

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF JANUARY 21, 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
3:30p *Chimes of Joy*—B102; *Tintinnabulation Handbells*—Sanctuary
4:45p *Heaven’s Harmony* B100; *Youth Choir* B101
Sanctuary Choir—Sanctuary
World Mission Team—B107
5:30p Pre-Service Prayer—B106
6:00p Evening Worship—John Wesley Covenant Service
7:15-8:30p Youth Open Gym—Building C

MONDAY

- 10:00a Ladies’ Bible Study via Zoom
(contact Judy Metcalf for Zoom link / 859-858-4063)

TUESDAY

- 6:30a Men’s Prayer Meeting—A200
7:15a Youth Prayer Breakfast—C
9:00a Ladies’ Prayer Meeting—A200
6:15p *WeBelieve* Handbell Choir—Sanctuary
7:30p *Blessings* Handbell Choir—Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY

- 4:45p Bible Quizzing—B104
6:00p FMY (Free Methodist Youth)—Building C (Dinner 6:30p)
6:15p *Young Musicians*—B100; *Friendship Company*—B101
7:00p Adult Prayer Meeting—B200/201
Strengthening Families—B202
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

- 10a-12n Moms Pray & Play—Building C
6:00p Overseas Fellowship Potluck—C202

SATURDAY

HAZARDOUS WEATHER PLAN: Schedule changes for church events can be found in the news feed on the front page of the church website and also on local TV news, typically one hour prior to service times.



Red Letter News: Life
Matthew 6:25-34

Pastor Daryl



Red Letter News

VIDEO AND PRINT RECORDINGS OF ALL MESSAGES
ARE AVAILABLE AT 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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A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS’ VISION AND VALUES
JANUARY 21, 2024
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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT WPMC!

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 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 A102. Following worship, parents of children ages 4 through Kindergarten must pick up their children from room A102. Children in grades 1-3 will be taken to their Sunday School classroom. Following 11:00 worship, parents must pick up their children from A102 downstairs.

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 move upon the hearts of all those who advocate for abortion in our nation—that they may come to see the divine value of human life and change their minds and ways.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS—UGANDA: Steve and Ruth Hersey serve at Acacia International School, Steve as high school principal and Ruth as a French teacher. Pray for their adult children stateside, Susanna and Sebastian.

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: Keep our high school youth in your prayers as they return from the ski trip today. Pray that this time of challenging themselves and building relationships will prove fruitful beyond the weekend.

NURSERY:

	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	A Crabtree/L Evans/D Flanigan K Winter	J Evans/M Ezell/A Montoya J Montoya
Sunday School	J Lovell/D Roxberry	K Diddle/H Miller/D Simpson
11:00 Worship	L Barbosa/G O'Neal/G Schumacher	E Maynard/M Miller/B Wagler
6:00 Worship	C McGlothlin/N Riffell A Warnock	C Blankenship/R Branan B Howard/R Saunders
Wed. Evening	A Allen/P Probst	A Diddle/P Probst

JOHN WESLEY COVENANT WORSHIP SERVICE
SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 6:00 p.m.

Join us for a centuries-old, yet timeless service by John Wesley, adapted from the 1663 writings of Puritan Richard Allienne. It is a service of serious, personal recommitment to Christ's lordship in our lives.



• THE WINTER OVERSEAS FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK meets this Friday evening, January 26 in the Hospitality Room / Building C. Dinner begins at 6:00p and the program at 7:00p. Jon and Vera Steury, Africa Regional Directors for WGM, will be our guest speakers. All who have lived overseas or are interested in cross-cultural experiences, please come and enjoy the evening. For the dinner, please bring one of the following to share with the whole group: main dish or salad or dessert.

• BOOKS ON DISPLAY: Be sure to stop by the curio cabinet in the church foyer and check out the books on display. Every book has been authored by someone in our church family.

• WPMC MEMBERSHIP CLASS: Mark your calendar for the next class, February 3, 2024, a Saturday seminar from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon. The class gives a comprehensive introduction to our church, denomination, and beliefs. Come and investigate - no commitment required to take the class. Child care provided. Interested? Write "Member" on the Welcome Card.

• GIVING RECEIPTS FOR 2023: We will print giving receipts soon to be picked up in the foyer. If you would like a giving receipt for 2023 e-mailed to you instead of a hard copy, please write "Giving" and your email address on your Welcome Card today, or contact the church office.

• THE PLUMBLINE, OUR CHURCH NEWSLETTER can be delivered to your inbox, instead of to your mailbox via snail-mail. If you'd prefer online delivery of each issue, just write "Inbox" on your Welcome Card today and we'll make the change. All issues of the Plumblin are also on our website at wilmorefmc.org/resources/plumblin

Young Adult Social—Next Sunday Evening
7:45p at the Winter's house (229 S. Lexington Ave.)
Join us for food, games and fellowship!



