community Thanksgiving Dinner last Wednesday. Pray for unity in our church, especially in light of last week's elections. Satan would love to divide us.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Note, there is no youth prayer breakfast or youth group this week, due to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Spend time with family and friends, giving Thanks to God for His faithfulness! Bible Quizzing will meet on Tuesday, 11/22, 4:45-6:25p.

NURSERY STAFF:

	Today/This Week	Next Week
8:30 Worship	B Branan/H Branan/E Brown K Winter	O Proctor/B&E Randall/K Roberge
Sunday School	F Holley/S Kusche/LL Rao	J Lovell/D Roxberry
10:50 Worship	R Branan/E Davila/K Thomas R Wittenberg	MK Kidwell/BK McMillen C Thompson/H Wheelock
6:00 Worship	All-church Thanksgiving Dinner	C Blankenship/M Branan C McGlothlin
Wed. Evening	No evening activities	A Allen/B Wheelock

• IN ANTICIPATION OF THE THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY, please have all announcements for the Nov 27 worship folder to the church office by **Monday, November 21 (tomorrow)**. The church offices will be closed noon Wednesday through Friday.

• THANK-YOU to all that came out to spruce up the church both inside and outside on Saturday. The giving of your time and effort demonstrates commitment to even the smallest detail in the care of the church.

• CHURCH ACTIVE WORSHIP DIRECTORY 2017: Please take a moment today or tonight at the Thanksgiving social, to stop in the Great Hall, Building C and check your entry in the final draft of our Active Worship directory for 2017. Pages are posted around the gym walls. Use a red pen (provided) to make necessary changes, or make a check mark to indicate all is correct. If you call WFMC your church home, we want you in the directory, whether or not you are a formal member. Last minute photos are also accepted today only. Please e-mail them to office@wfmc.net.

• CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME to Megan Kidwell, the new team leader for our Home Missions Team.

• MERCY DRIVERS NEEDED. From time to time, several in our church family need a ride to a doctor's appointment, car repair, or even to church. This is a wonderful opportunity to minister to real needs in the church body. If you're willing to be placed on a "contact me" list, please write "Driver" on your Communication Card and the office will contact you. It is understood that you have the freedom to decline or accept, as it fits your schedule.

• YOUR AMAZON PURCHASES BENEFITS WFMC! When purchasing through Amazon, choose *smile.amazon.com* & select WFMC as your charity of choice. When you do so, Amazon contributes .5% of all qualified purchases to our church.

• OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: Thank you to all of you who provided Christmas Shoeboxes! You are giving 118 children a spectacular Christmas, and will help spread the love of Jesus to children in all parts of the world. A special thank you to the ladies who did the final check: Marcia B., Pat G., Bonnie K., Lyn S., and Peggy T. What a church!

• FREE CONCERT AT ASBURY UNIVERSITY THIS WEEK:
Monday - Senior Recital: Christa Neal, viola, & Fred Mbesi, composition, 7:30 p.m., Akers. (Our own Dr. Don Zent and Adam Schell will be featured.)



Ladies' Christmas Party
Monday, December 5
6:30 p.m. at Weinbergers,
202 Riney B Way, Nicholasville
Ladies - please bring your favorite appetizer to share. Questions? Call Rachel Weinberger at 859-576-0397.

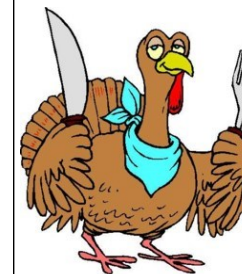
All-Church Thanksgiving Dinner

TONIGHT!

The church will provide
Turkey, Dressing & Potatoes

Please bring **TWO (2)** dishes:

1. Vegetable or salad and
2. Bread or dessert



Hot Chocolate Outreach

Wilmore Old Fashioned Christmas December 3

One-hour shifts will begin at 5:30 p.m.
and end at 8:30 p.m.

