



Welcome to

# **WESLEY MEMORIAL**

A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

Our purpose is to make and sustain  
spiritually healthy followers of Jesus Christ  
who live in ways that transform the world.

**Sunday, July 15, 2018**



Traditional Worship in the Chapel

**8:30 am**

Contemporary Worship in the Fellowship Hall

**8:30 am & 9:45 am**

Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

**11:00 am**

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# The Worship of God

Chapel

July 15, 2018

8:30 am

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Gott ist mein Trost, mein' Zuversicht, Mein' Hoffnung und mein Leben.....* Wilhelm Friedemann Bach  
(*God is my comfort, my confidence, my hope and my life.*)

### † CALL TO WORSHIP

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### † OPENING PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

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### † HYMN No. 577

*God of Grace and God of Glory.....*CWM RHONDDA

### † AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;**

**And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:**

**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,**

**suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried;**

**the third day he rose from the dead;**

**He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;**

**from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,**

**the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,**

**the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### † GLORIA PATRI

***Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;***

***as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen Amen.***

### SCRIPTURE LESSON

Galatians 1:11-12 (NT Pg. 187)

### SERMON

*"God Unbound, Part 2"*

Jeff Patterson

### † HYMN No. 2123 (THE FAITH WE SING HYMNBOOK)

*Loving Spirit.....*KINGDOM

### PASTORAL PRAYER

Response:

Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

### LORD'S PRAYER

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**GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**

**† DOXOLOGY No. 94**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*.....LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose  
power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**† PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**† HYMN No. 388**

*O Come and Dwell in Me*.....ST. MICHAEL

**† BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING VOLUNTARY**

*The "Fanfare" Fugue in C Major*.....Johann Sebastian Bach

**Service Notes:**

The Call to Worship  
and the Opening  
Prayer are written by  
Rev. Erin Beall.

† Please stand as you are able.

**Worship Leaders:** Jeff Patterson, Senior Pastor; Jared Stine, Associate Pastor for  
Congregational Care; Frank Pifferetti, Organist.

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Sanctuary

July 15 2018

11 am

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### INTROIT

*Let All The World In Every Corner Sing* ..... Erik Routley  
Chancel Choir  
Text UM Hymnal No. 93

*Please stand as you are able.*

### CALL TO WORSHIP

God's Spirit is speaking in this place today.

**May we have ears to hear your voice, O Lord.**

God's Word comes afresh throughout the world.

**May we have hearts to receive your word, O Lord.**

God's mission is tugging on us here and now.

**May we have the courage to answer the call, O Lord.**

### OPENING PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

**God of fire and wind, God of dramatic conversions and still small whispers,  
Bring your transforming presence into this body today.**

**May our worship, our prayers, our petitions, and our praise**

**help us to be unbound from our stasis**

**and freed to cooperate in the new work you are doing here and now. Amen.**

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## GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*The God Of Abraham Praise*.....arr. D. Neil Darnell  
Chancel Choir

*The God of Abraham praise, All praised be His name, Who was and is and is to be, and still the same! The one eternal God, Ere aught that now appears; The first, the last, beyond all thought His timeless years! His spirit floweth free, High surging where it will: In prophet's word He spoke of old He speaketh still. Established in His law, And changeless it shall stand, Deep writ upon the human heart, On sea or land. He hath eternal life Implanted in the soul; His love shall be our strength and stay, While ages roll. Praise to the living God! All praised be His name, Who was and is and is to be, and still the same!*

*Please stand as you are able.*

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### HYMN (SEE INSERT)

*Loving Spirit*.....KINGDOM

### BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

*Dismissal*.....Dale Grotenhuis

Chancel Choir

*The Lord bless you, the Lord bless and keep you, the Lord be gracious, and give you peace.*

### CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

### CLOSING VOLUNTARY

*The "Fanfare" Fugue in C Major*.....Johann Sebastian Bach

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**Ushers for July:** Laura Amos, Kyle Brown, Nancy Ilderton, Bill Levina, Howard Regan, Craig Skillman, Rex Walser.

**Greeters:** Phyllis Pugh, Don Scarborough.

### Service Notes:

The Call to Worship and the Opening Prayer are written by Rev. Erin Beall.

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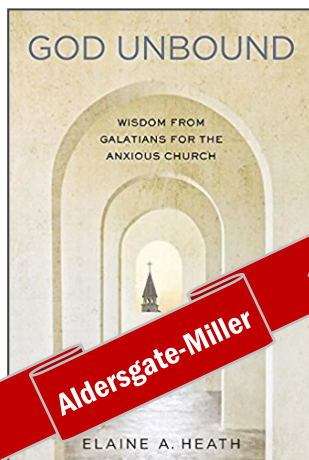
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## Announcing the "Adult Forum": Ancient Wisdom For An Anxious Church



In these times of political unrest and social upheaval, even our denomination is not immune. Anxiety, therefore, plagues many people of faith and infects many churches' internal cultures. We are committed to making sure that Wesley Memorial UMC does not become one of these "anxious churches!" So we are turning to our favorite source of guidance: the Bible - Galatians, specifically. This summer, we'll hear from the book of Galatians from the pulpit as well as from

a new book from Duke Divinity School Dean Elaine Heath, *God Unbound: Wisdom from Galatians for the Anxious Church*. From **July 8 through August 19**, Pastors Jeff, Jared, and Erin will rotate teaching this book Sunday mornings during the Sunday School hour (9:45-10:45). This seven-week series will culminate with Dean Heath herself coming to preach on August 26<sup>th</sup> at 9:45 and 11:00. Join the pastors for this Sunday School hour offering which we're calling an "**Adult Forum**." Books are available at the Front Desk for \$12/each.

