

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 us give this week to praying for the leadership of our nation—all three branches of government—that the Lord's voice of leadership and direction would be heard.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS—COLUMBIA: Pray for Ricardo & Beth Gomez who work with the FM Missions in the Seminario Biblico de Colombia, training future church leaders. Pray for their children Juliana and Jonathan.

HOME MISSION FOCUS: Pray for Friendship International and the international women who take part. Pray that the friendships they make with American Christians may be a witness leading them to Christ.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: Youth dinners are back! If you are interested in helping with youth dinners (providing main dish or sides or dessert or all 3), please contact Pastor Andrea or Ruth Weinberger (dinner coordinator). Youth dinners provide space for weekly fellowship/check-in for the students with each other and with the youth staff.

NURSERY:

	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	B Branan/D Flanigan/N Riffell J Thompson	E Brown/L Prochina/V Salto/K Winter
Sunday School	J Cline/T Kidwell/M Zweifel	S Blankenship/S Hamaan
10:50 Worship	M Branan/G Stidom/E Walsh S Walsh	A Crabtree/J Crabtree/J Lamiy C Padgett
6:00 Worship	R Branan/M Dargan/A Warnock	R Branan/M Faul/D Madill
Wed. Evening	N Johns/R Zent	R Cook/A Diddle

- CONGRATULATIONS TO LES & CAROLE PROCHINA on the birth of son Liam David born September 5, 7½ lb, 19¼ inches long! All are doing well.
- CONGRATULATIONS TO SETH & SANDY (MILLER) ELAM who were married yesterday, September 8!
- MUSIC ENSEMBLE REHEARSALS RESUME TODAY /THIS WEEK! Check the worship folder schedule for rehearsal times.



HANDBELLS! Ever wanted to learn to ring 'em? Now is the perfect time to try! Two of our adult handbell choirs, Joyful Bells and Silver Bells, are looking for new members. Joyful Bells meets on Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m. and Silver Bells meets on Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m. There is room in youth and children's handbell choirs, too! Contact Katie Diddle, handbell coordinator, for more details: 859-396-1480.

• **HUDDLE TIME** - Volunteers needed for our after-school reading program! Orientation is Tuesday, September 11 at 3:00 p.m. If you have volunteered in the past or are interested in volunteering this semester, please come and learn more about our program. **HUDDLE TIME** meets with Wilmore Elementary students Tuesday afternoons, 3-4:30 p.m. starting September 18. It is a wonderful time to connect with kids in our community and church. Questions? Contact Jessica Bowers: brianandjessicabowers@gmail.com, or Denise Adams: deniseadams32@yahoo.com

- **WEDNESDAY ONE-NIGHT-ONLY ELECTIVES:**
Sept 12 — Unbroken: Path to Redemption Webcast, B104
Sept 19 — Planning for Emergencies w/Attorney Kimberly Barnard, B104
- **COMMON THREADS PRAYER SHAWLS MINISTRY** begins Thursday, September 13. Gather your needles and croquet hooks (we provide yarn) and meet at 10:00 a.m. in B107 (downstairs in Building B). A beginner? We have gifted teachers willing to get you started!
- **PLUMBLINE NEWSLETTER:** Your submissions for the Oct/Nov issue can be made via email (klkoehn@icloud.com) or mail (Karen Koehn, 122 Hinkle #1, Wilmore, KY 40390) by tomorrow, September 10.
- **THE FOYER DISPLAY CABINET** features members of our congregation who have served two years or more as overseas missionaries. If this describes you and you'd like to be included, please contact Steve or Lorrie Liversedge at lorrie.liversedge@gmail.com
- **DRIVERS NEEDED FOR YOUTH PRAYER BREAKFAST:** More than 50 youth gather here every Tuesday morning for prayer and breakfast before school. The youth are then transported to either school or home following breakfast, and we have an immediate need for two drivers to drive a church van for this ministry. It is an hour commitment Tuesday mornings, 7:45-8:45 a.m. Please contact Pastor Andrea if you can help!

Dessert & Ice Cream Social
September 16, 7:00 p.m., Building C Great Hall
Please bring a dessert to share that goes well with ice cream!
(Pie, cake, brownies, cobbler)
The church provides ice cream and drinks.

Marriage Video Series: ***Growing a Strong(er) Marriage***
Wednesdays, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m., Room B103
September 12—November 14
Questions? Contact
Ron & Nancy Johns - 858-1280; wightjohns@gmail.com
John Ostroske - 858-8149

LADIES' FALL BIBLE STUDIES

MONDAY MORNINGS

September 10 - October 22, 10:00 -11:30 a.m.
Judy Metcalf's home, 20 Veterans Drive, Wilmore
Studying: *Sandra Richter's Epic of Eden: Ruth*

Join this inter-generational, inter-denominational, international group of delightful and caring women for the 30 minute video followed by discussion led by Yvonne Moulton. A study guide (optional) will be available at the first meeting for \$15. Call Judy Metcalf at 858-4063.

TUESDAY MORNINGS

September 18, 9:30 a.m.
Sammie Moore's home, 117 Hawthorne Drive, Nicholasville
Studying: *Gospel of Matthew*

The *Tuesday Morning Sister Group* begins its Fall session for women of all ages. Come join us as we continue the study of Matthew, enjoy fellowship and care for one another. Questions? Contact Sammie Moore at 881-0562 or Ruth Cook at 858-4940.

