

W E S T L A W N U M C

THE GOOD NEWS IN GREECE

JULY 14, 2024



RETIREMENT PARTY

Wednesday, August 7 / 4-7PM
Woodside House
Kelly Rismiller / 610-507-9141
kelly@westlawnumc.org

All are invited to celebrate the retirement of West Lawn employees, Judy Alvarez and Warren Marweg! Scan the QR code to RSVP, or contact Kelly.



FOOD PANTRY

Friday, July 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!

SUMMER SS WEEK THEME

July 21—Crazy Hair Sunday!

Kids are to get wild and crazy with their hairdos for Sunday School. They will get to vote on their favorite whacky do and have the chance to win some fun prizes! We will pair this theme with a look at Samson and Delila (*obviously*).

SERVE MEAL AT HRM

Sunday, July 28 / 4-7PM
Mike Stephens
mike@skcoinc.com
Sign-up: [website](#) / [app](#)

Play an integral role in serving those in need at Hope Rescue Mission. Join our HRM team with preparing, delivering, and serving a meal to the HRM residents. To carry out this ministry 6-8 people are needed each month. No long term commitment. Sign-up once or multiple times. Contact Mike if you have questions.

CHURCH PICNIC/BASEBALL

Saturday, Aug 10 / 11:30-2:30
Liberty Baseball Fields
836 Ruth St, Sinking Spring
Register: [website](#) / [app](#)

All Church Picnic & Home Run Derby! We will have lawn games, kids activities, a pick up baseball game and home run derby. Join us for great food, fellowship & fun!

FF CONSIGNMENT SALE

August 8-10 / Raffauf Comm Ctr
Register: [website](#)

The next Faithful Friends Consignment Sale will take place in August. Sign-up now to sell your gently used kids clothing, toys,

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TODAY ARE PRESENTED:

**In celebration of Ryan and Stacey Babula
on your 10 year Anniversary**

To place an order for flowers, contact:

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

room decor, shoes, maternity items, and more.

by and pick it up. After the deadline date noted above, all remaining items will be donated.

MISSION TEAM RETURN

The El Salvador Mission Team is back! You will hear much more about the team's mission and experience later this summer. Meanwhile, if you have an interest in going on a future international mission trip, please contact the church office.

LOST & FOUND

Pickup Deadline: Sunday, August 11

Please checkout our growing Lost & Found items. All articles are now centrally located in the Reiner Education Building on the shelves at the bottom of the steps by the office. A complete list is in the July newsletter and posted on the shelving. If you recognize something that is yours, please stop

PICKLEBALL—CANCELLED

Pickleball is CANCELLED this week.
It will resume next week on its usual schedule.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jul 14	Youth @ Fightin Phils
Jul 17	5th Grade @ Urban Air
Jul 18	HS Youth @ Paintball & Whitewater Rafting
Jul 19	Wilson Food Pantry
Jul 28	Serve Meal @ HRM
Jul 28-Aug 3	ASP Mission Trip
Aug 7	Retirement Party
Aug 8	MH Youth @ Guppy Gulch
Aug 8-10	FF Consignment Sale
Aug 10	Church Picnic/BB Game
Aug 11	Youth Game Night

2024 SUMMARY as of 7/7/2024

In-Person Worship	299
Online Worship	103
Sunday School	69
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$21,084
Monthly Income To Date	\$21,084
Monthly Income Goal	\$107,284
Budget Income to Date	\$622,939
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.

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 Albert Stallone on his passing
- Family & friends of John McGovern on his passing
- Barry Petricoin family 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

PRAYERS OF ENCOURAGEMENT AND SUPPORT:

- Homeless, abused, hungry people and animals
- Caregivers and their patients
- Those with declining health
- Easy transition into assisted living
- Discernment and guidance with relationships & difficulties
- Moving, job situations, changes and new opportunities
- Our country
- Safe travel for all

PRAYERS OF PRAISE AND GRATITUDE:

- For our many blessings we take for granted
- Thanks for the Godly people in my life
- Praise for Joshua healing
- Blessings for newly married Maddy & Greg

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HOSPITALIZED

Erica Bare
Kim Hershman
John Hoag
Dick Jessup
Joe Stemler
Catherine Waters

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

Mary Lou	Bri	Bernie	Kathryn Wasser	Mary	Dennis	Jason & family
McKenzie	Brad	Kris	Erica Bare & family	Brett	Brooke	Melissa & James
Lorna	Sue	Janine	The Marshalls	Ed J.	Joe C.	Frank & Barb
Joey Mays	Vince	Roy	Noah, Aaron, Grace	Amy	Clyde	Anna & Linda
my family	Dick J.	Luke	Gerald & Joan Cook	Joe S.	Shana	Martin family
Donna H.	Teddy	Kathy	Heather & Mitchell	Janet	Patricia	Mark Weaver
Nancy & Bill	Eloise	Declan	Rauenzahn family	Ray	Hannah	David & Cindy
Jim & Patty	Bob J.	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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WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

MESSAGE

Pastor Chris Hardy
"The Good News in Greece"

WORSHIP LEADER

Kelly Rismiller

SCRIPTURE

Acts 16:11-15 (NLT)

BAPTISM/JOINING

Janet K. Jones—Joining (8AM)
Charlotte Grace Rice—Baptism (9:30AM)

TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP (8AM & 11AM)**PRELUDE****WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS****CALL TO WORSHIP****HYMN****AFFIRMATION OF FAITH****PRAYERS / THE LORD'S PRAYER****HYMN****OFFERING / OFFERTORY / DOXOLOGY****RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER (8AM)****HYMN****SCRIPTURE / MESSAGE****HYMN****DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING****POSTLUDE****HYMNS**

UMH #57 - *"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"* (vs. 1-5, 7)

UMH #507 - *"Through It All"*

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

FWS #2051 - *"I Was There to Hear Your Burning Cry"*

UMH #670 - *"Go Forth for God"*

OFFERTORY

Jacqueline Vilbert, violin; Christopher Rodgers, piano
"Be Thou My Vision/My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" (Adams)

PRAISE MUSIC (9:30AM)

Worship Team, Jayme Raffauf, Director

"Raise A Hallelujah" (Bethel)

"Rest On Us" (Upperroom)

"Yes And Amen" (Jesus Culture)

"Living Hope" (Bethel)

"Reckless Love" (Cory Asbury)