

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF AUGUST 25, 2024

TODAY

8:00a Pre-Service Prayer—B106  
8:30a Morning Worship—Sanctuary  
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing  
9:45a Sunday School, Adult and Youth Bible Fellowships  
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing  
11:00a Morning Worship—Sanctuary  
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing  
6:00p Baptism Service—Jessamine Creek  
7:45p Young Adults @ Winters, 229 S Lexington Ave, Wilmore.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

6:30a Men's Prayer Meeting—A200  
7:15a Youth Prayer Breakfast—C  
9:00a Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200

WEDNESDAY

12:30p Women's Bible Study—*Mere Christianity*—B203  
4:55p Bible Quizzing—Building B downstairs  
6:30p 6th Grade Membership Class—B203  
7:00p FM Youth—Building C  
Prayer Meeting—B201  
Summer Fun Children's Ministry (age 2-grade4)  
Nursery/Childcare up to 48 months —Building B Preschool Wing

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

5:00p High School Seniors depart for Camping Weekend

SATURDAY

VAN FUND: We have begun collecting funds to replace our two older vans. Two newer (but still gently used) vans will cost well over \$100,000. To contribute, mark your offering, "Van Fund." (Presently, our balance is about \$26,000, so we're making progress!)

THE COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER needs 3-4 people to help pack food on Friday, August 30 at 2:00p. in the Presbyterian church basement. On Saturday, August 31, 9:00a—11:00a. they need 5-6 people to carry boxes up 4/5 steps to cars outside. Some of these people need to be able to carry 50# comfortably. Please let Denise Adams (859-553-0978) know if you can serve the community in this capacity.

Clean Slate: Changing Family Trajectories

Pastor Daryl

John 9:1-11



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**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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**WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT WFMC!**

If you are “new,” this is for you! **COMPLETING THE WELCOME CARD** allows us to welcome you personally. Please fill it out and drop it off at the Welcome Center. The attendant there will give you a nice gift.

**THE WORSHIP GUIDE** in this folder leads through the service. We try to use elements, liturgy and music from a variety of Christian traditions to help lead people of all ages, stages, and tastes into God’s presence. Worship is, by nature, participatory, so please join in prayer, word, giving, and song, and respond to the voice of the Holy Spirit however He leads.

**NURSERY** for children up to 2 years is available all morning in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

**CHILDREN’S WORSHIP JR.** (CWJR, age 2 and 3) is available all year for both morning worship services in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

**CHILDREN’S WORSHIP** (CW, age 4 through grade 3) After the Children’s Time, children are escorted by CW Staff to room B205. Following 8:30 worship, parents of children ages 4 through Kindergarten will be checked into their Sunday School room, B207. Children in grades 1-3 will be taken to their Sunday School classrooms, A100 and A106. Following 11:00 worship, parents must pick up their children from room B205.

**HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES** are available at the back of the Sanctuary.

**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 pray for all those beginning school in these days. Pray that learning that would please Christ would take place.

**WORLD MISSION FOCUS—AFRICA:** Pray for Mike and Vickie Reynen, FM Area Directors for Africa, as they collaborate with African church leaders and encourage the missionary team. Vickie works with Kenyan women’s ministries.

**HOME MISSION FOCUS:** Pray for the Jessamine County Homeless Coalition and all who go there. Pray that their needs will be met, both physical and spiritual.

**YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS:** Pray for the teens being baptized tonight. We give thanks that they have committed their lives into the Lord’s care. Let us be channels of love and support for them as they grow in faith!

**NURSERY:**

	<u>TODAY / THIS WEEK</u>	<u>NEXT WEEK</u>
8:30 Worship	D Flanigan/A Montoya/J Montoya Z Stiger	B Arnold/J Bowers/J Li
Sunday School	K Diddle/H Miller/D Simpson	L Branan/L Roberge
11:00 Worship	E Maynard/M Miller/B Wagler	S Branan/BK McMillen/E Padgett F Shingledecker
6:00 Worship	Baptism Service—no nursery	Sunday Fellowship—no nursery
Wed. Evening	A Allen/P Probst	M Dargan/S Joiner



**ANNUAL BAPTISM TONIGHT!**

August 25, 6:00 p.m.