Questions? Contact Kelly Winter @859-935-5109. The registration deadline is February 18.

NEW SOUTH CONFERENCE

YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

February 23-25, 2024

Cost: \$25 per person

Speakers: Dennis & Denise Adams



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).

It's Italian!

Sunday, February 4
6:00 p.m. Building C
First Sunday Social

Bring an Italian dish to share!
Suggestions: chicken alfredo, crock
pot lasagna, anti pasta salad,

WPMC is hosting the
Bluegrass Open Bible Quiz
February 10, 2024



You are invited to support and attend our Bible quiz team. Watch our teens in competition with 10-12 other churches coming to Wilmore from multiple states! As the host church, we are responsible to provide lodging and lunch on Saturday and we need your help in these two areas:

LODGING

If you have a spare bedroom or two, a family room with a couch, floor space, etc., and would be willing to host two or more quizzers and/or adults on Friday night, February 9, e-mail housing coordinator Anna Bryson at ajbryson12@gmail.com or 859-940-4372. Multiple beds aren't needed—just one or two for adults. Quizzers bring sleeping bags and use the floor.

SATURDAY LUNCH

If you can help with lunch prep/serving/cleanup, please contact Christine Maynard at rcmaynard@yahoo.com or 859-797-1367. We need cookie bakers, cooks, and cash donations to purchase supplies.



JANUARY FOOD ITEM: PUDDING CUPS

Each weekend, 80 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. Each month, we collect one item that is needed for the bags. Thank you for helping support our kids!

A COMMUNITY-WIDE EXPERIMENT IN PRAYER: One week of 24-7 prayer for our nation, from 9:00a, January 26 through 9:00a, February 2, will take place at Sanctuary (330 E Main, Wilmore). Sign up for 30 minute slots at: <https://signup.24-7prayer.com/signup/b4116c>. Our church connection to this event is Patti McPeake. Men are especially needed to fill the overnight slots - for prayer and/ or security purposes. Please direct your questions to Patti at wilmoreprayer@gmail.com, and please prayerfully consider participating, as the Lord leads you.

CHILDREN'S TIME:

Pastor Daryl

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For a complete list, check the Worship Folder or www.wilmorefmc.org

WORSHIP IN GIVING

The act of giving is a very important thing. We all should consider carefully what we give to the work of the Lord...and not just to Church-related ministries either, but also to missions, to Christian charities, and to the poor. It will be hard to explain to Jesus, when we see Him face to face, how we were willing to allow someone else's genuine needs to go unmet so we could have the "wants" of life.



MUSIC MINISTRY

Shawn Craig, *arr.* Gaylen Bourland

Beyond the Open Door
Victoria Hall, soloist

MESSAGE

Pastor Daryl

Red Letter News: Life

POSTLUDE

Christina Harmon

Postlude on "Ose Shalom" (He Who Makes Peace)

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

Trust and Obey (Hymnal 349)

arr. Lloyd Larson

Just a Closer Walk with Thee (Hymnal 380)

arr. Lyndell Leatherman

All Creatures of Our God and King (Hymnal 64)

arr. David Maddux

SONGS OF PRAISE TO JESUS AND GOD'S GOOD GIFT OF LIFE

Hymnal 96

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Hymnal 41

God Is So Good

Hymnal 42

Seek Ye First

Insert

Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 154

What Can I Give Him?

What can I give Him, poor as I am?

If I were a shepherd I would bring a lamb;

If I were a wise-man I would do my part;

Yet what can I give Him? Give Him my heart.

(CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Dwight

GOD'S WORD TO US

Matthew 6:25-34

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

All: Thanks be to God.

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

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name 96

God . . . gave Him the name that is above every name . . . Jesus Christ is Lord. Phil. 2:9-11

1. All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an-gels pros-trate
 2. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, Ye ran-somed from the
 3. Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe, On this ter-res-trial
 4. O that with yon - der sa - cred throng We at His feet may

fall, Let an - gels pros-trate fall; Bring forth the roy - al di - a -
 fall, Ye ran-somed from the fall; Hail Him who saves you by His
 ball, On this ter - res-trial ball; To Him all maj - es - ty as -
 fall, We at His feet may fall! We'll join the ev - er - last - ing

dem,
 grace, And crown Him, crown Him,
 crite,
 song, And crown Him, crown Him, crown Him, crown Him, crown Him,

crown

crown Him, crown Him, And crown Him Lord of all. A - men.

