

West Lawn UMC

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LIFE-CHANGING LESSONS from the PARABLES

October 1, 2023



FELLOWSHIP HOST

Kelly Rismiller / 610-507-9141
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We would love for your family to host Sunday AM Fellowship outside or indoors any Sunday morning 8:45-11:15AM. Sign up using the form at the Welcome Center, or contact Kelly.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, October 11 / 7PM
Community Center / Conf Rm
Donna Barnhart / 610-678-7873
dmbhart2@gmail.com

Women's Book Club will meet in October to discuss the book *The Only Woman in the Room* by Marie Benedict. New readers always welcome! Come join the discussion! To be added to the email list or for more information, please contact Donna.

HAT & GLOVE DONATIONS

[Donations Due by Nov 10](#)

We are seeking donations of new adult winter hats or gloves for an upcoming mission project that will take place during our Nov. 11 Flannel Festival. Please drop off donations at the Welcome Center or Church office. All items will be given to local shelters in our area. Thanks!

WLW MENU 10/4/2023

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes
KIDS: Hot Dogs

CRAFT BAZAAR EVENTS

[Craft/Vendor/Bake Sale / Oct 14](#)
[Community Center / 9AM-2PM](#)
[Sharon Rutherford / 610-468-9427](#)

Our upcoming October Craft and Vendor Bazaar has opportunities for you to support West Lawn Ministries.

Pre-Order Bake Sale / Breezeway Sundays, TODAY / Oct 8

Soups, BBQ and Apple Dumplings will be available for purchase as a pre-order only. Pickup will be the day of the bazaar. Orders will be taken in the breezeway today. Soups and BBQ are \$10/quart and Apple Dumplings are \$6/each. **LAST DAY FOR ORDERS & PAYMENT IS OCTOBER 8TH.**

Bake Sale & Giftcard Donations

Sign-up to bring donations of baked goods or gift cards.

Shop at the sale on October 14th!

WOMENS RETREAT

All women are invited to join us for this year's Women's Retreat Weekend (Nov. 3-5, Traber Center, Spring City, PA). More details and reservation form is on our App.



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

HELP BUILD HOPE HOUSE

Fri & Sat, October 13-14

Register app / website / Welc Ctr

WLUMC is building a house in our parking lot! Join our Help Build Hope mission build in October. More information and sign-up is available on the WLUMC app, website or at our Welcome Center.



DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

Interested candidate should submit cover letter and resume by October 31, 2023 to: office@westlawnumc.org

West Lawn United Methodist Church is seeking a Director of Children and Family Ministries to continue to nurture the faith formation of children from birth through 5th grade. Candidates with prior child leadership and/or teaching experience with strong relational and organizational skills, are forward thinking, creative, and energetic, will all be considered.

The ability to integrate the children into the congregation and

continue to attract new families to West Lawn UMC is very important. Along with Laurie Jentes, the Program Coordinator for Children and Family Ministry, this person would oversee the Sunday School classes, plan and lead mid-week and Sunday night programming, manage the Nursery staff, organize special family events and VBS, and conduct all communication and marketing of WLUMC Children and Family Ministries using the tools available. The candidate should demonstrate a strong personal faith in alignment with the beliefs and practices of the United Methodist Church. This is a 12-month position, up to 30 hours per week. Salary is commensurate with experience.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct 7 — Art Show/Exhibit PPD

Oct 8 Baptism/Join Sunday

Oct 13 Help Build Hope/Day 1

Oct 14 Help Build Hope/Day 2

Oct 14 Craft/Vendor/Bake Sale

Oct 20 Food Pantry

Oct 22 Meal @ Hope Rescue

Oct 29 Inquirer's Class

Nov 3-5 Women's Retreat

PASTORS

Tom Ebersole, Lead Pastor
Chris Hardy, Associate Pastor
Terry Cooney, Visitation Pastor
Manfredo Luna, Latino Ministries

Summary for 9/24/2023

In-Person Worship	326
Online Worship	112
Sunday School	125
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$27,174

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:

- Family & friends of Ken Carpenter on his passing
- Family & friends of Carl Noecker on his passing

PRAYERS OF HEALING:

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

PRAYERS OF ENCOURAGEMENT AND SUPPORT:

- Those homeless, abused, hungry
- Wisdom and discernment for decisions at work
- Peace & healing for those grieving the loss of a loved one
- Families of substance abuse and rehabilitation
- Heal & strengthen broken family relationships
- For those who are lost may they return to the arms of God

PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE:

- Thanks for the prayers, I had good test results (Jim Nuckles)
- For all in our lives

10/1/2023

HOSPITALIZED

Carol Aulenbach

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

Roxanne	Melva	Janet	Holly & Mike Rhodes	Ernie	Keith	Werner family
Marylou	Declan	Kevin S.	Lorna & family	Nancy	Grant	Jeff & Cheryl
Michele	Mike	Angela	Corinne & family	Chele	Barry	Hoffert family
Matthew S.	Lisa	husband	Baby Mia & family	Jeff	Dolleen	Bill & Nancy
Emily & Jim	Keith G.	Vince	McKenzie & Jordan	Ed	Karen	Martin family
Katarina	Jena	Barbara G.	James & family	Teddy	Gwen	Heather Lynn
Helen	Gib	David S.	Jennifer & family	Carol A.	Chris	Doc & Jocelyn
Darwin Jr	Kim	Colleen	Elaine & Maynard	Peggy	Korin	Cliff & Susie
Mary Jane	Hannah	Patricia	Rauenzahn family	Kathy T.	Megan	Brooke & family
Joyce Lynn	Heath	Mitchell	Chris, Angela & Sue	Eloise	Cooper	Jackson Hoffa
Jim & Patty	Ray	Shirley	Jose & family	Rachel	Sherri	Kim Hershman

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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WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

MESSAGE

Pastor Tom Ebersole
"Love Without Limits"

WORSHIP LEADER

Pastor Lisa Hoopes

SCRIPTURE

Luke 10:25-37 (NIV)

TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP (8AM & 11AM)

PRELUDE

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN

PRAYERS / LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING / OFFERTORY / DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE / MESSAGE

HYMN

COMMUNION

HYMN

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

HYMNS

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

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

UMH #592 - *"When The Church of Jesus"*

UMH #584 - *"Lord, You Give the Great Commission"*

OFFERTORY

Adult Choir, John Coakley, Director (8AM)

Nathan Lis, Guest Pianist

"God So Loved the World" (Larson)

Nathan Lis, Guest Organist (11AM)

Offertory

SCRIPTURE READERS

Nan Lewis (8AM)

Jane Draper (11AM)

PRaise MUSIC (9:30AM)

Worship Team, Pat Kenna, Director

"Holy Spirit Come" (Patrick Mayberry)

"Breakthrough" (Red Rocks Worship)

"Gratitude" (Brandon Lake)

"Forever" (Kari Jobe)

"Communion / Break Through" (Brooke Ligertwood & Red Rocks Worship)