Meet at Jessamine Creek

Need a ride? Be at the church by 5:35p to board the vans, leaving the church parking lot at 5:45p sharp! Driving yourself to the creek? Parking attendants there will direct you. Join us as we celebrate our baptism candidates!

• **CHILDREN AND YOUTH MUSICIANS:** Sign up today for one or two of our vocal or handbell choirs at the top of the Building B staircase. Be sure to check the sign-up sheet for the start up date for each choir.

• *We want to thank everyone who came to help us move out and into our new home. Everyone went above and beyond and we feel so loved by our church family. The hands and feet of Christ were clearly shown.*

- In Christ’s love, Alan, Vanessa & Brittany Wagler

• **LADIES’ NIGHT OUT** begins it’s new season on Monday, September 9th. All ladies are invited to join us on the first Monday of the month (September to May) for a fun evening of food, fellowship and laughter at a local restaurant. Watch the bulletin for upcoming details!

• **FINANCIAL PEACE OR FINANCIAL WORRIES?** Which one do you feel? Learn what God’s Word says about money and how to find financial peace. We are planning a nine-week Financial Peace University class this fall. If interested or for more information, write "FPU" on your welcome card.



**MEMBERSHIP CLASS:** Mark your calendar for the next Membership Class, a 3-week Wednesday evening seminar September 11, 18 and 25, 7:00p in room B202. If interested, write “Membership” on your Welcome Card. The class gives an introduction to our denomination, our local church, and our beliefs. Come and investigate - No commitment required to take the class.

**SAVE THE DATE:** WFMC Ladies Fall Retreat is scheduled for November 8-9 at Eagle Ridge Retreat Center. Watch for details coming soon.



**LADIES’ MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**

September 9, 10:00a—11:30a

20 Veterans Drive (Metcalf’s home)

Women of all ages are welcome as we study Steve Seamands’ book, *Follow the Healer*. Join us as we learn more about what the Bible has to say about healing—how Jesus heals and why we still need to participate. Books are available for \$12. If you would like to order one, contact Judy Metcalf at arv.judy@gmail.com or 859.858.4063.



**SUPER SUNDAY SEPTEMBER SPECTACULAR SALAD SOCIAL!**

SEPTEMBER 1, 6:00p

Bring your favorite (family-size) salad to share...whatever sort of salad you like: Tuna, Green, Chicken, Jello, Fruit, Ham, Pasta, Chocolate...

Bring whatever you want and label it “salad.”

The church will supply drinks and a variety of crackers.

Let’s enjoy fellowship with one another!

**WOMEN’S RECHARGE — “GET AWAY” WHILE STAYING RIGHT HERE!**

Thursday, September 5 5:30p—9:00p

Game room, craft room, & solitude room available. Join us for dinner and even an optional “Banners & Florals” drawing lesson! RSVP & invite a friend — sign up sheets (pink) are at the Welcome Desk. Contact Pastor Caitlin or Hilary Fiskeaux with questions.

**FM Financial Coming to WFMC**

September 13-15, 2024



We welcome Steve (Mac) Macaluso, Regional VP with FM Financial, which assists persons in estate planning. Mac is part of our denomination’s financial planning team whose work is to assist Free Methodists in estate and financial planning at a greatly reduced cost. We are scheduling 60 minute individual appointments with Mac on Friday & Saturday. Call or email the church office for times.

**EAGLE RIDGE WORK CAMP / RETREAT—SEPTEMBER 13-14**

Bowling Green, KY

A weekend of worship and work—projects for all skill levels are available. Please register at <https://bit.ly/ERworkretreat> or use the QR code.



**COMMON THREADS - UNCOMMONLY CARING PEOPLE.**

Do you enjoy knitting or crocheting and have a heart for the grieving and suffering? Common Threads is a warm-hearted group that gathers for fellowship, prayer and to work on prayer shawls and other projects to comfort those in need. Join Common Threads weekly starting Thursday, September 5 from 10:00a - 12:00n in Room B107. Supplies provided. Any skill level welcome.



