

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF JANUARY 18, 2026

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*  
 3:30p Chimes of Joy—B102  
     *Tintinnabulation Handbells—Asbury University*  
 4:30p World Mission Team Meeting—C202  
 4:45p Heaven's Harmony Choir—B100; Youth Choir—B101  
     *Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary*  
 6:00p Newcomers Bible Quiz Meeting—B104  
     Evening Worship — Ralph Clark  
     Mission Moment—All God's Children / Kathryn Maupin  
     *Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing*  
 7:15p High School Senior Seminar—C204  
     Middle School Girls Fellowship @ Erin McLaughlin's home

MONDAY

10:00a Martin Luther King Day (*public schools closed*)  
 Ladies' Bible at Metcalfs, 20 Veterans Drive

TUESDAY

6:30a Men's Prayer Meeting—A200  
 7:15a Youth Prayer Breakfast—Building C  
 9:00a Ladies' Prayer Meeting—A200  
 6:15p WeBellieve Handbell Choir—Sanctuary  
 7:30p Blessings Handbell Choir—Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY

2:00p Blood Drive—Church Foyer  
 4:55p Bible Quizzing—B104  
 6:00p WFM Youth Building C (Dinner 6:30p)  
 6:15p Young Musicians—B100; Friendship Company—B101  
 7:00p Adult Prayer Meeting—B201  
     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

THURSDAY

FRIDAY  
 10:00a Moms' Pray & Play—Building C / Playground  
 5:00p High School Ski Retreat

SATURDAY

8:00a Men's Breakfast, Comfort Inn—Nicholasville

 **WFMC HAZARDOUS WEATHER PLAN:** Schedule changes for church events due to hazardous weather can be found on the front page of the church website, typically one hour prior to service times. We will also post delays or cancellations on the PNN and most local news channels.

Good Business - Freedom  
*Exodus 10:1-11*

Pastor Daryl

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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.

# Good Business

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A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS' VISION AND VALUES

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 SANCTITY OF LIFE SUNDAY

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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 foyer Welcome Desk. 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 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 that the Lord would heal the racial tensions in our nation. "Lord, show us how we might be agents of reconciliation and peace among the world's (and our neighborhoods') peoples. Use us to let the world know that every life, regardless of age or color, is sacred."

**WORLD MISSION FOCUS—ESTONIA:** Brent and Colleen Weaver serve with OMS in Estonia, where Brent works in discipleship and Colleen serves as Director of Discipleship for OMS as part of the Global Ministries Support Team. Pray for their language learning.

**HOME MISSION FOCUS:** Pray for Natalie's Sisters ministry, that the women they minister to will make healthy relationships and come to know the love of Jesus.

**YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS:** We heard this week about the mission trip to Estonia. Even if we don't physically go, we all have a part in the trip! We can PRAY for safety and fruitfulness!

## NURSERY:

	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	A DiFranco/L Evans/A Hall E Randall	D Flanigan/A Montoya/J Montoya Z Stiger
Sunday School	J Gomez/J Lovell	K Diddle/H Miller
11:00 Worship	G Schumacher	T Adams/E Dobie/M Miller
6:00 Worship	J Bowers/E Cannon/C Maynard	M Branan/C Blankenship R Saunders
Wed Evening	M Henderson/D Zhao	A Allen/P Probst

**CHURCH FAMILY:** Our hearts are full of thanksgiving to you for the care and prayers you have offered on Timothy's and my behalf over these last months. Your love has eased his path into glory! With great appreciation from each of us,

Joyce, Sarah, Clint, Jeremy, Laura, and Evan Thomas.

**GIVING RECEIPTS FOR 2025:** We will be printing giving receipts soon to be picked up in the foyer. If you would like a giving receipt for 2025 e-mailed to you instead of a hard copy, please write "Giving" and your email address on your Welcome Card or contact the church office.

**BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES:** If you have not shared your birthday and / or anniversary date with the church, please do so, either on your Welcome card or by emailing the church office at: office@wfmc.net. Thank you!

**PRIME TIMERS SENIOR ADULTS:** Please note that there are no Thursday luncheons scheduled for January or February due to weather uncertainties. The next luncheon is Thursday, March 12.

