



PERSONAL
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WEST LAWN UMC
JANUARY 28, 2024

COFFEE WITH THE PASTORS

TODAY, January 28 / 12:30PM

HE-brews Café

Walk-ins Welcome!

If you would like to know more about West Lawn Church, the United Methodist Church, or are interested in becoming a member, plan to attend Coffee with the Pastors.

SERVE MEAL AT HRM

Sunday, January 28 / 4-7PM

Mike Stephens/mike@skcoinc.com

Sign-up: website / app

Play an integral role in serving those in need at Hope Rescue Mission. Join our HRM team with preparing, delivering, and serving a meal to the HRM residents. To carry out this ministry 6-8 people are needed each month. No long term commitment. Sign-up once or multiple times. Contact Mike if you have questions.

FAMILY MISSION NIGHT

Monday, January 29 / 6-7PM

Raffauf Community Center

Register: website / app

West Lawn church is on a mission! Teaching even our youngest friends the importance of helping others and sharing God's love starts at a



young age. Preschool and toddler families are invited to a Family Mission Night in January. Over the course of one hour, everyone will have the opportunity to complete six age-appropriate mission projects. Register today.

WLW 1/31/2024

Baked Chicken Pie KIDS: Hot Dog

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, February 14 / 7PM

Community Center / Conf Rm

Donna Barnhart / 610-678-7873

dmbhart2@gmail.com

Women's Book Club will meet in February to discuss the book *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime* by Mark Hadden. New readers always welcome! Come join the discussion! Contact Donna for more info.

PRESCHOOL JOB OPENING

Elise Coakley / Ext.701

preschool@westlawnumc.org.

Our preschool is looking to fill a part time assistant teacher position on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons (11:30AM-3:30PM), beginning in February, to work with our extended day students (ages 3-5 years old). Clearances are required. Contact Elise if you are interested.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY ARE PRESENTED:

TO THE GLORY OF GOD!

To place an order for flowers, contact:

Acacia Flower Shop / 610-376-8767 / acaciaflowershop@gmail.com

CARING FOR CAREGIVERS

Pat Goshert / Ext. 403
pgoshert@westlawnumc.org

As part of West Lawn's Caring Ministries, we look to care not only for those in need, but also for those who provide that much-needed care. In 2024, we wish to extend our ministry and surround our caregivers with a family of supporters, opportunities to retreat for renewal and rest, and engaging fellowship and discipleship programs. This new "Caring for the Caregivers" ministry can begin after we identify exactly who the caregivers are in our congregation. If you are currently caring for a family member or friend, please let us know. Contact Pat Goshert, Pastor of Congregational Care.

RESTOCK SS SUPPLIES

Children & Family Ministry is restocking its supplies for 2024! Donations of any of the following materials are appreciated: duct tape in assorted colors, 3-oz. cups, 12" balloons, cupcake liners, animal stickers, glue dots, clear

packing tape, fist-sized rocks, shaving cream. These donations can be dropped off in the Ed. Building or Welcome Center. Thanks in advance.

NJCO LUNCH BUNCH?

Kelly Rismiller / Ext. 301
kelly@westlawnumc.org

In 2024, West Lawn would love to begin preparing and serving regular lunches at New Journey Community Outreach. If you are interested in being part of this "lunch bunch" local mission team, contact Kelly.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| Jan 29 | Family Mission Night |
| Feb 11 | Baptism/Join Sunday |
| Feb 14 | Ash Wednesday |
| Feb 25 | Sweet Sunday Party |
| Feb 25 | Cupcake Wars |
| Mar 1 | MM @ Reading Royals |
| Mar 8-9 | FF Consignment Sale |
| Mar 30 | Easter Eggstravaganza |



DOWNLOAD
THE WLUMC
APP TODAY!

PASTORS

Tom Ebersole, Lead Pastor
Chris Hardy, Associate Pastor
Pat Goshert, Congregational Care
Terry Cooney, Visitation Pastor
Manfredo Luna, Latino Ministries

Summary for 1/21/2024

In-Person Worship	364
Online Worship	152
Sunday School	121
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$15,568

Do you have an announcement to advertise or information that needs to be communicated to our church community?

Email the details to announcements@westlawnumc.org.

