

Wesley Church family...

It's VBS week!! There's been a lot of hustle and bustle up here this week with people giving of their time, for many their last week of summer break, to prepare and ready the church for what will be a MAGNIFICENT marketplace for VBS to take place in! Kids and adults alike will be transported back in time to spend a couple of days in the land and life of Jesus! There will be brick layers, scroll makers, potters, jewelry craftsmen, rabbis, tax collectors, singing in the synagogue and teaching in the temple, all KINDS of things to engage in and learn from!

And...it's not just for kids...it's for EVERYBODY!!

We ALL need to know what Jesus's life was like and how He walked this Earth because we are supposed to follow in His footsteps! This is an opportunity for us all to learn about Jesus's life and this will be a fun, fantastic way to do that!

Of course, the main way we do this is by having a daily quiet time. You can't walk in His footsteps unless you know where He walked. How He walked. Where He ran to and what made Him run there? What made our Lord leap for joy? What made Him kneel?

The only way you will know those things is by reading His Word. Each and every day. Read about His interactions with those around Him. Read about where He went and more importantly, why He went there. Read and learn about His life here on Earth so you can learn to pattern your day after His example.

This weekend, VBS Marketplace will be a really neat chance to experience firsthand a glimpse into what life might have been like for Christ. A touching experience in every sense of the word. It would be wise of you to come!

Speaking of wisdom, Bro. Jim will continue preaching about wisdom and how precious it is this coming Sunday. He'll be preaching from Proverbs 14-15.

And if you were here last Sunday, you should JUMP at the chance to hear what God has laid on Bro. Jim's heart!

See you Friday night at 5pm at VBS MARKETPLACE!!

Watching God work,
Trae

Sunday's Message:
"Where Wisdom is Precious"
Proverbs 14-15

July Events

Wednesday, July 23rd

2pm-5pm.....Youth Escape Room

6pm.....Brown Bag Bible Study, Man Church

7pm.....Choir Practice

Friday, July 25th

5pm.....VBS Marketplace

Sunday, July 26th

8am-Noon.....VBS

Marketplace

Sunday, July 27th

9:15am....Coffee and Donuts in Holy Grounds

9:30am.....Sunday School

10:30am.....Worship Service

5pm.....Prayer Meeting

Tuesday, July 28th

NO FOOD PANTRY



Prayer List

We have a new Prayer Ministry starting up and we'd love for you to be a part of it! We'll meet for prayer every Sunday at 5pm in the Good News Sunday School class. There are new prayer cards available for you to fill out and put in the prayer box in the foyer. They will be prayed over at our meeting every Sunday and will be held close to our hearts. We also will be updating our prayer list monthly and we're starting with a fresh list for July so please keep us up-to-date so we can keep people on there longer if needed.

Praying for others is an important part of our ministry as the body of Christ. Please incorporate this list as a part of your personal prayer life.

Prayer Requests for July 20th

Kathy Byrd (recovering from surgery)

Frazier family (death of Julian Prince, Sr, granddad to Wendy, Jo and GA)

Unspoken request

Prayers Requests for July 13th

Russ Wilson

Joe Nardozi

Mike Eaton

Pam Shields

Sonny and Barbara Turner

Rose Trigg

Prayer Requests for July 6th

Brenda Pearce

Don McCain

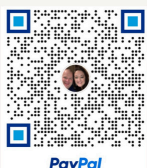


Florist Contact Info:

Rachel Davis
419-6868

Arrangements are \$50 to be paid before the Sunday needed.

Cash, check or digital options below!



SUMMER

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

LADIES BOOK CLUB

With Anna Garner



- WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB JULY SUMMER READING IS "BEFORE THE KING" BY HEATHER KAUFMAN
- INVITE YOUR FRIENDS TO READ ALONG! SPEND SOME TIME REALLY GETTING TO KNOW A WOMAN FROM THE BIBLE!
- **WE WILL MEET TO DISCUSS THIS BOOK OVER SOME SNACKS ON 8/13 FROM 5:30PM-7PM**
- THIS IS A GREAT TIME TO INVITE NEIGHBORS & COWORKERS!

