

W E S T L A W N U M C

THE GOOD NEWS IN GREECE

JULY 21, 2024



SUMMER SS WEEK THEME

July 28—Olympic Sunday!

Just in time for the 2024 Summer Olympics, our final week of Summer Sunday fun is WLUMC Olympic Sunday! We will have a number of games with a comical Bible name/tie-in and pair our game challenge with a lesson on the importance of persistence (*required of an athlete but also in the Christian walk of faith*).

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.

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.

RETIREMENT PARTY

Wednesday, August 7 / 4-7PM

Woodside House

Kelly Rismiller / 610-507-9141

kelly@westlawnmc.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.



CHURCH PICNIC/BASEBALL

Saturday, August 10 / 11:30AM

Liberty Baseball Fields

836 Ruth St, Sinking Spring

Register: website / app

An All Church picnic is taking place in August. Bring the entire family for great food, fellowship and entertainment with your church friends including children's activities, a pick up ballgame, and a home run derby! **Register today.**



**FLOWERS MAY BE PLACED ON THE ALTAR IN HONOR OR MEMORY
OF LOVED ONES BY PLACING AN ORDER.**

(2 slots available per week)

To place an order for flowers, contact:

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

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, room decor, shoes, maternity items, and more.

WM SUMMER SOCIAL

Tuesday, August 20 / 4-8PM

Women's Ministry is hosting its second annual Summer Social get-together, this year at the Chubb residence. All ladies are invited for a time of casual fellowship. Drop in anytime between 4-8PM for a bite to eat, and plenty of time to sit and chat. More details online.



LOST & FOUND

Pickup Deadline: Sunday, August 11

Time is running out to claim your lost items. All articles are now centrally located in the Reiner Education Building on the shelves at the bottom of the steps by the office. Please checkout the list of items posted on the shelving. If you recognize something that is yours, please stop by and pick it up. After the deadline date noted above, all remaining items will be donated.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 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 Deadline/Lost & Found
- Aug 11 Youth Game Night
- Aug 14 Women's Book Club
- Aug 20 WM Summer Social

2024 SUMMARY as of 7/14/2024

In-Person Worship	329
Online Worship	82
Sunday School	100
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$27,655
Monthly Income To Date	\$48,739
Monthly Income Goal	\$107,284
Budget Income to Date	\$650,594
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@westlawnmc.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 Dick Jessup on his passing
- Family & friends of Jean Wetzel on her 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:

- Erika Bare is home! Thank you for all the prayers
- For our many blessings

7/21/2024

HOSPITALIZED

George DeTurck
Joy Himmelman
John Hoag
Bruce Hopkins
Joe Stemler
Catherine Waters
Judith Wool

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

Baby Vogel	Brad	Kris	Jason & his family	Kim	Nate	Autumn & Lucky
Brayden	Sue	Janine	Andrea and Aaron	Ed J.	Brooke	Mary & Dennis
Becky	Bri	Roy	Kathryn Wasser	Amy	Joe C.	Sharon & husband
Mary Lou	Luke	Baby W.	Gerald & Joan Cook	Joe S.	Shana	Dick Houser
my family	Teddy	Kollin	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 Known God"

WORSHIP LEADER

Pastor Tom Ebersole

SCRIPTURE

Acts 17:16-34 (NLT)

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

HYMN

SCRIPTURE / MESSAGE

HYMN

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

HYMNS

UMH #152 - *"I Sing the Almighty Power of God"*

UMH #334 - *"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"*

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

UMH #144 - *"This Is My Father's World"*

UMH #370 - *"Victory In Jesus"*

OFFERTORY

Craig Nagle, soloist; Christopher Rodgers, piano (8AM)

"Day By Day" (Sandell)

Christopher Rodgers, organ (11AM)

"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" (Raney)

RAISE MUSIC (9:30AM)

Worship Team, Jayme Raffauf, Director

"Multiplied" (Needtobreathe)

"God With Us" (All Sons & Daughters)

"The Blessing" (Kari Jobe)

"Yes I Will" (Vertical Worship)

"Fullness" (Elevation Worship)