WLUMC PRAYER ROOM

HOW TO ENGAGE IN WLUMC PRAYER MINISTRIES:

1. WEBSITE: Under the WORSHIP/PRAYER REQUEST tab.
2. WLUMC APP: Under the GET CARE/PRAYER tab
3. CALL PRAYER CHAIN: Anna Bickhart / 610-670-1671
Mabel Reighley / 610-678-5141

** Notify a pastor or the office if you or a loved one is hospitalized or placed in rehab.*



PRAYERS OF SYMPATHY:

- Debbie Rice on the passing of her sister

PRAYERS OF HEALING:

- Healing from cancer; strength and courage for the fight
- Those grieving the loss of a loved one
- Peace and healing from mental and physical illness
- Healthy, pregnancies and deliveries

PRAYERS OF ENCOURAGEMENT AND SUPPORT:

- Homeless, abused, hungry people and animals
- Guidance in life, marriages, parenting and relationships
- An end to wars and hatred
- Those deployed in the military
- Families of substance abuse and rehabilitation
- For those who are lost may they return to the arms of God

PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE:

- For God's blessings in my life and my children's lives

1/28/2024

HOSPITALIZED

Bruce Hopkins
Maynard Koch
Harvey Heffner
Tammy Smith
Walter Woolwine

OUR MISSION PARTNERS

Opp House
Family Promise
Hope Rescue
New Journey

THE UMC

Bishop John Schol
Rev. Evelyn Kent-Clark
WLUMC Staff
Our Leadership Team

THE WORLD

The Leaders of the World
Our Armed Forces &
their families
Safe travel for all

a friend	Kim W.	Shana	Kelly W. & family	Joan F.	Philip	Langdon
Katrina	Harry	James	Mary & Dennis	Ernie	Keith	Cindy & Dave
daughter	Mike	Mark	Susan Standefer	son	Arlan	Billy Hetrich
Bob Paull	Susan	Linda	Joann, Hope, Chris	Lisa H.	David B.	James & Tracey
David C.	Jen S.	Dottie	Wertz family	Amy	Teddy	Keith & Linda
Baby Lisa	Tim	Donna H.	Debinder family	Terry	Jim	Lorna & family
husband	Harvey	Cirilo	Sharon & Ray Miller	Al	Megan	Werner family
Danielle	Paul B.	Angel	Jena & Frank	Ray	Julie	Heather & family
Jim & Patty	Bob J.	Mitchell	Chris, Angela & Sue	Dave	Doug	Martin family

LOOKING FOR:

- A place to sit in worship
 - Nursery or Nursing Room
 - Classrooms
 - Prayer Room
 - Restrooms
 - Need a Listening Aid
 - Guest WIFI Password
- Rejoice!**

Ushers & Greeters will be happy to help you.

At our **Welcome Center** you will find a hardcopy to take with you of:

- Our Prayer Page
- Additional Announcement Flyers
- Information on Classes and Groups
- Visitors: Bring your Visitor Card found in the pew racks to trade in for a gift!



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Office Hours: 9AM-4PM M-F

WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

MESSAGE

Pastor Tom Ebersole

WORSHIP LEADER

Pastor Chris Hardy

"Personal Faith in Public Life: Growing Deeper"

SCRIPTURE

Corinthians 13:1-7, 13 (NIV)

TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP (8AM & 11AM)

PRELUDE

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

PRAYERS / THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN

OFFERING / OFFERTORY / DOXOLOGY

HYMN

SCRIPTURE / MESSAGE

HYMN

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

HYMNS

UMH #126 - *"Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above"*

UMH #349 - *"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"*

UMH #94 - *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

UMH #561 - *"Jesus, United By Thy Grace"*

UMH #671 - *"Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing"*

OFFERTORY

Christopher Rodgers, organ (8AM)

"Just a Closer Walk with Thee" (Utterback)

Adult Choir, John Coakley, Director (11AM)

"Faithful" (Hayes)

SCRIPTURE READERS

Greg Lewis (8AM)

Diane Moyer (11AM)

PRAISE MUSIC (9:30AM)

Worship Team, Pat Kenna, Director

"Simple Kingdom" (Bryan and Katie Torwalt)

"Another In The Fire" (Hillsong)

"Christ Be Magnified" (Cody Carnes)

"Reckless Love" (Cory Asbury)

"What A Beautiful Name" (Hillsong)