BROWN BAG BIBLE STUDY

SUMMER WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT
WESLEY CHURCH

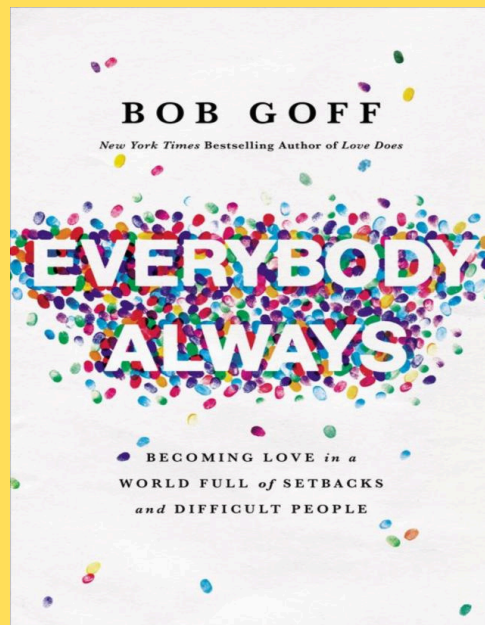

BROWN BAG BIBLE STUDY

Bring Your Own Dinner
5:30-6:00 Dinner
6:00-7:00 Study

JUNE 4, JUNE 11, JUNE 18, JUNE 25,
JULY 9, JULY 16, AND JULY 23

A study for adults of all ages!

If you would like to lead one week,
please contact Wendy Frazier
(662.322.1027) or Anna Taylor
(662.871.4236)



"THE MAN CHURCH" IS A PROGRAM COMPRISED OF FIELD-TESTED SOLUTIONS FOR CHALLENGING AND EQUIPPING MEN TO BECOME THE PEOPLE GOD CREATED THEM TO BE. JOIN US ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT 6PM AS WE ENGAGE IN SOME HEARTY CONVERSATION DISCUSSING BEING STRONG, CHRISTIAN MEN IN TODAY'S SOCIETY.

Wesley Church

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

COOKOUT
Hamburgers,
Hot Dogs, &
Popcorn!

SUNDAY
AUG 3RD
5PM

COME OUT AS WE KICK OFF
A BRAND NEW YEAR OF
SCHOOL!!

We'll also have a very special time of prayer as
we gather our students, school staff, and
parents together and pray over them for a
wonderful school year!

EVERYONE'S INVITED!

Water slides and
bouncy houses!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 3 - Leslie Card	July 13 - Carley Herndon
July 5 - Cullen Tedford	July 16 - Jim McClurkan
July 6 - John Pannell	July 18 - Wally Cason
July 6 - Kaitlyn Haire	July 20 - Jeremiah Armstrong
July 7 - Dale Dobbs	July 20 - Jonathan Armstrong
July 11 - Samantha Braden	July 20 - Mylie Haire
July 11 - Ariel Chamblee	July 23 - Alaska Riley
July 11 - Errol Tootle	July 24 - Debbie Clark
July 12- Kathy Byrd	July 27 - Mary Hutson
	July 27 - Janet Violette



WESLEY YOUTH

WESLEY YOUTH UPCOMING SCHEDULE

WED, JULY 23 SUMMER JAM 2:00-5:00 @ WESLEY	WED, JULY 30 NO YOUTH!
SUN, AUG 3 BACK TO SCHOOL BASH 5:00-7:00	WED, AUG 6 ART WITH ANNA GARNER
SUN, AUG 10 NO YOUTH	WED, AUG 13 YOUTH 5:00-7:00
SUN, AUG 17 POOL PARTY @ THE HERNDON'S	WED, AUG 20 YOUTH 5:00-7:00
SUN, AUG 24 NO YOUTH	WED, AUG 27 YOUTH 5:00-7:00
SUN, AUG 31 YOUTH BOWLING	NO WOW WEDNESDAY MEALS UNTIL SEPTEMBER - EAT BEFORE YOU COME OR BRING FOOD WITH YOU!



Wesley Church is excited to take a journey through time with Jesus! Travel with us on Friday, July 25th from 5pm-8pm to experience a busy Jerusalem marketplace, learning all about life when Jesus and His followers were at home there. Then, on Saturday, July 26th from 8:30am-noon, we'll visit Nazareth where Jesus was a hometown hero. Finally, we'll end our journey where it all began with a breakfast in Bethlehem on Sunday from 9am-10:15am. We invite you to join us as we learn what it's like to walk in the footsteps of Jesus, not only in ancient times but in our everyday lives!

Click the QR code to register!