**THE FAMILY OF SHEILA LOVELL** invites you to join them on Saturday, January 31, 1:00p—3:00p in the Hospitality Room of Building C for a cake and punch come-and-go reception celebrating Sheila's 80th birthday. Cards appreciated, but please, no gifts.

**THE WILMORE COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER** needs volunteers on Saturday, January 31, from 9:00-11:00a to load boxes (50#) into vehicles. Please let Denise Adams know if you are available at either 859-553-0978 or deniseadams32@yahoo.com. If parents are volunteering, older children (upper elementary age) are welcome to join the service project.

**WFMC CLASSIFIEDS:** We now have a classifieds ads section on our church website: [www.wilmorefmc.org](http://www.wilmorefmc.org) (lower, right sidebar) where church attendees and local community persons can advertise things for sale or free, housing needs, items lost and found, etc. Check it out!

**CONGRATULATIONS** To David Diddle and Maddie Turner on their engagement. The wedding is June 13 at 1:00p, here at WFMC—reception following. Please save the date—they'd love for you to come. Thank you for your investment in David's life.



**ESTONIA MISSIONS TRIP INFORMATION MEETING**  
Next Sunday, January 25 at 9:45a. Please pray about how God can use you—we need you to be a part of this trip! You are welcome to stop by the Welcome Desk and pick up an application. Please turn in applications to the church office.



all about. The newcomers quizzing season begins January 21.

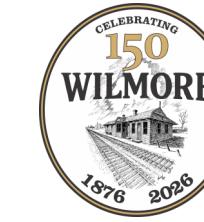
If your child is in 5th through 11th grade and is interested in Bible quizzing, here is a short term opportunity for you! There is a Parent / Newcomer info meeting today, January 18, 4:45p, in room B104. Come and learn what our Bible Quizzing ministry is

## Evening Worship Tonight

Music Ministry - Tintinnabulation Handbells

Missions Moment - All God's Children

Message - Ralph Clark



HELP OUR KIDS CELEBRATE WILMORE'S 150TH BIRTHDAY!

February 7, 2026 9:00a—12:00n

Registration for children (age 4-grade 5) is now open! We'll have a craft, a time of recreation, and a story where we'll learn about the importance of Jesus and His place in the life of our city. Space is limited.



**Men's Breakfast For All Men, Young & Not So Young:**  
Saturday, January 24, 8:00a, Comfort Inn  
100 All Star Way, Nicholasville.

Write "Breakfast" on your Welcome Card and the number attending.



## It's Italian!

Sunday, February 1 6:00p Building C  
First Sunday Fellowship  
Bring an entre and a dessert.

Suggestions: chicken alfredo, crock pot lasagna, anti pasta salad, spaghetti, pizza, your families' favorite Italian shareable, and also include a dessert (Italian cream cake, cannolis, Italian lemon cookies, or a sweet treat you enjoy).

## MARY TODD LINCOLN PRESENTATION—MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Mary Todd Lincoln Presentation by our own Catherine Gaffney, 7:30p at the Wilmore Free Methodist Church. This is being done as part of the 150th birthday celebration of the city of Wilmore. Admission is free—welcome!



**JANUARY FOOD ITEM:**  
PUDDING CUPS

Each weekend, 70+ bags of nonperishable foods are provided for Jessamine County kids that attend Wilmore Elementary, Jessamine Early Learning Village, Head Start, West Jessamine Middle, and Providence School. Items may be placed in the foyer basket to the left of the Welcome Center.

## CALL TO PRAYER

### Hymnal 242

While we are waiting, come; while we are waiting, come.  
Jesus, our Lord, Emmanuel, while we are waiting, come.  
With pow'r and glory, come; with pow'r and glory, come.  
Jesus, our Lord, Emmanuel, while we are waiting, come.

## PRAYER

### GOD'S WORD TO US

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.  
All: Thanks be to God.

## CHILDREN'S 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

The Apostle Paul tells the Corinthian believers that no one should give to the Lord reluctantly or under compulsion, because God loves cheerful givers. That is true no matter what it is we're giving to God – our talents or worship or time. But Paul was speaking there specifically of money. A mature Christian is one who has learned to give with gratitude and expectation and even excitement about how God will use those gifts. However we give of our finances, whether electronically or through the giving boxes in the sanctuary entry let's give with joy and expectation.

