

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—WEEK OF OCTOBER 18, 2020

TODAY

- 8:30a Morning Worship I—Sanctuary & B200-B201 Overflow
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
- 9:40a Children’s Sunday School, Youth and Adult Bible Fellowships
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing
- 11:00a Morning Worship II—Sanctuary & B200-B201 Overflow
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing children under 4 years
- 3:30p Youth Handbell Choir—Sanctuary

MONDAY

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

TUESDAY

- 6:30a Men’s Prayer Meeting—A200
- 8:00a Ladies’ Prayer Meeting—A200
- 8:00a Youth Prayer Breakfast—Building C
- 8:30a-4:00p HS/MS Virtual Café
- 9:30a Ladies Bible Study —B200
- 6:30p Blessings Handbell Choir—Sanctuary
- 6:30-8:30p Baby Shower Come and Go—Building C
- 7:00p Francis Asbury Society Bible Study w/ John Oswalt—B200/201

WEDNESDAY


- 4:50p Bible Quizzing—B100s
- 7:00p Adult Prayer Meeting
- Leadership Development B101
- FM Youth—Building C
- Children Grades K through 5—A106
Pre-School (4 and under)—Building B Preschool Wing
Nursery—Building B Preschool Wing

THURSDAY


FRIDAY

- 8:30a-12:30p HS/MS Virtual Café
- 10:00a-noon Moms Pray & Play—Church playground

SATURDAY



RightNow Media is now available free to you and your family. It is a 20,000 +/- video library that includes kids cartoons, Bible studies, personal development tools and much more. These resources can be used personally or for a group. Explore it today by one of the following 3 options:

- Click <https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/wilmorefmc>
- text RIGHTNOW WILMOREFMC to 41411
- Scan this QRcode 

This is a great opportunity to watch something truly good!

Jesus Provocateur: Perseverance

Pastor Daryl

Luke 5:17-26



RECORDINGS OF ALL MESSAGES ARE AVAILABLE.

Note “Message” and date on a Communication Card at the Welcome Center, and pick up your CD the following Sunday. Messages (audio, video and print) may also be downloaded 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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WELCOME

Welcome to worship at WFMC!
Here are some helpful notes if you are new.

THE COMMUNICATION CARD is key to allowing us to welcome you fully. Please fill it out and drop it in the gold box after worship. We won't harass you, but we'd love to send a welcoming note.

THE WORSHIP GUIDE in this folder leads through our service. We try to use elements, liturgy, music and sacraments from a variety of Christian traditions to help lead people of all ages, stages, and tastes into God's presence. Worship is participatory, so please join in prayer, word, giving, and song.

NURSERY for children up to 2 years is available all morning in the Pre-school Complex, Building B. Please note nursery at the 11:00a service includes children under 4 years old.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP JR. (CWJR, age 2 and 3) is presently available during the 8:30a worship service in the Pre-school Complex, Building B.

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP (CW, age 4 through grade 3) is presently available in the 8:30a service only. After the Children's Time, children are escorted by CW Staff to A106. Following worship, parents of children ages 4 through Kindergarten must pick up their children from Room A106. Children in grades 1-3 will be taken to their Sunday School classroom.

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: Be sure to pray for those who lead, work in, and learn in our schools, both public and private. Pray for wisdom for them and grace to lead, work and learn well.

WORLD MISSION FOCUS— USA: Pray for Dan & Katie Searls representing WGM in the SE, traveling to colleges and conferences to encourage young people to consider God's call into overseas missions. Pray for their four adult daughters.

HOME MISSION FOCUS: Pray for Oakdale Christian Academy, students, faculty, and staff. Pray for wisdom and strength as they navigate all the challenges in keeping the school both safe and effective in these days.

YOUTH MINISTRY FOCUS: The leaves are changing. The nights are cooler. It is just about time for New South Conference Fall Youth Retreat!! Fall retreat is October 30-November 1. Registration packets are available now on the Youth Bulletin Board in Building C. Retreat registrations (grades 7-12) are due no later than **Sunday, October 25.**

Please contact Pastor Andrea with any questions.

