

WELCOME

We're so glad you're here for worship today! Below are some details you may find helpful in your first visit:

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.

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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 praise the Lord for, not only His mercies which are new every morning, but the hope He gives every follower of Jesus for life eternal. This world is tough sometimes, but our hope and treasure are in Heaven!

WORLD MISSION FOCUS—BRAZIL: Pray for Dan & Hope Owsley who minister in Brasilia, Brazil, focusing on church planting and evangelism. Hope is involved in curriculum development and women ministries.

HOME MISSION FOCUS: Pray for Kaleb Phillips as he ministers to Providence students through Bible studies and weekly services. Pray for the Providence school and all of the administrators, teachers and students.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Sharing a snack, a story from the week, and a prayer: that is what afterglows look like here at WFMC. If your family is interested in hosting an afterglow, either at your home or in Building C, you can sign up on the youth bulletin board. Dates available through December.

NURSERY:

| | TODAY/THIS WEEK | NEXT WEEK |
|---------------|--|--|
| 8:30 Worship | L Branan/J Goforth/J Madill O Proctor | N Ellwood/S Folsom/F Jamison K Proctor |
| 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/E Maynard |
| Wed. Evening | A Allen/B Wheelock | S Baldwin/L Branan |

• Dear WFMC Family: *As Charlie was in the nursing home for almost 15 months, your prayers for Charlie and for me were abundant and kept us going through this difficult journey that ended for Charlie September 2nd. I praise the Lord though that Charlie has begun a new adventure in Heaven without pain or sadness. Thank you all so much for the cards, food, visits, love, and prayer support through it all. Also for the prayers, love, and support for me as I learn to travel this road alone. It is such a blessing to have a congregation as loving and thoughtful as the WFMC family.*—Jeneane Denger

• **HURRICANE FLORENCE RELIEF:** Here are a couple great options for giving toward relief efforts in the areas damaged by hurricane Florence: <https://www.worldhope.org/> or <https://www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/>

• **THE OVERSEAS FELLOWSHIP FALL POTLUCK** is Friday, September 28, 6-8:00 p.m. in C202 (Hospitality Room in Building C). The potluck dinner begins at 6 p.m. and then at 7 p.m. members of the ministry team that went to Paraguay this past Spring will share their experiences. If you have lived abroad or are interested in foreign cultures, you are welcome!

• **WFMC MINISTRY TEAMS AND TEAM LEADERS:** WFMC is now offering child-care from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Tuesday nights for children up through first grade in order to help you meet for planning, rehearsal, etc. At least one week prior notice must be given to the church office and approval must be granted. Contact the office for more information.

• **MUM SALE POSTPONED!** The Bible quiz mum sale was moved from yesterday to next Saturday, Sept 29. Please come to the front church lawn anytime from 9 a.m.—12 noon. *A heads up - we sold out of mums by 11:30 a.m. last year...so you may want to come early!*

• **LADIES!** You are invited to a wedding *Shower-In-An-Hour* for Cheryl Grammel. Please join us on Friday, October 12, 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the C202 Hospitality Room. Cheryl is registered at *Bed Bath & Beyond* and *Walmart*. Questions? Contact Cheryl Faul @ 865-622-1756.

Need a ride to church?

Sundays at 9:30 a.m. the WFMC van stops to pick up Asbury students at Hughes Ave off of College Street (next to the Student Health Center). Even if you are not a student you are welcome to come to that location for a ride. The van returns to AU following the 10:50 a.m. worship service.



All-Church HAYRIDE

Sunday, October 7
7:15 p.m., after evening worship

Bring your kids, some friends, and come to the hayride!

The church will provide hot dogs, hamburgers, chips and drinks. Please bring a "hand held" dessert to share: cookies, brownies, cupcakes, etc.

KENTUCKY VOTER REGISTRATION FORMS are available at Welcome Desk.

