

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 - JULY 23, 2017 **SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

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

July 9, 2017

8:30 am

Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! Please take a moment to sign the attendance notebooks during the announcements. If you are a guest, please leave your contact information and a pastor will contact you this week with more information about our church.

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Improvisation on "Simple Gifts"..... James E. Barrett

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

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nourish our minds by God's truth;
purify our imagination by God's beauty;
open our hearts to God's love.

**Let us surrender our wills to God's purpose,
and gather ourselves selflessly before God in adoration.**

† OPENING PRAYER

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And also with you.

Let us pray.

**Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way
into your presence. Give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit
and in truth; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

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Praise to the Lord, the Almighty..... LOBE DEN HERREN

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Genesis 28:10-19a (OT pg. 25)

SERMON

"Do You Know The Way to Bethel"

Jeff Patterson

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Victory in Jesus.....HARTFORD

HYMN No. 374, (VERSES 1 & 3)

Standing on the Promises.....PROMISES

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

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GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

PastoraleCharles Wesley

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Praise God, from Whom All Blessings FlowLASST UNS ERFREUEN

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Service Notes:

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Horizon Worship

The Gathering 8:30 am

July 23 2017

The Beginning 9:45 am

Gathering Music

Breathe Jonny Diaz

Revival Casting Crowns

God of Wonders Third Day

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer Concerns and Prayer

Offering

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Scripture

Genesis 28:10-19a

Message

"Do You Know The Way to Bethel" Jeff Patterson

Time of Reflection

Reprise

Closing

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Horizon

Horizon Worship Services include The Gathering at 8:30 am and The Beginning at 9:45 am on Sunday mornings. Both services meet in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome!

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Sanctuary

July 23, 2017

11 am

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INTROIT

Surely The Lord Is In This Place.....Mark Patterson

Chancel Choir

Surely the Lord is in this place! This is the house of our God.

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Sing To The Lord A New Song.....Robert Lau

Chancel Choir

People and tongues of every nation sing to the Lord a new song. Bring him a song of jubilation, sing to the Lord a new song. All God's creatures, old men and children, voices raised in hymns of love, He crowns the humble with salvation. Sing to the Lord a new song. Moun-

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tains and hills and all creation Sing to the Lord a new song. Join in a hymn of adoration. Sing to the Lord a new song. Praise His name, sing "Alleluia!" Praise him for his mighty deeds. This is our song, our supplication: "Sing to the Lord a new song." Praise him, shining stars, and praise him highest heavens. Oh, all kings and princes praise his holy name. Angels above make melody to him. Now lift your voice, lift up your heart, and sing! Come, Christians all, now raise your voices, sing to the Lord a new song. Praise and thanksgiving be your choices, sing to the Lord a new song. Sound the trumpet, play on the lute and harp; dance your dance, and shout for joy. Make music now as heaven rejoices, sing a new song.

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HYMN No. 472

Near to the Heart of God.....MCFEE

BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

Amen.....Dale Grotenhuis

Chancel Choir

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Old Hundredth.....Gerald Kemner

Service Notes:

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Ushers for July: Laura Amos, Kyle Brown, Nancy Ilderton, Bill Levina, Howard Regan, Craig Skillman, Rex Walser.

Greeters: John Campbell, Linda McCoy, Don Scarborough.

Thanks and Praise ~

... to The Eskew and Beaver families for hosting our last 2 Seven Summer Nights at their home on Wednesday night.

... to Cindy Dominick, Chris Massey, Jay Bennett, Erin Beall, Debbie Foust, Steven Nelson, Jared Stine and the Staff Parish Relations Team for the wonderful "Welcome Celebration" for Jeff & Tammy Patterson. The worship services and brunch were wonderful!

... to all the volunteers who generously shared their time and energy before, during and after VBS. Know that many were blessed by your willingness to say "YES!" A special word of appreciation to Susan Hedrick who served as our Preschool VBS Director.

Ways to CONNECT

"SUMMER NIGHTS" FOR 6TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS CONTINUES

We are offering 7 nights this summer filled with fun, fellowship, devotion and prayer! Come out from 7-9 pm at the locations listed. All 6th-12th grade students and their friends are invited to come together to grow in their faith and with each other.

Drinks & desserts are provided. Questions? Call/text Steven Nelson at 910-232-6064.

July 26: Cheek Home
402 Hillcrest Dr.

August 2: Nunn Home
1109 Wynnewood Ave.

August 9: Culler Home
1108 Wynnewood Ave.

CAROWINDS TRIP FOR STUDENTS 6-12TH GRADE: THURSDAY, AUGUST 10

This trip is open to all students 6th-12th grade and their friends. We'll leave the church at 8:00 am and return at 11:30 pm. This event is open to the first 25 students that sign up. All others will be put on a waiting list. Registration closes Thursday, August 3. Cost per student is \$40. Register online at www.wesleymemorial.org/students.

