WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF NOVEMBER 23, 2025

TODAY

8:00a Pre-Service Praver—B106 Morning Worship—Sanctuary 8:30a Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing

Sunday School, Adult and Youth Bible Fellowships 9:45a

Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing

Morning Worship—Sanctuary 11:00a Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing

Chimes of Joy—B102 3:30p

Tintinnabulation Handbells—Asbury University

Heaven's Harmony Choir—B100; No Youth Choir

Christmas Choir—Sanctuary

Evening Worship—On Your Mark 6:00p High School Senior Seminar—C204 HS Girls Bible Study—C202

Young Adults @ Winters, 229 S Lexington Ave 7:45p

MONDAY

10:00a Ladies' Bible Study—Zoom Only Nov 23 & Dec 2 Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87035652384?

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TUESDAY

6:30a Men's Prayer Meeting—A200 Youth Prayer Breakfast—C 7:15a Ladies' Bible Study—B203 9:30a 4:55p Bible Quizzing—Building B

No WeBellieve or Blessings Handbell Choirs

WEDNESDAY

12:00 noon Church Office Closes

No Wednesday evening activities



FRIDAY

Church Office Closed

SATURDAY

Complements - Lion and Lamb Revelation 5:1-10

Pastor Darvl

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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.







A COMMUNITY THAT REFLECTS JESUS' VISION AND VALUES NOVEMBER 23, 2025 **THANKSGIVING**

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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 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 (Al00 and Al06). 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 give the Lord thanks for all of His blessings...they are many and wonderful!

WORLD MISSION FOCUS—ASIA: Darin and Jill Land have ministered in Asia since 2009. Darin serves as FM Associate Director for Asia and Jill works in mentoring and administration. They also supervise the production of theological teaching modules accessible anywhere via Zoom.

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: We heard from missionary Steve this past week about his time in Kenya. Talk as a family about which story stood out to you! God worked through laughter and through frustration, something which we

NURSERY:		
8:30 Worship	TODAY/THIS WEEK D Flanigan/A Montoya/J Montoya Z Stiger	NEXT WEEK G Crabtree/J Crabtree/P Diddle
Sunday School	K Diddle/H Miller	M Flowers/J Moon
11:00 Worship	T Adams/E Dobie/M Miller	R Cooper/J Dobie/A Dotterweich
6:00 Worship	C Blankenship/M Branan R Saunders	M Branan/C Coulliette/A Diddle C Gothay
Wed. Evening	A Allen/P Probst	G Weinberger/R Weinberger

The Hanging Of The Greens

Next Sunday Evening, November 30 6:00p A beautiful and helpful service of preparation for Christ's coming at Christmas, including Heaven's Harmony, Chimes of Joy and Blessings Handbell choir. Join in the celebration.

• 2025 ADVENT DEVOTIONAL GUIDES available in the fover.



TALL, STRONG VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TONIGHT

to help set up Christmas trees that will beautify our campus during the Advent and Christmas seasons. Can you help following evening worship tonight for 30 minutes? Please come to the front of the sanctuary following evening worship.



2025 ADVENT / CHRISTMAS SPECIAL EVENTS

30 First Sunday in Advent: Morning Worship 8:30a & 11:00a Hanging of the Greens—6:00p

DECEMBER

- Christmas in Wilmore / Hot Chocolate Outreach
- Second Sunday in Advent Musical Celebration of Christmas—8:30a & 11:00a Evening Worship / Communion— 6:00p Young Adult Christmas Party—7:45p
- Prime Timers Christmas Luncheon—12:00n
- Third Sunday in Advent: Morning Worship—8:30a & 11:00a Christmas Caroling / Hotdog Social—6:00p
- 17 Youth Christmas Party—6:30p
- 20 Men's Breakfast @ Comfort Inn—8:00a
- 21 Fourth Sunday in Advent: Morning Worship—8:30a & 11:00a No Sunday School, Youth or Adult Bible Fellowships, Children's Worship, or Evening Worship
- 22 Public Schools Christmas Break (2 weeks) Church Offices closed this week
- 24 Christmas Eve Worship—5:00p, 6:30p, 11:00p
- 28 Morning Worship Services—8:30a & 11:00a No Sunday School, Youth or Adult Bible Fellowships, Children's Worship, or Evening Worship
- 29 Church offices closed this week

IANUARY

- Church Office Re-opens
- Morning Worship—8:30a & 11:00a Sunday School Breakfast Potluck—9:45a John Wesley Covenant Service—6:00p

Evening Worship Tonight Testimonies Music Ministry — Mia Campbell On Your Mark with Pastor Daryl

LIGHT FROM THE WORD: Copies of the winter issue are available at the Welcome Desk.