Him,

TEXT: Edward Perronet; adapted by John Rippon,
 MUSIC: James Ellor

DIADEM
 C.M. with Refrain

40 A Perfect Heart

I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you. Ezek. 36:26

Bless the Lord (bless the Lord) who reigns in beau-ty; Bless the Lord (bless the Lord)

who reigns in wis - dom and with pow'r. Bless the Lord (bless the Lord)

who reigns my life with so much love, He can make a per-fect heart.

TEXT and MUSIC: Dony McGuire and Reba Rambo

A PERFECT HEART
Irregular meter

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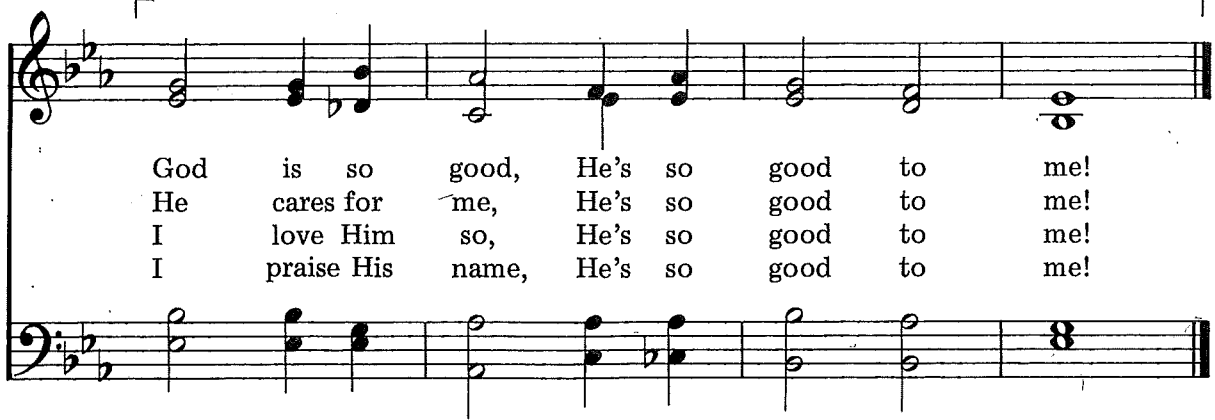
41 God Is So Good

Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good. 1 Chr. 16:34

1. God is so good, God is so good,
2. He cares for me, He cares for me,
3. I love Him so, I love Him so,
4. I praise His name, I praise His name,

TEXT and MUSIC: Traditional

GOD IS SO GOOD
Irregular meter

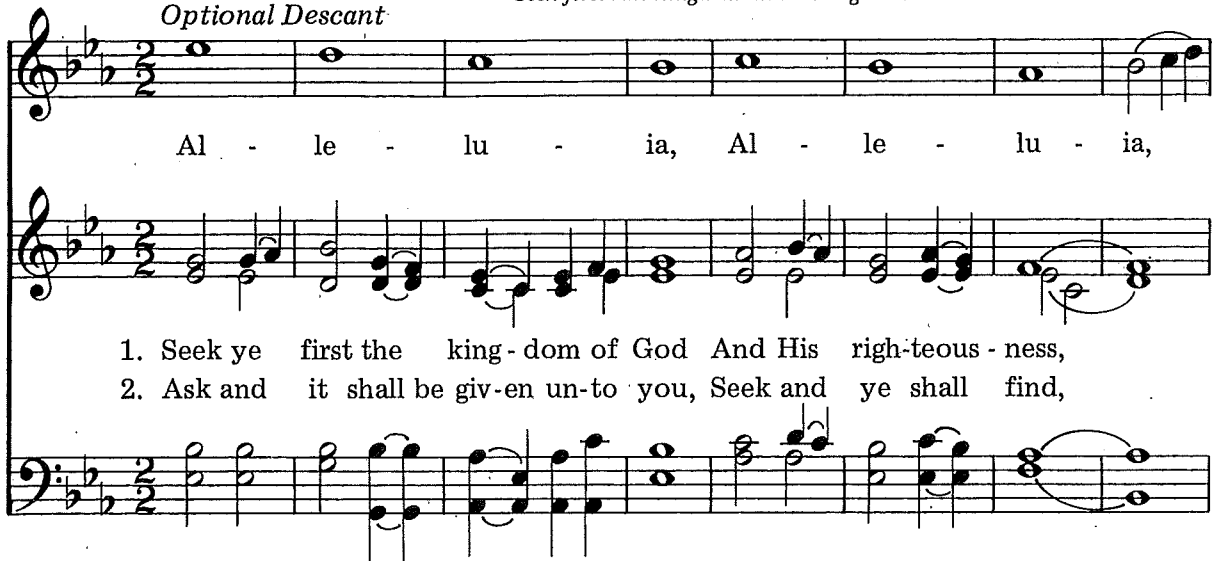


God is so good, He's so good to me!
 He cares for me, He's so good to me!
 I love Him so, He's so good to me!
 I praise His name, He's so good to me!

