

# RESURRECTION LIFE

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AFTER EASTER ENCOUNTERS

West Lawn United Methodist Church  
April 7, 2024



## **WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB**

Wednesday, April 10 / 7PM  
Community Center / Conf Rm  
Donna Barnhart / 610-678-7873  
dmbhart2@gmail.com

Women's Book Club will meet in April to discuss the book *Loyalty* by Lisa Scottoline. New readers always welcome! Come join the discussion! Contact Donna for more info.

## **NEW MEN'S STUDY GROUP**

Thursday, April 11 / 7PM  
Education Bldg / Rm 110

A new men's bible study will be beginning this week. Men of the Bible: How can these men help us to reflect on our own lives? All men are welcome to join us for conversation and fellowship.

## **WM EXERCISE ZUMBA**

Sunday, April 14 / 4PM / \$8/person  
Raffauf Community Center  
Register: [website / app](#)

If your 2024 plans include exercising more, join us for our next installment; Zumba! Zumba is a dance fitness class using Latin and world-wide rhythms. The goal is to have fun and keep moving. This workout is for all ages and abilities,

and can be made as easy or challenging as your prefer.

## **WLW 4/10/2024**

Salisbury Steak, Buttered Noodles, Carrots. KIDS: Cheeseburger

## **MEN'S TRIVIA NIGHT**

Tuesday, April 16 / 6PM  
Raffauf Community Center  
Cost: FREE (donations accepted)  
Register: [website / app](#)

Men are invited to attend a night of team trivia with an opportunity to win prizes, along with a loaded hot dog and tater tot bar! Come by yourself or bring some friends. Everyone will be on a team. Please register so we know how much food to prepare.

## **FOOD PANTRY**

Friday, April 19 / 3-5PM  
Raffauf Community Center  
Register: 484-525-0980

The distribution day of the Wilson Area Food Pantry is upcoming. Pre-registration is preferred. Please call the number above to schedule your time slot. Donations are accepted weekdays in the church office. Thank you!

### **FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY ARE PRESENTED:**

*"Thanks to Jesus for Sharon, her mother at 103, and 45 years of wedded bliss."* From Libby, Alex, and Lee

*"In memory of our brother Hugh C. Stodart who passed 4.3.22"*  
From, Diane and Jim; Marilyn and Donnie and Kevin

**To place an order for flowers, contact:**

**Acacia Flower Shop / 610-376-8767 / [acaciaflowershop@gmail.com](mailto:acaciaflowershop@gmail.com)**

**COFFEE WITH THE PASTORS**

Sunday, April 21 / 12:30 PM  
HE-brews Café  
Register: [website](#) / [app](#) / [office](#)

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.

**INDOOR PICKLEBALL FUN**

[Mondays](#) / 1-3PM  
[Thursdays](#) / 9-11AM  
[Raffauf Community Center](#)

Indoor Pickleball is underway! Join us in the Community Center on Mondays or Thursdays for open court pickleball games! No advance sign-up required. New or advanced players welcome.

**OUTSIDE COFFEE TIME**

[Kelly Rismiller](#) / 610-507-9141  
[kelly@westlawnumc.org](mailto:kelly@westlawnumc.org)

We're ready to move our Sunday AM Fellowship time back outside! Join the core team as Fellowship Hosts just one Sunday in April, May or June. Contact Kelly to learn how to volunteer in this way at WLUCM!

**VBS: SCUBA!**

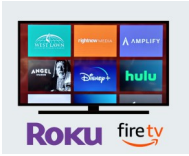
[June 10 thru 13](#) / 6-8PM  
[Registration open NOW!](#)

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Apr 4** Spring Blood Drive  
**Apr 12-14** Confirmation Retreat  
**Apr 14** Baptism/Join Sunday  
**Apr 14** WM Exercise/Zumba  
**Apr 16** Men's Trivia Night  
**Apr 19** Wilson Food Pantry  
**Apr 20** WM @ Santander Event  
**Apr 21** Coffee w/Pastors  
**Apr 28** Confirmation Sunday  
**May 5** WM Exercise/Pound  
**Jun 10-13** VBS: Scuba

DOWNLOAD  
THE WLUMC  
APP TODAY!