NURSERY:

	TODAY/THIS WEEK	NEXT WEEK
8:30 Worship	D Flanigan/M Woki	C Blankenship/H Hall
Sunday School	C Blankenship/D Roxberry	C Blankenship/P Probst
11:00Worship	N Elwood/E Walsh S Walsh	J Dargan/J Madill/E Maynard
Wed. Evening	L Branan/K Winter	A Allen/R Thompson

• **THANK YOU SO MUCH** for your generous giving to the Missions Week special project. We met and greatly exceeded our goal of \$2,000. The final tally is over \$6,500! Thank you for supporting our missionaries as they work together with national partners to bring the Good News of the Kingdom to all the nations! - *the WFMC World Missions Team*

• **HONORING OUR FALLEN HEROES:** Do you have a loved one who served in the military who gave all, losing their life? If so, we would like to know about this. It may have been a close relative, ancestor or dear friend. If you would be willing to allow us to honor this person or persons, please contact Teresa Cassidy by phone at 885-6951 or email at rgcassidy@windstream.net. Teresa will be assembling this display in the cabinet in the foyer.

• **MEMBERSHIP CLASS NOVEMBER 14.** A Saturday Seminar format meeting here at the church 9am-noon. Want to know more about the Free Methodist church...and our church in particular? Interested in membership? Mark your calendars and let the office know you intend to come: office@wfmc.net

• **THE COMMUNITY SERVICE CENTER FOOD PANTRY** needs to stock some shelves in preparation for the October 31 food distribution. Would you please consider donating canned goods and other non-perishable food items (simple items which only require the addition of milk or water)? You can drop your donation off at the Big Blue Barrel inside Fitch's IGA or at the CSC Thrift Shop. Donations needed by Wednesday, October 28.

• **THIS IS THE SEASON** when people new to our community are visiting our church, trying to find a church home. Please take the initiative to engage and welcome those you don't recognize. You may find that those whom you greet have been here longer than you! Let's remember to be, as we always are, gracious and welcoming, and especially so in these strange days.

• **WFMC MARRIAGE MINISTRIES EVENT!** Coming November 7—a date night for married and engaged couples in Building C, 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendars! More information to follow.

"JESUS, 2020" YARD SIGNS AVAILABLE!

Jesus 2020

Want to give a message of real hope to our communities? Want to advertise a Name you can fully stand behind? Every person / family is welcome to take one from the foyer for their yard, so we might offer our neighbors the reminder that, truly, only Jesus can bring the healing and hope that our nation so desperately needs.

IN THESE STRANGE DAYS, we are worshipping in ways that are as touchless as possible, which means not using hymnals / songbooks, offering plates, or common communion elements. We're not greeting one another with hugs or hand-shakes, and we are wearing masks when less than 6 feet from others indoors and while singing. We're also not singing quite as much as typical, and most of our music ministries groups are on hold. All this, like so many other parts of life, is very different, and we pray the need for it passes quickly. Until then, thank you for loving one another in these ways.



**OCTOBER IS
PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH!**
This is a great opportunity to say "THANK YOU"

to our diligent and committed team of pastors. Please consider how you might meaningfully express your appreciation in these next few weeks...maybe a card, a note, a gift card, or an offer to volunteer your service in one of our needed ministry areas. We encourage you to find a way to shower our pastoral families with your love and prayer support!

- *Your WFMC Conference Delegates: Jan Coleman, Charlie Fiskeaux, Glen Flanigan, John Ireland, Ken Thompson, Roberta Zent*

A Time To Remember... On Wednesday evening, November 4, we will remember and celebrate the lives of our family members who have passed away during the past year (*since October 2019*). Through songs, prayers and scripture readings, we will honor those who were part of the WFMC family, as well as the deceased parents, siblings and children of those who attend WFMC.