UPCOMING FREE CHRISTMAS CONCERTS AT ASBURY UNIVERSITY

- Dec. 3: Christmas Music Chapel, Hughes Auditorium, 10:00a (Concert Band, Men's Glee Club, Women's Choir)
- Dec. 4: Handbell Choir & Jazz Ensemble, Student Center, 11:00a
- Dec. 5: Songs of the Season, Hughes Auditorium, 7:30p (Chorale, Orchestra, English Faculty)

ASBURY THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY'S ADVENT VESPERS SERVICE

December 7, 2025—two services

4:00p A family-friendly service featuring the Seminary Singers and orchestra as well as the Kalas Kids Choir.

7:00p Features the Seminary Singers and orchestra. Both services conclude with the traditional lighting of candles.



The WFMC Finance Team invites the congregation to honor our church staff with Christmas gifts. Mark **HRISTMAS** your gift "Gifts for Staff" and place them in the basket at the Welcome Center (envelopes are available there)

or give online marking the "Staff Gift" box, by December 14. Gifts in excess of pre-determined amounts will be given to Benevolence.



Hot Chocolate Outreach

Wilmore Old Fashioned Christmas, December 6 One-hour shifts will begin at 5:30p and end at 8:30p.

We will also be distributing outreach materials. Write "Chocolate" on your Welcome Card if you can serve a one-hour shift.



NOVEMBER FOOD ITEM: INSTANT OATMEAL PACKETS

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.

CHILDREN'S TIME: Pastor Caitlin

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

WORSHIP IN GIVING

Our giving to the Lord – whether electronically or through the foyer offering boxes, is one of our expressions of worship and thanks to Him...for all He is and all He has done for us. Just as God did not skimp on His grace in giving us Jesus, we do not skimp in our praise. We give willingly, with cheerful and glad hearts.

MUSIC MINISTRY arr. Kathleen Wissinger

A Mighty Fortress (Hymnal 26) Handbell Trio

Pastor Daryl MESSAGE

Complements - Lion and Lamb

POSTLUDE Marilynn Ham

> In Christ Alone Hannah Miller, piano

P 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

I Need Thee Every Hour (Hymnal 428) Alex-Zsolt The Solid Rock (Hymnal 404) Larry Shackley I Then Shall Live (Notebook C28) Mark Hayes Hannah Miller, piano

SONGS OF THANKSGIVING AND PEACE

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come Hymnal 559 Count Your Blessings Hymnal 563 Hymnal 493 It Is Well with My Soul

CALL TO PRAYER

Hymnal 564 We Are So Blessed

We are so blessed by the gifts from Your hand, I just can't understand why You loved us so much.

We are so blessed, we just can't find a way,

Or the words that can say, "Thank You Lord, for Your touch."

When we're empty You fill us 'til we overflow;

When we're hungry You feed us and cause us to know; we are so blessed Take what we have to bring; take it all, everything; Lord, we love You so much.

(CCLI Member)

PRAYER Pastor Dwight

Revelation 5:1-10 GOD'S WORD TO US Leader: The Word of God for the people of God. (Page 869)

All: Thanks be to God.