WAYS TO SERVE



Our Annual Fall Rummage and Bake Sale is September 13th which is right around the corner! Be looking for things to donate and recipes to bake to help support this great fundraiser! Furniture, household goods and decor, kitchen items, outdoor equipment of all kinds, coats, jackets, purses, shoes, books, etc! If you have any items to donate, please bring them to the back of the CLC! We already have some things back there so go ahead and start dropping off your things!

OFFERING COUNTERS

7/6/25 - Martha Clay & Brenda Pearce
7/13/25 - Pat Pearce & Blake Hill
7/20/25 - Bill Austin & Trish Thistle
7/27/25 - Rachel Davis & David Hutson

TRUSTEES

7/6/25 - James Taylor
7/13/25 - Keith Garner
7/20/25 - WT Taylor
7/27/25 - Dewaine Card



Men's breakfast THIS Sunday, July 27th @ 8am! Cook team is Robert Chaney, Dale Dobbs, Raymond Webb, and Leo Hamm.



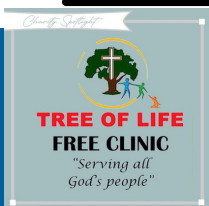
Stay Young returns tentatively THURSDAY, SEPT 4TH! Stay tuned for more details to come in the next few weeks!

FOOD PANTRY

7/1/25 - Pam Shields, Wentris Alford, Martha Webb, Errol Tootle, Bob Walker
7/8/25 - Ruth Dobbs, Pat Pearce, Errol Tootle, Wentris Alford
7/15/25 - Pat Pearce, Wentris Alford, Errol Tootle
7/22/25 - Errol Tootle, Wentris Alford, Pam Shields
7/29/25 - Pam Shields, Wentris Alford, Martha Webb, Errol Tootle, Bob Walker

For the month of August, our Food Pantry will be collecting CANNED VEGETABLES so be sure and drop off some this month in the Food Pantry bin in the foyer!

NO FOOD PANTRY ON TUESDAY, JULY 29TH!

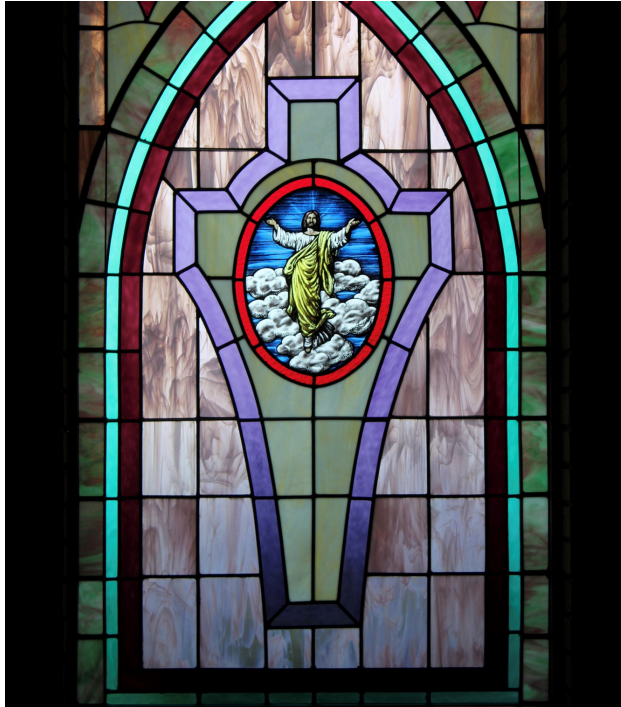


Wednesday, August 6th @ 4:30 pm

Saturday, August 16th @ 8:30 am

WESLEY CHURCH

A Global Methodist Congregation



FOR THE RECORD

Attendance (In - Person)

Morning Worship.... 103 in person, 14 virtual

Stewardship

2025 Operating Budget.....\$261,816*

YTD Budget Receipts.....\$136,234.70

Needed Weekly.....\$5035.68

Weekly Budget Receipts.....\$2799

Budget will be adjusted to account for line of credit payment



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Rev. Dr. Jim McClurkan - Senior Pastor

Rev. Trae Wyatt - Associate Pastor

Rev. Chip Frazier - Associate Pastor

Linda Austin - Director of Music Ministries

Debbie Clark - Financial Secretary

Martha Webb - Pianist

Sandi & Doug Haire - Custodians

Ameera Young & Ashley Wilson-Nursery

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To Believe. To Belong. To Become
Christ-Like Through Discipleship.