

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 keep our elections in serious prayer these next days. May the Lord have mercy on our nation.

CPT PRAYER FOCUS: Pray for the successful completion of work for each subcontractor on our project. This will keep to a minimum of issues for the final check list.

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

CALVARY RESTART FOCUS: Pray for our Fall Haul Ball Y'all outreach Saturday, November 5. We still need more vendors. We hope to meet some new people and engage with our neighbors through this outreach.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Please pray for the youth who have gathered at Eagle Ridge Retreat Center this weekend. Pray for the groups as they travel home today, putting into everyday life the decisions and commitments they've made this weekend. Thank you for praying for our youth!

NURSERY STAFF:

	<u>Today/This Week</u>	<u>Next Week</u>
8:30 Worship	N Ellwood/S Folsom/F Jamison	K Bickert/L Branan/G Proctor S Sweigard
Sunday School	B Barker/R Cooper	S Boileau/M Swaim
10:50 Worship	K Barnard/K Padgett/CPadgett R Padgett	M Dargan/P Diddle B Underwood/C Winter
6:00 Worship	C Coulliette/P Gilmore/S Thompson	J Bowers/H Miller/K Winter
Wed. Evening	K Winter/L Branan	N Johns/R Zent

**Sunday Evening Worship:
A Time of Remembrance
Holy Communion**
Join us as we honor the memory of church and family members

- **BLOOD DRIVE COMING SOON!** The KY Blood Center is scheduled to be at our church on Wednesday, November 9th. Mark your calendars and come out and donate the gift of life.
- **PRIMETIMER'S LUNCHEON:** All those 60 years old or better are invited to a potluck lunch Friday, November 4, at noon in Building C. Drinks will be provided. Bill Meck, the Channel 18 Weatherman, will speak and then answer your questions. Come join us and bring your weather questions!
- **MOMS WHO PRAY** meets this Thursday, November 3 at 9:30 a.m. If you have a burden to pray for our public schools, administrators, teachers and students, please join us at Annette Diddle's home, 201 Asbury Drive.
- **CONNECTIONS CLASS - BI07:** 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 BI07 during the Sunday School/ABF hour.
- **LOST AND FOUND TUBS ARE OVERFLOWING!** Please check the lost and found tubs in Building C to see if anything there belongs to you!
- **SAMARITAN'S PURSE-CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES** - Only 2 more weeks left to pack your gift box before collection on Sunday, November 13. Bring your wrapped (lid wrapped separately) shoebox to the Christmas tree by the stairs in Building B. Enjoy the blessing of this project by being involved in spreading the Good News to a child!
- **GIVING STATEMENTS** are available on a table by the Welcome Center. Stop by and pick yours up today. (These are for January-September 2016.)

CHURCH SCHEDULE LOOKING AHEAD:

- 10/31 Halloween Outreaches / Wilmore & Nicholasville
- 11/4 Sr. Adult Luncheon
- 11/6 Fall Back Daylight Savings
- 11/8 Elections / Youth Prayer Brunch / Open Gym
- 11/9 Blood Drive
- 11/10 Plumblin Deadline
- 11/11-12 Marriage Seminar
- 11/12 Church-wide Cleaning
- 11/13 Community Thanksgiving Evening Service
- 11/13 Operation Christmas Shoeboxes Due
- 11/20 All-church Thanksgiving Dinner
- 11/23 No Wednesday evening activities; Office closes at noon
- 11/24-25 Church Office Closed for Thanksgiving
- 11/27 First Sunday in Advent-Hanging of the Greens



**HALLOWEEN
OUTREACHES**

We need your help at the Wilmore and Nicholasville Halloween celebrations October 31! We're giving away light sticks, evangelistic materials for adults and the "Light of the world."

Would you work an hour shift as part of two teams to help bring light into the darkness? If you are willing or have questions please write "Light" on your Communication Card, or contact Craig Saunders: crsaunders4@gmail.com



Ladies – please join us for fellowship and dinner on Monday, November 7. We will meet at Carinos at 6:00 p.m. Questions? Call Rachel Weinberger at 859-576-0397.

All hands on deck! We invite you to work with us to clean up the church (inside and out!) after all the construction and renovation. We hope to spruce up the building as we move into the holiday season! Please join us Saturday, November 12, 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.