559 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come You crown the year with Your bounty. Ps. 65:11 ► 1. Come, ye thank - ful peo - ple, come— Raise the song of har - vest-home: 2. All the world is God's own field, Fruit un - to His praise to yield; 3. For the Lord our God shall come And shall take His har - vest home: ven so, Lord, quick-ly come To -Thy fi - nal har - vest-home; All is safe - ly gath - ered in the win-ter Ere storms be - gin. Wheat and tares to - geth - er sown, Un - to joy or sor - row grown. From His field shall in that day All of - fens - es purge a - way; Gath - er Thou Thy peo - ple in, Free from sor - row, free from sin; God, our Mak - er, doth pro-vide For our wants to be sup - plied: First the blade and then the ear, Then the full corn shall ap - pear: Give His an - gels charge at last In the fire the tares to cast, There, for-ev - er pu - ri - fied. In Thy pres - ence to a - bide: Come to God's own tem -ple, come—Raise the song of har-vest-home. Lord of har - vest, grant that we Wholesome grain and pure may be. But the fruit-ful ears to store In His gar-ner ev-er-more. Come, with all Thine an-gels, come—Raise the glo-rious har-vest-home. A - men.

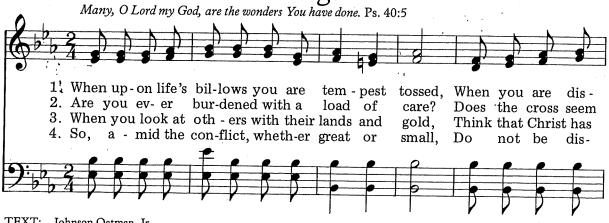
TEXT: Henry Alford MUSIC: George J. Elvey

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562 Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart



563 Count Your Blessings

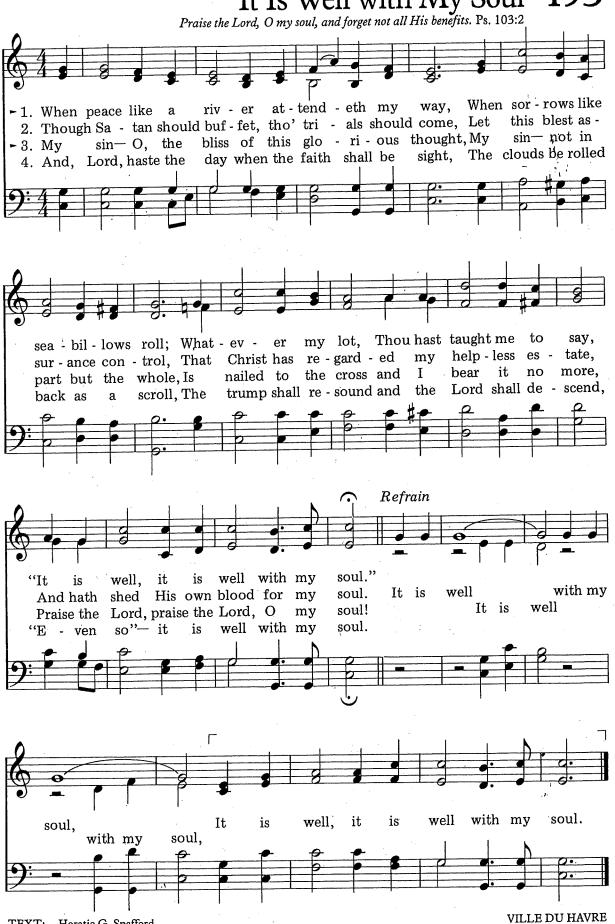


TEXT: Johnson Oatman, Jr. MUSIC: Edwin O. Excell

BLESSINGS 11.11.11.11. with Refrain



It Is Well with My Soul 493



TEXT: Horatio G. Spafford MUSIC: Philip P. Bliss

VILLE DU HAVRE 11.8.11.9. with Refrain

2025 Foyer Angel Tree Options



Our overseas project this year is through Free Methodist International Child Care Ministry providing chickens for the children of our FMC impoverished pastors and church leaders in Burundi. The chicken eggs can be used as food, sold on the market or for hatching to increase the flock. Each chicken costs \$12.00. Take a chicken from the tree to learn more!





Every child should experience joy on Christmas morning and the Salvation Army Angel Tree program helps to make this happen for children in Jessamine County. Take a Salvation Army tag from the tree in the foyer, and then place your unwrapped present under the tree by December 7.