



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, January 20, 2019



Where there are no dreams, there is no hope.

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

January 20, 2019

8:30 am

OPENING VOLUNTARY

????? Louis-Claude Daquin

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

† CALL TO WORSHIP

In our resting, God is there.

God of sleep, be our rest.

In our waking, God is there.

God of sunlight, be our energy.

In our working, God is there.

God of good works, be our inspiration.

In our worship, God is there.

God of righteousness, be our sanctuary.

† OPENING PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Even as the dreams of the night may inspire or frighten us,

so too the movement of Your Spirit, O God,

can cause us to dance or to hesitate in fear.

Forgive us for the ways we have been afraid of Your dreams,

for ourselves, for our families, for our church

and teach us to embrace with joy and hope

the good plans you have for us, to prosper and not to harm us. Amen.

† HYMN No. 116

The God of Abraham Praise LEONI

† PSALTER READING

Psalms 36: 5-10

UM Hymnal No. 771

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Jeremiah 29:10-14

(OT Pg. 731)

SERMON

"We Need Dreams to Survive"

Jeff Patterson

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Faith, While Trees Are Still in Blossom FOR THE BREAD

PASTORAL PRAYER

Response:

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

LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! Please take a moment to sign the attendance notebooks during the announcements. If this is your first time, please leave your contact information and a pastor will contact you this week with more information about our church. Also, help yourself to a blue Wesley Memorial tote bag as our gift to you. Inside you will find information about our church. Check out our website at www.wesleymemorial.org and subscribe to our monthly newsletter or Wesley Weekly email blast for the latest events and opportunities!

OFFERTORY

Welcome, Precious Infant Lord Carl Schalk

Andrea Tulipana, Allison Chickering, Steven Davis, Phillip Leach, Wesley Singers

Welcome, precious infant Lord, so restless in the manger. All is quiet in the night, no cause for you to weep. Soon your eyes will seek the lost one and invite the stranger. Close your heavy eyelids now and gently drift to sleep. Now the sounds upon your lips are cries of helpless pleading; soon your mouth will speak the words of God's anointed Son. Let your cries for now be silent, now no interceding. Time will bring the dying groan, the breath of victory won. Safe you lie in swaddling clothes, yet bristling hay encroaches, sharp and rough against your foot, no comfort to your bed. Now you kick against the darkness, but the day approaches when your scarred and wounded heel will crush the serpent's head. Jesus, that your little hand might reach to me in blessing! Soon your touch will heal the lame and give the blind their sight. Let your hands instead be still, no work today addressing. Hold me rather in your heart and sleep this holy night.

†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. 2196 (THE FAITH WE SING HYMNBOOK)

We Walk by Faith MARTYRDOM

†BENEDICTION

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

????? Jean-Jacques Charpentier

† Please stand as you are able.

Worship Leaders: Jeff Patterson, Senior Pastor; Jared Stine, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care; Andrea Tulipana, Allison Chickering, Steven Davis, Phillip Leach, Wesley Singers; Frank Pifferetti, Organist.

Service Notes:

Call to worship & opening prayer are written by Rev. Erin Beall. The Opening Prayer references Jeremiah 29:11.

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The Worship of God

Sanctuary

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11 am

OPENING VOLUNTARY

The First Noel Brian Tervo
Carol Huff, Kindra Ingram, Carolyn Shaw, Cindy Webb, Handbell Quartet

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

Jubilate Deo Dale Wood
Chancel Choir

O sing to the Lord with a jubilant voice; glory to God in the highest! O serve him with gladness, before him rejoice; praise to the Lord in the highest! O enter his gates with thanksgiving and praise; glory to God in the highest! To honor his Name thankful voices we raise; praise to the Lord in the highest! Glory to God! Praise to the Lord in the highest!

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ANTHEM

Jesus, Jesus Rest Your Head arr. John Jacob Niles
Andrea Tulipana, soprano

Refrain: Jesus, Jesus, rest your head, you have got a manger bed. All the evil folk on earth sleep in feathers at their birth. Jesus, Jesus rest your head, you have got a manger bed. Have you heard about our Jesus? Have you heard about his fate? How his mother went to that stable on that Christmas Eve so late? Winds were blowing, cows were lowing, stars were glowing. Refrain. To that manger came then wise men, bringing things from hin and yon, for the mother and the father and the blessed little Son. Milkmaids left their fields and flocks and sat beside the ass and ox. Refrain.

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HYMN (SEE INSERT)

We Walk by Faith.....MARTYRDOM

BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

Dismissal.....Dale Grotenhuis

Chancel Choir

Go forth into the world in peace: Love and serve the Lord.

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Noel II.....Jean-Jacques Charpentier

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Ushers for January:

Michael Amos, Martha Bass, Ron Crowder, Bert Klemme, George Morris, Ardith Pugh, Craig Skillman.

Worship Leaders: Erin Beall, Associate Pastor for Adult Spiritual Formation and Contemporary Worship; Jared Stine, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care; Anne Carroll, Director of Music Ministries; Carol Huff, Kindra Ingram, Carolyn Shaw, Cindy Webb, Handbell Quartet; Andrea Tulipana, soprano; Frank Pifferetti, Organist; Rachel Eskew, Charley Doak, Acolytes; Andrew Eskew, Crucifer; Neil Brown, Bookbearer; Bill Anderson, Altar Guild; Audrey Miller, Sound Engineer.

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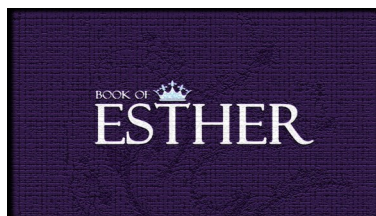
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Check out our new

WELCOME VIDEO

on the WMUMC website at www.wesleymemorial.org
Thank you Jared & Evangelism Team for your good work!