All seniors 60+! You are invited to the
Primetimers Potluck Picnic
12:00 noon Friday, September 14
Highbridge Pavilion (new location)
Sam Powdrill (playing his saw!) will accompany us in singing some favorite hymns. Prefer not to drive? A van departs from the church at 11:45 a.m. and returns after the picnic. Contact Bonnie Lashbrook (859-215-6028 or lashbrook2@gmail.com) by September 12 for transportation spots.



BIBLE QUIZ TEAM MUM SALE!

Saturday, Sept 22, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Come to the church parking lot (rain or shine) and purchase one or more colorful mums for your home.

Only \$10.00 each, with all profits benefitting our quiz teams' participation in the Summer National competitions.

Need a ride to church?

Sundays at 9:30 a.m. the WFCM 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.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 9, 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
 Connections Class—A200
 Membership Class I—B106
 Adult Elective: Christ-Centered Parenting—B107
 10:50 a.m. **Morning Worship II**
 3:45 p.m. *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/MS Afterglow—Building C

MONDAY

10:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study @ Metcalf home, 20 Veterans Dr.
 12:00 noon Prayer & Fasting—Sanctuary
 4:30 p.m. Parent Support Group—Building C Kitchen

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
 3:00 p.m. "Huddle Time" Volunteer Orientation—C202
 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

4:55 p.m. Bible quizzing—B100s
 6:15 p.m. *Friendship Company*—B101
 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
 Adult Elective: *Unbroken* Webcast—B104

THURSDAY

2:00 p.m. Prayer for the Nation—178 Wesley Dr, Wilmore
 Common Threads—B107
 10:00 a.m. Ladies' Volleyball—Building C
 6:30-8:30 p.m. Church Softball—WFMC vs. Faith United @ Sims Field
 7:00 p.m.

FRIDAY

12:00 noon Primetimers Potluck Picnic—Highbridge Pavilion

SATURDAY

10:15 a.m. Diversicare Worship Service
 3:00 p.m. Youth Open Gym—Building C

Mark Your Calendars! SEPTEMBER 17 - COMMUNITY HYMN SING
 Hughes Auditorium, Asbury University, 7:30 p.m.
 sponsored by the Asbury University Music Department

American Idol

Pastor Daryl

Isaiah 44:6-19

CD'S OF MORNING AND EVENING MESSAGES ARE AVAILABLE.

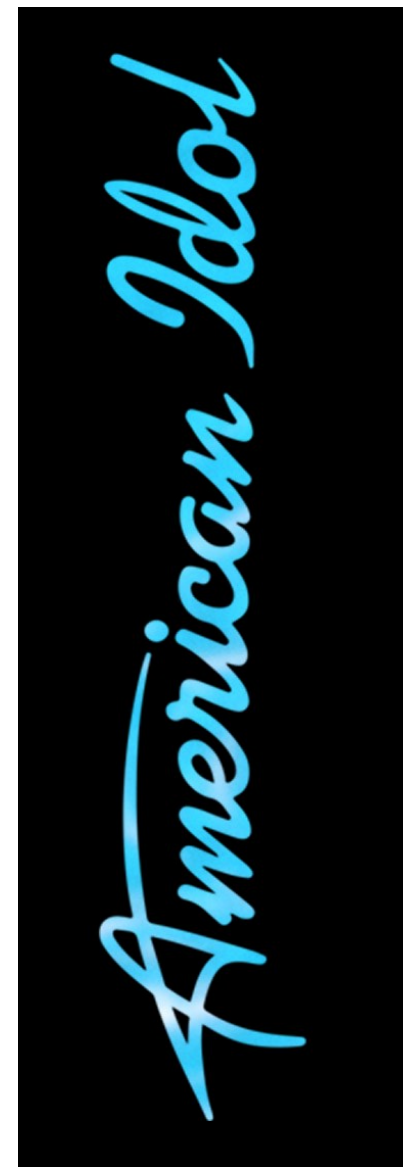
Note "Message" and date on a Communication Card at the Welcome Center, and pick up your CD the following Sunday. A donation of \$2.00 is requested to cover costs. Messages may also be freely downloaded at www.wilmorefmc.org.



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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 GRANDPARENTS' DAY
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CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Dwight

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Several things develop in the life of a disciple who is a faithful giver. One is an ever-growing faith in God to provide for our needs, even when we don't see how that's possible. Another is a very real sense of partnership in the ministry to which he or she gives. A third is the peace that comes from obeying the Lord in this discipline.

But maybe the most important thing that happens to believers who give faithfully is the deepening love they have for Jesus, because they understand more fully the sacrifice He made for them. Jesus gave so that we might live, give, and love, with true joy.

OFFERTORY

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (Hymnal 1)

arr. Bob Kauflin

DOXOLOGY*

*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

Hymnal 626(FAIRHILL)

SONGS OF TRUST IN GOD ALONE

Hymnal 401

Insert

Psalm 42

In Christ Alone

MESSAGE

American Idol

Pastor Daryl

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Praise to God (Russian Folk Hymn)

arr. James Pethel

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

All Things Bright and Beautiful (Hymnal 578)

arr. Franklin Ashdown

Brethren, We Have Met to Worship (Hymnal 585)

arr. Dale Wood

All Creatures of Our God and King (Hymnal 64)

arr. Alan Smith

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, HOPE, AND FAITH

Hymnal 103

Blessed Be the Name

Hymnal 410

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

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

Isaiah 44:6-19

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

All: Thanks be to God.

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