2019 CHURCH PHOTO DIRECTORY

Photos will be taken in the foyer following morning worship services today and next Sunday.

Remember to also "proof" your directory listing and update any changes in your information.

Are you a regular attendee of WFMC **but not yet in the directory?** Please stop by the foyer and have your family photo taken and give us your contact info. If you call WFMC your church home, we want you in the directory—whether or not you are a formal member. This photo directory (which we create in house) is an important tool for knowing one another and staying connected. Please participate! It's painless!



A Time To Remember... On All-Saints Sunday evening, October 28, we will remember and celebrate the lives of our family members who have passed away during the past year (*since October 2017*). Through songs, prayers and scripture readings, we will honor those who were part of the WFMC family, as well as the deceased parents, siblings and children of those who attend WFMC.

If you would like your loved one included, please complete a purple information sheet at the Welcome Center and turn it in at the Welcome Center or the church office. Please note pictures are due by **October 14** in order to be included in a video presentation.

Service for Healing and Wholeness

September 30, 6:00 p.m.

"Come to Me, you weary, and I'll give us rest."

"Pray for and anoint for healing those who are sick."

"Ask, seek and knock, and you will find."

If you've never been part of a healing service before, here's how it works: all those seeking healing fill out a card, stating the need specifically or generally, then come to the altar for prayer as there is room. Confidential needs are kept confidential.

The needs of those who don't mind the congregation knowing their need will be shared (generally) then anointed and prayed for.

We continue like that until all who want prayer have been prayed for, then we'll receive Holy Communion together as a response to God's perfect and healing grace. The entire service lasts, generally, no more than one hour.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We are gearing up for the Christmas Shoeboxes sponsored by Samaritan's Purse. The due date for your box is November 11 (8 weeks!). Shipping costs are \$9.00 per box. You can give online through *Follow Your Box* and know the destination of your box, or you can include a check in your box payable to Samaritan's Purse.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 23, 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
 Membership Class 3—B106
 Adult Elective: Christ-Centered Parenting—B107
 10:50 a.m. **Morning Worship II**
 3:30 p.m. *Tinnabulation Handbell Choir* —Asbury University
Chimes of Joy—B102; *Allegro Handbell Choir*—Sanctuary
 4:45 p.m. *Heaven's Harmony* B100; *Youth Choir*—B101
Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary
 5:30 p.m. Pre-Service Prayer—B106
 6:00 p.m. **Evening Worship**
 7:15 p.m. HS Afterglow @ Blankenships, 421 Kinlaw Drive
 MS Afterglow @ Building C hosted by Maynards

MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study @ Metcalf home, 20 Veterans Dr.
 6:00 p.m. FMY Leaders—C202

TUESDAY

6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer Meeting—A200
 7:15 a.m. Youth Prayer Breakfast—B201
 8:00 a.m. Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200
 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study @ Moore home, 117 Hawthorne Dr, Nich.
 3:00-4:30 p.m. "Huddle Time"—Building C
 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
 7:30 p.m. Asbury University Orchestra Concert, Jameson Recital Hall

WEDNESDAY

1:30 p.m. *Silver Bells Handbell Choir*—Sanctuary
 4:55 p.m. Bible quizzing—B100s
 6:15 p.m. *Friendship Company*—B101; *Young Musicians*—B100
 6:30 p.m. FMY (Free Methodist Youth)—Building C
 6:30 p.m. CHARIS Young Adult Group—B203
 7:00 p.m. 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
 Adult Prayer Meeting—B200/201
 Adult Elective: *Growing a Stronger Marriage* —B103
 BOA Meeting
 8:15 p.m.