(PS: This is a great option for Sunday School classes who struggle to find programming or teachers during the summer, for folks whose Sunday School classes don't meet at all in the summer, and folks who are interested in trying out making adult Sunday School a part of your family's Sunday routine!)

## Shipwrecked VBS

### Can't be here to help with VBS?

You can still be a very important part of the experience. The VBS Team is asking for help in two ways.

1. **Financial donations** that will help offset the cost of VBS here at Wesley Memorial as well as Ward Street. Please Indicate that your contribution is for VBS.
2. **Pray** for the Leaders and children that will be participating. Prayer cards will be available around the church to pray before, during and after VBS. Begin preparing their hearts to hear the message each day so their lives may be transformed.



### Some VBS supplies we need:

resealable plastic bags– quart & gallon sizes;  
paper grocery bags; painter's tape (green & blue);  
masking tape; duct tape  
(collection bins are in the office lobby area)



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## Thanks & Praise...

...to **Harriet Mattes** and **Kathy Coble**  
for preparing 1200 candles for  
our 2018 Lovefeast .

...to the over 70 students and adult  
leaders that helped make Church  
Camp 2018 a HUGE success. We  
especially are grateful for **Meredith  
Morgan, Jeff Patterson, Jared Stine,  
Jessica Nelson, Sydney James, Leigh  
Anne Bassinger, Kim Brown, Kathy  
Lavender, Michele Lane, Wendy  
Kitley, Kristy Dudley, Brian Boger,  
John D Hamrick.**

...to our church for loving us so  
well and treating us like family.  
Thank you for an amazing 2 years  
of ministry at Wesley Memorial.  
We look forward to what is next!  
Love the **Nelson family.**

## Sympathies...

...to the family of **Ann Slack**, upon  
her death on July 4, 2018.

...to Daphne Horney, Jeff and  
David Horney and families upon  
the death of their husband and  
father, **Bill Horney** on July 9,  
2018 .

...to Jackie Huston and family  
upon the death of her husband,  
**Fred Huston**, on July 8, 2018.



**Carroll Brown** and **Mary Ann  
Bohi** of Wesley Memorial  
did some reminiscing about  
the original chicken pies  
made with Jesse Millis'  
famous recipe. The  
delicious pies were very

popular. Well, the recipe was found and great cooks of Wesley are  
coming together again to prepare the original chicken pies for you  
to pick-up Sunday July 22 from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm in the  
dining hall. Please order at the church by **calling 336-884-2204** or  
e-mail Carroll Brown at **adpcorp@triad.rr.com** before Thursday, July  
19. The chicken pies will be just like the ones the Legendary  
women made years ago at **\$12.00** for a 12" pie.



**Sunday, August 26**

**GUEST PREACHER**

**The Reverend Dr. Elaine A. Heath**

**Dean of the Duke Divinity School and**

**Professor of Missional and Pastoral Theology**

**9:45 am & 11:00 am**

## This Week at Wesley Memorial: **July 15-21**

### **Sunday, July 15**

Traditional Worship, 8:30 am, *Chapel*

Contemporary Worship, 8:30 am & 9:45 am,  
*Fellowship Hall*

**Adult Forum** "Ancient Wisdom for An Anxious Church," 9:45 am, *Aldersgate-Miller*

Children, Student & Adult Sunday School, 9:45 am

Traditional Worship, 11:00 am, *Sanctuary*

VBS set -up, 2:00 pm

### **Monday, July 16**

Children's VBS, 9:00 am

Adult VBS, 9:15 am, *Aldersgate-Miller*

Adult VBS, 6:30 pm, *Aldersgate-Miller*

### **Tuesday, July 17**

Children's VBS, 9:00 am

Student Ministry **Girls** Small Group, 2:00 pm,  
*The Nelsons's*

Adult VBS, 9:15 am, *Aldersgate-Miller*

Student Ministry **Boys** Basketball, 2:00 pm,  
*Fellowship Hall*

Church Council, 5:30 pm, *Circle View Room*

Adult VBS, 6:30 pm, *Aldersgate-Miller*

### **Wednesday, July 18**

Children's VBS, 9:00 am

Adult VBS, 9:15 am, *Aldersgate-Miller*

Vespers, 6:00 pm, *Chapel*

Adult VBS, 6:30 pm, *Aldersgate-Miller*

Chancel Choir, 6:45 pm, *Choir Room*

7 Summer Nights, 7:00 pm, *off-site*

### **Thursday, July 19**

Children's VBS, 9:00 am

Adult VBS, 9:15 am, *Aldersgate-Miller*

Emergency Preparedness, 2:00 pm, *Conference Room #3*

Student Ministries Game Day, 2:00 pm,  
*Fellowship Hall*

Adult VBS, 6:30 pm, *Aldersgate-Miller*

### **Friday, July 20**

Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 pm, *Media Center*

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