Please write "**Chocolate**"
on your Communication Card today

WFMC is hosting the
BLUEGRASS OPEN BIBLE QUIZ

January 7, 2017

You are invited to come and support our WFMC Quiz team and watch these teens in an actual competition with 10-12 other churches coming from Missouri to New York! As the host church, we are responsible to provide lodging and a noon meal on Saturday and we need your help in these two areas:



LODGING

If you have a spare bedroom or two, or family room with a couch, floor space, etc., and would be willing to host two or more quizzers and/or adults on Friday evening, January 6, please email housing coordinator Renee Riffell at:

benren96@gmail.com, or the church office at: office@wfmc.net. (Quizzers will bring their sleeping bags and can sleep on floors.)

LUNCHEON

Carol Blankenship is coordinating a lasagna luncheon and needs help! If you can donate a pan (or 2) of lasagna, cookies or donate money to purchase supplies, please contact her. We also need help preparing, serving, and cleaning up the day of the quiz. Contact Carol Blankenship at: cblankenship@wfmc.net.

Thank you -- we can't host this event without your help!

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF NOVEMBER 20, 2016

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**
3:30 p.m. *Tintinnabulation Handbell Choir—Asbury University*
Allegro Handbell Choir—B107; NO Chimes of Joy
4:45 p.m. *Heaven's Harmony—B100; NO Youth Choir*
Christmas Choir—B201
World Mission Team Meeting—B202
6:00 p.m. All-church Thanksgiving Dinner—Building C Great Hall
No Afterglows - enjoy the Thanksgiving Dinner

MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study—Metcalfs, 20 Veterans Dr, Wilmore

TUESDAY

6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting—C203
NO Youth Prayer Breakfast
8:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Meeting—B203
9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study—Moores, 117 Hawthorne Dr., Nich.
5:00-8:00 p.m. Bible Quizzing & Dinner—A100s/B100
7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball—Building C

WEDNESDAY

Church office closes at noon
No Wednesday evening activities

THURSDAY

Church offices closed
No campus activities



*Give Thanks to the Lord for He is good
His love endures forever.
Ps. 107:1*

FRIDAY

Church offices closed
No campus activities

SATURDAY

10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service
No Open Gym

Why the Church? Why Is He Here?

John 16:5-16

Pastor Daryl



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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NOVEMBER 20, 2016

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CHILDREN'S TIME

Caitlin Gothay

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

The Lord gives and gives to us. Each day we have new things for which to thank Him...His mercy truly is new every morning. As the ushers receive our offerings to the Lord today, let's not just listen to the music. Let's pray to Him a prayer of thanksgiving for just a few of the blessings we have in our lives...blessings from His hand, because He cares for us.

OFFERTORY

arr. Linda R. Lamb

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Hymnal 8)
Chimes of Joy & Silver Bells

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 ADORATION TO GOD

Hymnal 5

Be Exalted, O God

Hymnal 4

How Great Thou Art (stanzas 1, 3, 4)

MESSAGE

Pastor Daryl

Why the Church? Why is He Here?

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

arr. Mark Hayes

Come Christians Join to Sing (Hymnal 108)

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

A Jubilant Ring

Barbara Baltzer Kinyon

God So Loved the World (Hymnal 207)

arr. Kevin McChesney

Come, Christians, Join to Sing (Hymnal 108)

arr. F. Thomas Simpson

Tintinnabulation Handbell 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.

CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalm 95

All: Come, let's sing for joy to the Lord. Let's shout praises to the Rock who saves us!

Let's come to Him with thanksgiving and sing songs to Him.

The Lord is the Great God - the Great King over all gods.

The deepest places on earth are His and the highest mountains belong to Him.

Come, let's bow down and worship Him.

Let's kneel before the Lord who made us, for He is our God and we are His people.

SONGS OF THANKSGIVING

Hymnal 559

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

Hymnal 561

We Gather Together

CALL TO PRAYER

Supplement B11

Give Thanks

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One,

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son. (Repeat)

And now let the weak say "I am strong," let the poor say "I am rich"

Because of what the Lord has done for us. (Repeat)

(CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Daryl

GOD'S WORD TO US

John 16:5-16

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

All: Thanks be to God.

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