THURSDAY

2:00 p.m. Prayer for the Nation—178 Wesley Dr, Wilmore
 10:00 a.m. Common Threads—B107
 6:30-8:30 p.m. Ladies' Volleyball—Building C
 7:30 p.m. AU Choralfest (Chorale & EJHS Choir), Jameson Recital Hall
 8:00 p.m. Church Softball—WFMC vs. Southland @ Sims Field

FRIDAY

6:00-8:00 p.m. Overseas Fellowship Potluck—C202

SATURDAY

9:00 a.m.-12:00 Mum Sale—WFMC Front Lawn
 10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service
 3:00 p.m. Youth Open Gym—Building C

American Idol: The Idol of Power

Pastor Daryl

Acts 8:9-25

CD'S OF MORNING AND EVENING MESSAGES ARE AVAILABLE.

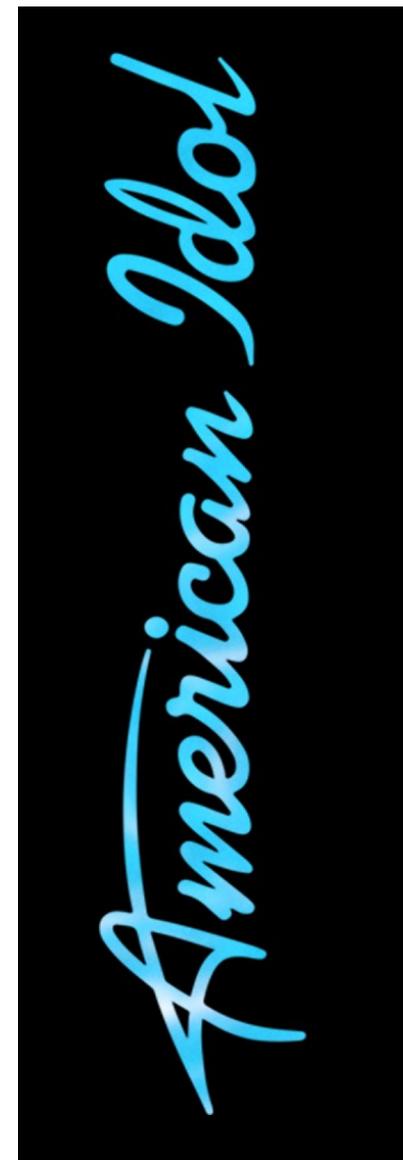
Note "Message" and date on a Communication Card at the Welcome Center, and pick up your CD the following Sunday. A donation of \$2.00 is requested to cover costs. Messages may also be freely downloaded at www.wilmorefmc.org.



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

Pastor Andrea

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Someone once said that, when we ask God for love, He often gives us people to help. It's surprising how often God works like that. When we ask God for patience, He puts us behind the slowest driver on the road. When we ask God to teach us about prayer, He often allows a crisis into our lives that we can't solve. And when we ask God for financial help, more often than not, He presents us with opportunities to give. I think these are His ways of testing whether or not we're trustworthy... whether or not we'll be faithful with His blessings and His possessions. May we all be found faithful to Him in every way as we worship Him through our giving.

OFFERTORY

Glory to Thy Name Most Holy
Sanctuary Choir

Mary McDonald

GLORIA PATRI*

Hymnal 622(MEINEKE)

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.*

*Children may now leave for Children's Worship

SONGS OF HUMBLE SERVICE

Hymnal 446

I Will Serve Thee

Hymnal 455

Come, All Christians, Be Committed

MESSAGE

American Idol: The Idol of Power

Pastor Daryl

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (Hymnal 25)

arr. Marilyn Thompson

🔊 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

We Gather Together/Count Your Blessings (Hymnal 561, 563) arr. Brant Adams
Praise to the Lord! (Hymnal 8) arr. Brant Adams
When We All Get to Heaven (Hymnal 542) arr. Ed Hogan & Mary Ellen Kerrick
D Simpson, clarinet

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 PRAISE AND PETITION

Hymnal 12

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Hymnal 51

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 592

In This Quiet Moment

In this quiet moment, Jesus, speak to me.

Fill my heart with Thy love divine, Your power let me see. (CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Daryl

GOD'S WORD TO US

Acts 8:9-25
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Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.