

WEST LAWN UMC

you're welcome here

IF YOU HAVE NOTHING
NICE TO SAY...



JUNE 16, 2024



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Join us for a special Father's Day celebration of Breakfast Burritos and Energy Drinks on the porch of 100 Woodside this morning.

FOOD PANTRY

Friday, June 21 / 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!

WM EXERCISE GOAT YOGA

Sunday, June 23 / 4-5PM

Join us for Goat Yoga in June! All are invited to Swartz's Roadside Stand in Mohnton. Cost is \$25 per person. Sign-up on our website or app.

PRESCHOOL SUMMER CAMPS

June 25, 26, 27 and July 9, 10, 11

for children ages 3-5 years

Cost: \$60/week

Register: www.westlawnmc.com/preschool

Sign-up up your Preschool child today for Summer Camps. Two sessions will be offered this

summer. You do not need to be enrolled in the school year program to attend. Space is Limited. Youth helpers are needed each week-earn scholarship money towards summer and fall events/trips. Contact Trisha or Elise to sign-up.

COFFEE WITH THE PASTORS

Sunday, June 30 / 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.

ESL CLASS AT WLUMC

Tuesdays / 9:30AM

Raffauf Comm Ctr / Rm 202

Nick Camacho / 484-769-5173

camachonicolas56@gmail.com

New ESL classes, in a joint effort of the Literacy Council of Berks-Reading and WLUMC Latino Ministries, have begun. You can join anytime. If you are interested in participating or teaching, contact Nick. English speaking teachers preferred.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY ARE PRESENTED:

**In honor of Tori Jamison on her 22nd birthday
and graduation from Bloomsburg University**

To place an order for flowers, contact:

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

INDOOR PICKLEBALL FUN

[Mondays & Thursdays / 1-3PM](#)

[Raffauf Community Center](#)

Indoor Pickleball continues in the Community Center every Monday and Thursday from 1-3 PM. No advance sign-up required. New and advanced players welcome.

ALTAR FLOWERS

[Acacia Flower Shop / 610-376-8767](#)

acaciaflowershop@gmail.com

[Place order Tues. for Sunday Srvc.](#)

Sponsoring altar flowers is a wonderful way to recognize someone or special moments. There are two flower slots per week. To sponsor flowers, please call Acacia Flower Shop directly to order. Orders must be received by Tuesday for placement the following Sunday.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jun 21	Food Pantry
Jun 23	WM Goat Yoga
Jun 23-29	Greece Educ Trip
Jun 25-27	Preschool Camp
Jun 29-Jul 6	El Salvador Mssn Trip
Jun 30	Coffee w/Pastors
Jun 30	Serve Meal @ HRM
Jul 4	Holiday/Office Closed
Jul 9-11	Preschool Camp

QUOTE

"I've learned that it is just as important to forget a wrong as it is to remember a kindness."

-Anonymous

2024 SUMMARY as of 6/9/2024

In-Person Worship	348
Online Worship	95
Sunday School	104
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$26,039
Monthly Income To Date	\$57,193
Monthly Income Goal	\$134,105
Budget Income to Date	\$533,587
Budget Goal (12 months)	\$1,394,722

**DOWNLOAD
THE WLUMC
APP TODAY!**



PASTORS

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

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.

Class of
2024



Congratulations!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

John Bodnar

From Wilson High School
Attending West Chester University

Alexa Kairis

From Wilson High School
Attending Penn State University
majoring in Business.

Natalie Kairis

From Wilson High School
Attending Penn State University
majoring in Early Childhood
Education.

Ashley K. Neuin

From Schuylkill Valley High School
Attending Thaddeus Stevens College
majoring in Welding Technology

Ben Rada

From Wilson High School
Attending Elizabethtown College
Majoring in business/finance &
playing lacrosse.

Charlotte Rismiller

From Exeter Senior High School
Attending Dickinson University for
Sociology and Business.

HIGHER LEARNING GRADUATES

Evan Busack

From Penn State University
with Bachelor's Degree in Business
Management.

Victoria (Tori) Jamison

From Bloomsburg University
with Bachelor of Science in Business
Management & minor in Marketing.

Dr. Zachary W. Wyrick

From Thomas Jefferson University
with Doctorate of Physical Therapy.

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 Anton Fernsler, recently retired teacher on his passing

PRAYERS OF HEALING:

- Melissa, James & Yoch family
- 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 and guidance with relationships & difficulties
- Job situations, changes and new opportunities
- Worldwide peace and civility; an end to wars and hatred
- Our country
- Safe travels for all
- Safe travel for the Greece trip participants
- For those who are lost may they return to the arms of God

PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE:

- For Wayne's successful surgery
- For good results
- Work award for SJ!
- For our many blessings we take for granted

6/16/2024

HOSPITALIZED

Cheryl Dalton
Kim Hershman
John Hoag
Dick Jessup
Bob Rasbridge
Lewis Ritter
Wayne Weikel

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

Shelly	Cindy	Jenna H.	Mark Gillette	Ann R.	Kris	Yoch family
Sara & Mike	Dori	Alex	Christian & Pamela	Kim	Cheryl	Melissa & James
Anna	Erik	Keith R.	Kauffman family	Ed. J.	Joe C.	sisters-in-law
Joey Mays	Dick J.	Luke	Keith A. & family	Noah	Clyde	Alex & Taylor
Kerri's father	Tony	Jaxon	Kristine & Margherita	Joe S.	Shana	Martin family
Elizabeth	Teddy	Frank P.	Heather & Mitchell	Al	Patricia	Albert S. & family
Nancy & Bill	Eloise	Declan	Rauenzahn family	Ray	Hannah	David & Cindy
Jim & Patty	Bob	Billy H.	Dan, Chris, Angela & Sue	Dave	Megan	Richard Mextorf

Welcome
We're Glad You're Here!

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 Tom Ebersole

WORSHIP LEADER

Pastor Chris Hardy

"If You Have Nothing Nice to Say... Praise & Cursing"

SCRIPTURE

James 3:7-10; Ephesians 4:29 (NRSVA)

MINISTRY MOMENT

Stephen Ministry—Elyse Elliott

TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP (8AM & 11AM)

PRELUDE

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINISTRY MOMENT

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 #715 - *"Rejoice, the Lord is King"*

UMH #402 - *"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"* (vs. 4 only)

UMH #395 - *"Take Time to Be Holy"*

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

UMH #396 - *"O Jesus, I Have Promised"*

OFFERTORY

Susan Dorman & John Coakley, duet (8AM)

Christopher Rodgers, piano

"Let There Be Peace of Earth" (McDonald)

Christopher Rodgers, piano

"My Tribute" (Kim)

SCRIPTURE READERS

Matt Weller (8AM)

Deb Soule (11AM)

PRaise MUSIC (9:30AM)

Worship Team, Jayme Raffauf, Director

"The Lion And The Lamb" (Big Daddy Weave)

"Graves Into Gardens" (Elevation Worship)

"Great Are You Lord" (All Sons and Daughters)

"Who You Say I Am" (Hillsong)

"Living Hope" (Bethel)