We are so grateful for the host of volunteers who commit one service per month to work in our nursery. If you would like to be part of the nursery team, we need additional adults! Please contact Carol Blankenship at: cblankenship@wfmc.net

FREE Concert at Asbury University This Week:
Saturday– Handbell Festival Concert, 7:00 p.m. Hughes
(Five local handbell choirs including our church Blessings handbell choir)

**A FREE BANQUET/WYCLIFFE ASSOCIATES!
Thursday, November 17**

You are invited to attend the Wycliffe Associates Bible Translators banquet, Thursday, November 17, 2016, at the Campbell House Inn on South Broadway in Lexington. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Guest speaker is Grace Fabian, missionary stateswoman whose Bible translator husband Edmund Fabian was martyred in Papua, New Guinea. She is author of "Outrageous Grace." Reservations are required and due by November 10. Please contact Martha Sparks (858-0474). Come and see how God is using people like you to accelerate Bible translation!

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 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. NO *Tintinnabulation Handbell Choir*
Chimes of Joy—B102; NO *Allegro Handbell Choir*
 4:45 p.m. *Heaven's Harmony*—B100; NO *Youth Choir*
Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary
 WFMY Return from Fall Retreat
 5:10 p.m. *Christmas Choir*—Sanctuary
 6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship — A Time of Remembrance
 No HS/MS Afterglows — return from Fall Retreat

MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study—Metcalfs, 20 Veterans Dr, Wilmore
 6:00-7:30 p.m. Halloween Outreach "Treats on Main"/Wilmore
 6:00-8:00 p.m. Halloween Outreach "Spooky Time"/Nicholasville

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—B203
 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study—Moores, 117 Hawthorne Dr., Nich.
 4:00 p.m. HS/MS Tutoring—C203 (by appointment only)
 6:15 p.m. *Blessings Handbell Choir*—B107
 7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball—Building C
 7:30 p.m. *Joyful Bells Choir*—B107

WEDNESDAY

1:30 p.m. *SilverBells Handbell Choir*—B107
 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—B200/201
 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
 Financial Peace University—B104 (pre-registered only)

THURSDAY

9:30 a.m. Moms Who Pray—201 Asbury Drive
 10:00 a.m. Common Threads— C203
 2:00 p.m. Prayer for the Nation—178 Wesley Dr, Wilmore

FRIDAY

No Public School Today
 12:00 noon Primetimers Sr. Adult Potluck Luncheon
 4:00 p.m. Bible Quiz Team to Vincennes, IN

SATURDAY

10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service
 3:00 p.m. Teen Open Gym—Building C
 12:01 a.m. Set your clocks back 1 hour! ☺

Why the Church? Why Are We Here?

John 17:6-26

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. Messages also may be freely downloaded from www.wilmorefmc.org.

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.

WILMORE
 FREE METHODIST CHURCH

A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS' VISION AND VALUES
 OCTOBER 30, 2016

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CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Daryl

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Lord, in the giving of our offerings today, we re-tell Your story:
We proclaim how You have dealt generously with us;
How You have met our needs;
How You have heard our prayers;
How Your goodness is from everlasting to everlasting.
Bless these offerings which are given in the name of Christ, Amen.

OFFERTORY

Craig Courtney

Come Home (Hymnal #326)
Sanctuary Choir, soloist Andrew Wittenberg

DOXOLOGY*

Hymnal 626 (FAIRHILL)

*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

SONGS OF THE CHURCH'S HERITAGE AND MISSION

Hymnal 277 *The Church's One Foundation*
Hymnal 286 *Blest Be the Tie that Binds*
Hymnal 282 *The Family of God*

MESSAGE

Pastor Daryl

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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

arr. Thomas Bliss

We Praise You with Our Minds (Supplement C23)

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

The Love of God (Hymnal 67) arr. Larry Dalton
We Shall Walk Through the Valley in Peace (Spiritual) arr. Marilyn Ham
Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken (Hymnal 278) arr. Roger House

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 REVIVAL & REFORMATION

Insert Revive Us, O Lord
Hymnal 26 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 615 *Spirit Divine, Hear Our Prayer*
*Spirit Divine, hear our prayer, And make our hearts Your home;
Descend with all Your gracious pow'r,
Come, Holy Spirit, come.* (CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Dwight

GOD'S WORD TO US

John 17:6-26
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Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

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