## MUSIC MINISTRY

E.B. Graham / J. R. Baxter, Jr.  
*This World Is Not My Home / Farther Along*  
Janet Adams, soloist

## MESSAGE

Pastor Daryl  
*Good Business - Freedom*

## HOLY COMMUNION

## POSTLUDE

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* (Hymnal 25)  
arr. Jason Payne

## While We Are Waiting, Come

(CCLI Member)

Pastor Dwight

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Pastor Daryl



## 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

*My Lord, What a Morning* (Spiritual)  
*Toccata on Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus* (Hymnal 477)  
*The God of Abraham Praise* (Hymnal 34)

arr. Marianne Kim

arr. Alice Jordan

arr. Richard Elliott

## CALL TO WORSHIP

We believe in Jesus Christ the Lord,

Who came in flesh to dwell among us,  
Who died on the cross to free us from sin,  
Who rose from the dead to give us life and hope,  
Who reigns in heaven at the right hand of God,  
Who comes one day soon to judge and bring justice and victory.

We believe in God, the Father,

Who created and sustains the universe,  
Who rules over the destinies of all peoples and nations,  
Who raised His Son Jesus from the dead,  
Who desires all people to be saved.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,

Who is God Himself, present in His people, the Church,  
Who moves His Church to faith and obedience,  
Who assists and guides all those whom He renews,  
Who purifies the hearts of His own.

We believe God has made us His people,

To invite others to follow Jesus,  
To encourage one another to deeper faith in Him,  
To proclaim forgiveness of sins and hope,  
To meet the daily tasks of life with love and purpose,  
To suffer joyfully for the cause of right,  
To the ends of the earth,  
To the end of the age,  
To the praise of His glory. Amen.

## SONGS OF FREEDOM EXPERIENCED WHEN LISTENING TO THE LORD

Hymnal 588

Insert

Hymnal 358

Hymnal 738

*We Have Come into His House*

*Speak, O Lord*

*I Am Thine, O Lord*

*Glorious Freedom*

# 588 We Have Come into His House

*They came to Him, clasped His feet and worshiped Him. Matt. 28:9*

1. We have come in - to His house and gath-ered in His name to  
 2. Let's for - get a - bout our-selves and mag - ni - fy His name and

wor - ship Him. We have come in - to His house and  
 wor - ship Him. Let's for - get a - bout our - selves and

gath - ered in His name to wor - ship Him. We have  
 mag - ni - fy His name and wor - ship Him. Let's for -

come in - to His house and gath-ered in His name to wor - ship Christ the  
 get a - bout our-selves and mag - ni - fy His name and wor - ship Christ the

Lord. Wor - ship Him, Christ the Lord.  
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TEXT and MUSIC: Bruce Ballinger

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WORSHIP HIM  
Irregular meter

# Speak O Lord

Words and Music by  
Keith Getty and Stuart Townend

VERSE

F/A G/B C<sup>2</sup>

F

C

F

C



1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to re - ceive the food of Your  
2. Teach us Lord full o - be - di - ence, ho - ly rev - er - ence, true hu -  
3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your



4 Am

G/B

F/A G/B C<sup>2</sup>

F

C



ho - ly word. Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and  
- mil - i - ty. Test our thoughts and our at - ti-tudes in the  
plans for us. Truths un - changed from the dawn of time, that will



7 F

C/E

F

G

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C/E



fash - ion us in Your like - ness, that the light of Christ might be  
ra - di - ance of Your pu - ri - ty. Cause our faith to rise, cause our  
e - cho down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by grace we'll stand on Your



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## Speak O Lord - 2

10 G<sup>sus</sup>/F G<sup>9</sup>/F C<sup>2</sup>/E G G/F C/E Am G<sup>sus</sup> G F/A G/B C<sup>2</sup>

seen to-day in our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and ful -  
 eyes to see Your ma - jes - tic love and au - thor - i - ty. Words of pow'r that can  
 prom - is-es; And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till Your

14 F C F C/E F G<sup>sus</sup> G C

-fill in us all Your pur - pos - es, for Your glo - - ry.  
 nev - er fail; Let their truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.  
 church is built and the earth is filled with Your glo - - ry.