If you would like your loved one included, please complete the yellow information sheet provided at the Welcome Desk in the foyer. If you want to include a picture(s), have it to the office by **October 21.**

**BABY SHOWER TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20
6:30-8:30 p.m., Come & Go—Building C**
Ladies—You are invited to a "come and go" baby shower for Steve & Katie (Liversedge) Grudda. They are expecting a girl and are registered at babylist.com. Gently loved items are also welcome!



WFMC TRUNK OR TREAT EVENT! OCTOBER 28, 7-8:00 p.m.

We will host a Trunk or Treat night Wednesday, October 28, on our lower parking lot.

Kids and Families- (preschool-elementary) Dress up in your funniest, silliest or crazy costumes and join us on a walk-thru Trunk or Treat. This will be a come-and-go family event between 7 and 8 p.m. Come enjoy popcorn, S'mores, a photo op and so much more!

We could still use more candy and more help setting up. Please drop the candy off in the basket near the Welcome Center. If you would like to help set up at 4:30 that day, please contact Cheryl Schell. Thanks to all those who volunteered their vehicles!

Please note—this replaces our regular Wednesday programming on Oct 28 for children preschool-elementary.

Three Ways to Give Children Overseas a... Merry Christmas...

1 Operation Christmas Child Sponsored by Samaritan's Purse, the due date for your box is Sunday, November 15 (6 weeks!) Please consider becoming involved in this worthwhile ministry. Did you know the shoebox gifts collected in 2019 were distributed to 118 countries and territories, including 27 hard-to-reach countries not named for security reasons. Many of you helped lead children to Jesus by packing a simple shoebox. Let's do it again!



2 Bulgaria Christmas Gift Box: Free Methodist Bulgarians use our funds to tailor gifts to the age and need of orphans, street, and other needy kids, being careful to keep all gifts similar and useful to the context. With no shipping costs or import taxes, local businesses are supported in these extra-needy times.

3 International Child Care Ministries ICCM is an organization within the Free Methodist Church who dreams of a world where every child is loved, safe and developing their God-given potential, and who realizes that hunger robs children of their potential. With the "Extend Your Table" special project, F.M. churches supplement the food needs of children around the world. Through this program the average cost for 100 meals is \$45.00, or only 45 cents a meal. Our gifts this season will bring a blessing to our churches and children around the world.



Pick an ornament, or a box, from the tree in the foyer with instructions on how to give in these ways, and be a blessing to a child in need this Christmas.

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

This Is My Father's World arr. Rebecca Bonam
Brethren, We Have Met To Worship arr. Jon Ensminger
When Morning Gilds the Skies arr. Rebecca Bonam
 (Amanda Bailey, flute)

SONGS OF FAITH AND FERVOR

(Please wear a mask if you choose to sing)

Indescribable
Be Strong in the Lord (stanzas 1, 3)
Lead On, O King Eternal

CALL TO PRAYER

He is able, more than able to accomplish what concerns me today.
He is able, more than able to handle anything that comes my way.
He is able, more than able to do much more than I could ever dream.
He is able, more than able to make me what He wants me to be. (CCLI Member)

PRAYER

Pastor Andrea

GOD'S WORD TO US

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

Luke 5:17-26

CHILDREN'S TIME

Pastor Daryl

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 Children ages 2 and 3 meet in the *Building B Preschool Wing* for the entire service.

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 After Children's Time, children age 4 through grade 3 will be dismissed (please wear masks) and escorted by CW staff to Room A106. Following 8:30 worship, parents of children age 4 through Kindergarten must pick up their children. Children in grades 1-3 will be dismissed to their Sunday School classroom.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Children in 8:30 service may now leave for Children's Worship

MUSIC MINISTRY

Bill & Gloria Gaither

It Is Finished
 Wes Blankenship, soloist

MESSAGE

Jesus, Provocateur: Perseverance

Pastor Daryl

POSTLUDE

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

arr. Robert Powell

WORSHIP IN GIVING In this strange, "touchless" season, we are giving our finances in worship through either the gold boxes in the foyer, by mail, or digitally through *Engage* via this QR code.