2024 SUMMARY as of 3/31/2024	
In-Person Worship	869
Online Worship	154
Sunday School	106
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$32,382
Monthly Income To Date	\$123,467
Monthly Income Goal	\$134,105
Budget Income to Date	\$292,491
Budget Goal (12 months)	\$1,3394,722

**PASTORS**

Tom Ebersole, Lead Pastor  
Chris Hardy, Associate Pastor  
Pat Goshert, Congregational Care  
Terry Cooney, Visitation Pastor

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](mailto: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:**

- Helen Snyder on the loss of her husband

## **PRAYERS OF HEALING:**

- Healing from cancer; strength and courage for the fight
- Peace and healing from mental and physical illness
- Healthy, pregnancies and deliveries

## **PRAYERS OF ENCOURAGEMENT AND SUPPORT:**

- Homeless, abused, hungry people and animals
- Caregivers and their patients
- Discernment with relationships and healing
- Job situations, changes and new opportunities
- An end to wars and hatred
- Peace and civility throughout the world
- Safe travels for all
- For those who are lost may they return to the arms of God

## **PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE:**

- Mike Reinert's birthday April 5th
- For all the blessings we receive

**4/7/2024**

## **HOSPITALIZED**

Ken Schock  
Kathleen Schoen  
Harriett Ziegenfuss

## **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

Dennis family	Tere	Tony	Rittenhouse family	Lori	Jenna	Donna & John
Stephanie	Betsy	Connie	Rosalie, Chuck, Christian, Joanne	Sarita	Annette & Pam	
Nancy & Bill	Gwen	Rachel	Kathleen, baby & family	Irvin	Brooke	Rick & Deb
Mom & baby	Ed J.	Yobana	Joey Mays & family	Twila	Joseph	Richard Mextorf
Jena & Frank	Alex	Linda W.	Raymond & Patricia	Joe S.	Shana	Dara Koch & family
Yasiris & baby	Dick J.	Landon	Bob Rasbridge & family	Erica	George	Mike, Steve, Kelly
Jeremy S.	Chris	Hannah	Heather & Mitchell	Joe	Clyde	Michael & parents
Sara & Mike	Anne	Patricia	Alex, baby & family	Al	Megan	Nick & family
Dave & Cindy	Tony	Teddy	Jordan, Ben, Noemi, Pam	Ray	James	Kelly W. & family
Jim & Patty	Bob J.	Terry	Dan, Chris, Angela & Sue	Dave	Abby	Kyle, Bre & Bryan



New in the pew? If you are visiting West Lawn today, in person or virtually, let us know by texting "Hello" to 610-672-7347.

#### **LOOKING FOR:**

- A seat in worship
  - Nursery
  - 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:

- Our Prayer Page
- 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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www.westlawnumc.org  
Office Hours: 9AM-4PM M-F

## WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

### **MESSAGE**

Pastor Chris Hardy - *"On the Road to Emmaus"*

### **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Pastor Pat Goshert (8&11AM)

Kelly Rismiller (9:30AM)

### **SCRIPTURE**

Luke 24:13-25 (NIV)

### **TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP** (8AM & 11AM)

PRELUDE

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN

PRAYERS / THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN

OFFERING / OFFERTORY / DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE / MESSAGE

HYMN

COMMUNION

HYMN

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

### **HYMNS**

UMH #308 - *"Thine Be the Glory"*

UMH #70 - *"Glory Be to the Father"*

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

UMH #454 - *"Open My Eyes"*

UMH #614 - *"For the Bread Which You Have Broken"*

### **OFFERTORY**

Christopher Rodgers, piano

*"Because He Lives"* (Yeong)

### **PRAISE MUSIC** (9:30AM)

Worship Team, Jayme Raffauf, Director

*"God So Loved"* (We the Kingdom)

*"Lamb Of God"* (Vertical Worship)

*"Great I Am"* (the Worship Initiative)

*"Resurrecting"* (Elevation Worship)

*"Forgiven"* (Crowder)