17 F<sup>2</sup> C<sup>2</sup>/E F<sup>2</sup> G<sup>sus</sup> G C

## I Am Thine, O Lord 358

*Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith. Heb. 10:22*

1. I am Thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice, And it  
 2. Con - se - crate me now to Thy serv - ice, Lord, By the  
 3. O, the pure de - light of a sin - gle - hour That be -  
 4. There are depths of love that I can - not know Till I told Thy love to me; But I long to rise in the arms of faith, pow'r of grace di - vine; Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope, fore Thy throne I spend, When I kneel in prayer, and with Thee, my God, cross the nar - row sea; There are heights of joy that I may not reach.

*Refrain*

And be clos - er drawn to Thee.  
 And my will be lost in Thine.  
 I com - mune as friend with friend!  
 Draw me near - er,  
 Till I rest in peace with Thee.

near - er, bless - ed Lord, To the cross where Thou hast died; Draw me  
 near - er, near - er, near-er, bless-ed Lord, To Thy pre - cious, bleed-ing side.

## 738 Glorious Freedom

1. Once I was bound by sin's gall-ing  
 2. Free-dom from all the car-nal af - fet - ters, Chained like a slave, I  
 3. Free-dom from pride and all sin - ful fections, Free-dom from en - vy,  
 4. Free-dom from fear with all of its fol - lies, Free-dom from love and tor-ments, Free-dom from care with

strug - gled in vain; But I re - ceived a glo - ri - ous free - dom,  
 ha - tred and strife; Free-dom from vain and world-ly am - bi - tions,  
 glit - ter of gold; Free-dom from e - vil tem - per and an - ger,  
 all - of its pain; Free-dom in Christ, my bless-ed Re - deem - er,

*Refrain*

When Je - sus broke my fet - ters in twain.  
 Free-dom from all that sad-dened my life. Glo - ri - ous free - dom,  
 Glo - ri - ous free-dom, rapture un - told.  
 He who has rent my fet-ters in twain.

won - der - ful free - dom, No more in chains of sin I re - pine! Je - sus, the

TEXT: Helder Lillence

TEXT: Haldor Lillenas  
MUSIC: Alfred Judson

## GLORIOUS FREEDOM

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## With Thy Spirit Fill Me 739

1. Lord, pos - sess me now, I pray, Make me whol-ly Thine to-day;  
 2. Lord, I yield my - self to Thee, All I am or hope to be  
 3. Lord, com - mis-sion me, I pray! Souls are dy - ing ev - 'ry day;

Glad - ly do I own Thy sway, With Thy Spir - it fill me.  
 Now and thru e - ter - ni - ty, With Thy Spir - it fill me.  
 Help me lead them in Thy way, With Thy Spir - it fill me.

*Refrain*

With Thy Spir - it fill me, With Thy Spir - it fill me;  
 Make me whol - ly Thine, I pray, With Thy Spir - it fill me.

TEXT: Oswald Jeffray Smith  
 MUSIC: Bentley DeForest Ackley

WITH THY SPIRIT  
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## Communion Liturgy

### *Invitation:*

*You who truly and earnestly repent of your sins,  
who live in love and peace with your neighbors, and who intend to lead a new life,  
following the commandments of God and walking in His holy ways,  
draw near with faith, and take this holy sacrament to your comfort;  
and humbly kneeling, make your honest confession to Almighty God.*

### **General Confession:**

**Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
maker of all things, judge of all people,  
we confess that we have sinned, and we are deeply grieved  
as we remember the wickedness of our past lives.  
We have sinned against You, Your holiness and love,  
and we deserve only Your indignation and anger.**

**We sincerely repent, and we are genuinely sorry  
for all wrongdoing and every failure to do the things we should.  
Our hearts are grieved, and we acknowledge that we are hopeless  
without Your grace.**

**Have mercy upon us. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father,  
for the sake of Your son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, who died for us.  
Forgive us. Cleanse us.**

**Give us strength to serve and please You in newness of life,  
And to honor and praise Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### **Lord's Prayer:**

**Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

### **Collect:**

*O Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, who with great mercy  
has promised forgiveness to all who turn to You  
with hearty repentance and true faith, have mercy upon us,  
pardon and deliver us from our sins, make us strong and faithful in all goodness  
and bring us to everlasting life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

### **Prayer For Inner Cleansing:**

**Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open,  
all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts, by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**