Questions? Contact Carolyn Rumble

## GOD'S WORD TO US

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

All: Thanks be to God.

*John 9:1-11*

## 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.*

### CHILDREN'S TIME:

Pastor Caitlin

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP JR. (CWJR) for ages 2 and 3. It is available in the Building B Preschool Wing for the entire worship service time.

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

*For a complete list, check the Worship Folder or [www.wilmorefmc.org](http://www.wilmorefmc.org)*

### WORSHIP IN GIVING

Giving is a simply a part of God's nature. He is sufficient unto Himself, so He never needs to be resupplied or refilled. But we're not like that. We get empty. We run out of energy, of patience, of courage, and of money...and we depend on God to fill us again and again. If we'll decide to share in God's giving nature, He'll always make sure we have enough, and enough to give.



### MUSIC MINISTRY

*Jesus and the Children*  
Miller Family

Terry Kirkland

### MESSAGE

*Clean Slate - Changing Family Trajectories*

Pastor Daryl

### POSTLUDE

*Built on the Rock the Church Shall Stand*

arr. Lani Smith

### GATHERING

*Morning by Edvard Greig / Open Our Eyes, Lord*

arr. Linda McKechnie

*Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* (Hymnal 217)

arr. Rebecca Bonam

*When We All Get to Heaven* (Hymnal 542)

arr. Brent Olstad

Erin McLaughlin, flute

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*From 1 Peter 1:3-5*

**Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!**

**In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living hope**

**through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,**

**and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade.**

**That inheritance is kept in Heaven for us,**

**and through faith we are shielded by God's power**

**until the coming of salvation in the last days.**

**In all of this, let us greatly rejoice!**

### SONGS OF HEALING AND RESTORATION

Hymnal 405

*My Faith Has Found a Resting Place* (stanzas 1 & 4)

Hymnal 466

*Jesus, Lover of My Soul*

Hymnal 345

*Blessed Assurance* (stanzas 1 & 3)

### CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 42

*Seek Ye First*

*Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness,*

*And all these things shall be added unto you — Allelu, alleluia!*

*Ask and it shall be given unto you; seek and ye shall find.*

*Knock and the door shall be opened unto you — Allelu, alleluia!*

(CCLI Member)

### PRAYER

Pastor Daryl

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





# 345 Blessed Assurance

*Is anyone happy? Let him sing songs of praise. James 5:13*

1. Bless - ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine! O what a fore - taste of  
 2. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light! Vi - sions of rap - ture now  
 3. Per - fect sub - mis - sion—all is at rest, I in my Sav - ior am

glo - ry di - vine! Heir of sal - va - tion, pur - chase of God,  
 burst on my sight; An - gels de - scend - ing bring from a - bove  
 hap - py and blest; Watch - ing and wait - ing, look - ing a - bove,

*Descant*

This is my sto - ry,  
*Refrain*  
 Born of His Spir - it, washed in His blood. This is my sto - ry,  
 Ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.  
 Filled with His good - ness, lost in His love.

this is my song, Prais - ing my Sav - ior all the day long; This is my

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TEXT: Fanny J. Crosby

MUSIC: Phoebe P. Knapp; Descant by James C. Gibson

ASSURANCE  
 9.10.9.9, with Refrain

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sto - ry, this is my song, Prais-ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

sto - ry, this is my song, Prais-ing my Sav - ior all the day long.

# I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus 346

... the Lord, in whom they had put their trust. Acts 14:23

1. I am trust - ing Thee, Lord Je - sus—Trust - ing on - ly Thee;  
 2. I am trust - ing Thee to guide me—Thou a - lone shalt lead,  
 3. I am trust - ing Thee for pow - er—Thine can nev - er fail;  
 4. I am trust - ing Thee, Lord Je - sus—Nev - er let me fall;

Trust - ing Thee for full sal - va - tion, Great and free.  
 Ev - 'ry day and hour sup - ply - ing All my need.  
 Words which Thou Thy - self shalt give me Must pre - vail.  
 I am trust - ing Thee for - ev - er, And for all. A - men.