Join the Women of Wesley (WOW) for a ten week study of the Old Testament story of Esther. If you feel overloaded and stressed out, join us as we learn lessons of faith, providence, and hope to equip us to live courageously in this world! Set aside time to join us on **Tuesdays, from 9:15-11:30** am in the Underground, starting January 15 and going until March 19, 2019. Please let the church know if you will need childcare. Books may be purchased from the front desk.



United Methodists will have a special session of General Conference on February 23-26 in St. Louis to deal with recommendations concerning human sexuality. Learn more about proposals at a meeting here at Wesley Memorial: **COMMISSION ON THE WAY FORWARD UPDATE, Thursday, January 24, 6:30 pm, Dining Hall.**

www.umc.org/who-we-are/the-commission-on-a-way-forward-report-what-you-should-know



Whit Holbrook

Start the new year paying off debt, sticking to a budget, and saving more for the future – all with insightful teaching and a supportive community of peers!

The class is 10 weeks long and will meet on Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm in the Media Center starting January 30.

Contact Jared Stine or Whit Holbrook with questions. Check out financialpeace.com to learn more!

Bring the whole family, your inflatables, pool toys and lawn chairs!

FAMILY SWIM

Friday, February 1 • 6-8 pm
High Point Swim Club

Cost is \$10 per family includes pizza dinner.
Please bring a beverage and dessert to share.

Registration required by Wednesday, January 30
Contact Kim Suda at ksuda@wesleymemorial.org

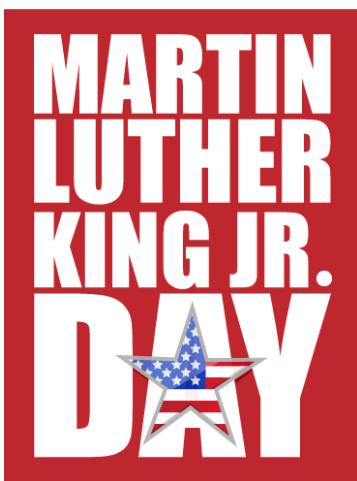
Certified Lifeguards on duty.
Children not potty trained must wear swim diapers.



Not getting church emails anymore?

Are you with NorthState?

Last Fall, **NorthState** made some changes in their security system which resulted in emails sent through Constant Contact being identified as SPAM and blocked. To correct, please contact **NorthState** and they will guide you through the process to allow emails sent through Constant Contact (Wesley Weekly, Prayer List, Heartbeat).



Our Administrative Offices
will be
CLOSED
on Monday, January 21
in observance of
MLK Day



LEADERSHIP SUMMIT 2019

Saturday, February 9, 8:30 am—12:00 noon, Dining Hall

(continental breakfast will be served)

All 2019 committee chairs and members are encouraged to attend!

*"The secret of CHANGE is to focus all of your energy not on fighting the old,
but on building the new" -Socrates*

Thanks & Praise...

...to the **Chancel Choir** and **Wesley Singers** for excellent attendance and work at last Saturday's choir retreat.

...to Stephen Ministry Leader **Mike Flack** for coordinating Stephen Ministry Training over the past six months. Nine students from multiple churches completed the training last week!

...to all who participated in the recent **Angel Tree Christmas Program**. Through phone calls to the families, party planning and participation, gift purchasing and delivery, many of you volunteered your time, effort, and resources to make this year's program a great success. Overall, **84 children were provided gifts** and more importantly, reminded that their incarcerated parents are still very much involved in their lives. Your ongoing support for this outreach has blessed these families in so many ways, and will always be greatly appreciated.

Sympathies...

... to the Reverend Jill Auman and family upon the death of her father, **Jack Lindsey**, on January 14, 2019.

This Week at Wesley Memorial: **January 20–26**

Sunday, January 20

Traditional Worship, 8:30 am, *Chapel*

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

Children's Music, 9:30 am, *Children's Gathering*

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

Traditional Worship, 11:00 am, *Sanctuary*

Monday, January 21

Closed for MLK Day

Tuesday, January 22

Women of Wesley, 9:15 am, *The Underground*

WMS Board Meeting, 5:30 pm, *Circle View*

Wednesday, January 23

Ward Street Clothes Closet, 9:00 am, Ward Street UMC

Midweek Communion, 11:00 am, *Chapel*

Bible Study Lunch, 12:00 noon, *Dining Hall*

Prayer Shawl Ministry, 1:30 pm, *Arts & Crafts Room*

Handbell Quartet, 4:30 pm, *Adult Bell Room*

Vespers, 5:30 pm, *Chapel*

Wednesday Dinner, **5:45–6:45 pm**, *Dining Hall*

Life Groups, 6:30 pm, *The Underground*

Pastor's Bible Study, 6:45 pm, *Circle View*

Chancel Choir, 6:45 pm, *Sanctuary*

Thursday, January 24

COMMISSION ON THE WAY FORWARD UPDATE,
6:30 pm, *Dining Hall*

Chancel Bell Rehearsal, 7:00 pm, *Adult Bell Room*

Friday, January 25

WMS Winterfest, 9:00 am, *Dining Hall*

Student Ministries Winter Retreat Departure

Saturday, January 26

Horizon Praise Team Rehearsal, 9:00 am,
Fellowship Hall

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(infant through Kindergarten)

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WMUMC has established a policy designed to protect our children and students when they are attending or visiting Wesley Memorial's facilities and sponsored events.



In the event of an emergency,
call the main number
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option 1. It is available
24/7 and will connect you
with a pastor.