Seek Ye First 42

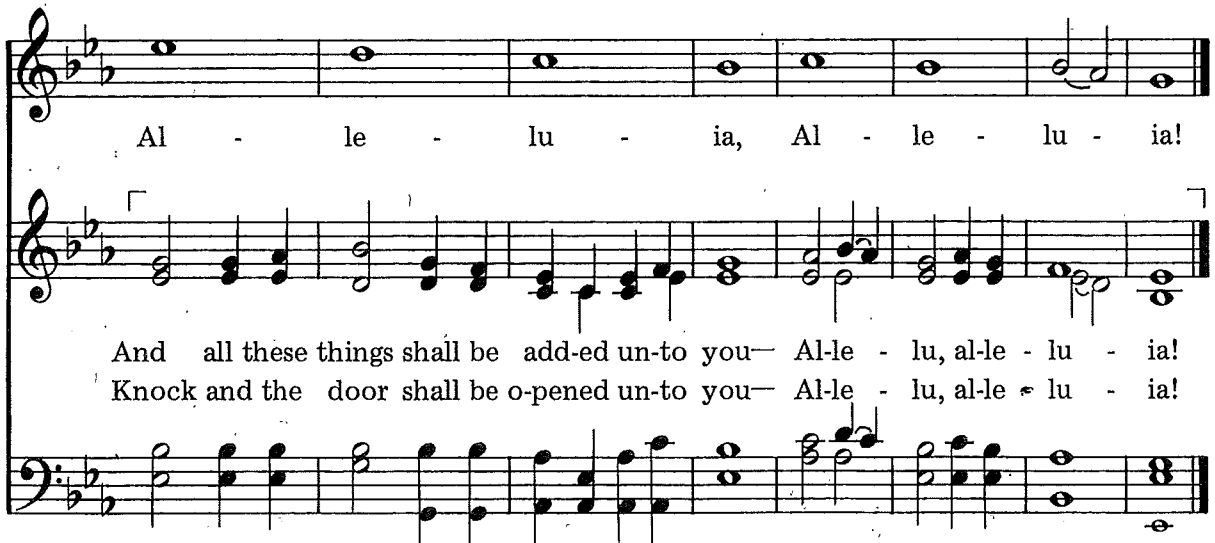
Seek first His kingdom and His righteousness. Matt. 6:33

Optional Descant



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

1. Seek ye first the king - dom of God And His righ - teous - ness,
 2. Ask and it shall be giv - en un - to you, Seek and ye shall find,



Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

And all these things shall be add - ed un - to you— Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!
 Knock and the door shall be o - pened un - to you— Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia!

Holy Spirit

Words and Music by
Stuart Townend and Keith Getty

VERSE

E♭ E♭maj⁷/G A♭ B♭ A♭/C B♭/D E♭ E♭/G B♭ E♭/G

1. Ho - ly Spir - it, liv - ing Breath of God, breathe new
2. Ho - ly Spir - it, come a - bide with - in, may Your
3. Ho - ly Spir - it, from cre - a - tion's birth, giv - ing

3 A♭ B♭ A♭/C B♭/D E♭ A♭/E♭ B♭/E♭ E♭ E♭maj⁷/G A♭ B♭ A♭/C B♭/D

life in - to my will - ing soul. Let the pres - ence of the
joy be seen in all I do. Love e - nough to cov - er
life to all that God has made, show Your pow - er once a -

6 E♭ E♭/G B♭ E♭/G A♭ B♭ A♭/C B♭/D E♭

ris - en Lord come re - new my heart and make me whole.
ev - 'ry sin, in each thought and deed and at - ti - tude.
-gain on earth, cause Your church to hun - ger for Your ways.

9 A \flat B \flat Cm E \flat /G A \flat E \flat /G B \flat Cm B \flat /D E \flat E \flat /G

Cause Your word to come a - live in me; Give me faith for what I
 Kind - ness to the great - est and the least, gen - tle - ness that sows the
 Let the fra - grance of our pray'rs a - rise; Lead us on the road of

12 Fm E \flat B \flat Cm E \flat maj⁷/G A \flat B \flat A \flat /C B \flat /D

can - not see, give me pas - sion for Your
 path of peace. Turn my striv - ings in - to
 sac - ri - fice, that in u - ni - ty the

14 E \flat E \flat /G B \flat E \flat /G A \flat B \flat A \flat /C B \flat /D E \flat

pu - ri - ty; Ho - ly Spir - it breathe new life in me.
 works of grace; Breath of God show Christ in all I do.
 face of Christ may be clear for all the world to see.