TRAVEL TO THE HOLY LAND WITH DR. PATTERSON OCT. 27 – NOV. 6, 2017

This will be the 7th pilgrimage to the Holy Land hosted by Dr. Patterson and Educational Opportunities Tours. Over 300 people have traveled to Israel with him. There are presently 34 people registered from across the annual conference for this experience, but there is room for about 10 more. There will be a preparatory gathering of registered pilgrims for fellowship and education on Saturday, August 5, 5:30 - 7:30 pm in the Dining Hall. If you would like more information about the pilgrimage, feel free to attend. For more information about the pilgrimage or to RSVP for the gathering on August 5, please email Dr. Patterson at jpatterson@wesleymemorial.org.



Ways to GROW

REGISTER NOW FOR 2017 MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS RETREAT (FRIDAY, AUGUST 4 - SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2017)

Open to the first 12 middle school girls that sign up. All others will be put on a waiting list. Must have completed middle school 6th - 8th grade in 2017. Registration closes Tuesday, August 1. Cost per student is \$85. The weekend will focus on a Bible Study built on the faith-based movie "Grace Unplugged." We will be staying in a vacation home between Boone and Blowing Rock, NC. Register online at www.wesleymemorial.org/students.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDIES FOR STUDENT ON TUESDAYS! (ends August 15)

- **All Girl Bible Study: (10am-12 noon): NELSON HOME: 1016 Wellington St.** Girls (6th-12th grade) and their friends are invited to our 2017 summer bible study! Drinks & snacks provided! Bring \$5 for your book.
- **All Guy Bible Study (2 - 4pm): FELLOWSHIP HALL** Guys (6th-12th grade) and their friends are invited to our 2017 summer bible study! Drinks & candy are provided. Plus, lots of fun stuff including basketball!

GOOD GOATS: SUMMER READ BOOK GROUP LED BY REV. ERIN BEALL CONTINUES JULY 25

There is still time to participate in our summer read *Good Goats: Healing Our Image of God* by Dennis, Sheila, & Matthew Linn. This book is raising lots of questions and sparking great discussion! Pick up a copy at the Front Desk for \$12.

Drop in whenever available—perfect attendance is not required! Use the chart to see when and where to meet, and what pages we'll be discussing:

Date/Time	Location	Pages to Read
July 25 @ 7 pm	Hodgin House, 505 Oakdale Rd, Sedgefield	38-51, 76-89
August 8 @ 7 pm	Dudley House - 1365 Trafalgar Drive	Whole Book
August 16 @ 6 pm	WMUMC Dining Hall	Whole Book

Ways to SERVE

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR FAIRVIEW BACKPACK SUMMER FEEDING MINISTRY

The children living in the Fairview community receive lunches in the cafeteria Monday - Thursday. Wesley Memorial will provide individual lunches for those children for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday each week. We are in need of single servings of milk, fruit cups, fruit juice, breakfast items, protein items such as pasta, etc. and snacks. Thank you for supporting this mission.



WANT TO HELP IN OUR COMMUNITY GARDEN?

The "garden guys and gals" have planted an assortment of produce in our campus garden that will be donated to Our Father's Table at Open Door Ministries. Our gardeners could really use some help. For more information, or to volunteer, contact Bob Bass (336-882-1163).

WANT TO SERVE BEHIND THE SCENES?

We are in need of sound engineers to operate the sanctuary sound system one Sunday per month. If you are willing to assist, please contact Tish Schultheiss at tschultheiss@wesleymemorial.org or by phone at 336-812-4808.



YOUR CHURCH AND CHOIR NEEDS YOUR VOICE THIS SUMMER

Many of our choir members travel over the summer and some "move" to the beach or mountains. Please consider helping the choir during the summer months, even if you are unable to serve longer. We rehearse July 19 and August 9, 16, 23 and 30 . . . only Wednesdays from 6:45-8:15 pm and Sundays at 10:30 am. If you have travel plans we can excuse you from a rehearsal or Sunday morning but please consider joining us as soon as possible.

WE NEED YOU FOR VBS AT WARD STREET

We will soon be "on the road", taking Maker Fun Factory VBS to the children in the Ward Street community. Join us July 31- August 3. We need Volunteers to serve as Crew Leaders and Assistants. We also need Volunteers to prepare bag lunches and snacks. Whether you can help one day or all four we have the perfect place for YOU! No experience or advance planning necessary. Just be ready for fun! Contact Debbie Foust at dfoust@wesleymemorial.org or 336-812-4804 to find out where you can help.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR GENERAL OFFICE SUPPORT & ANSWERING PHONES

We are always looking for volunteers to help answer the phone and perform other light office work at the Front Desk between 8:30 am and 5:00 pm. If you are able to donate just a few hours of your time each week, please contact Cynthia Reddick at 336-884-2204.

ARE YOU ABLE TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION FOR WESLEY MEMORIAL MEMBERS?

The Congregational Care Team is looking for folks willing to help members with transportation needs. Your car and your time could help people in our congregation attend important medical appointments or come to church on Sunday mornings. Our team is putting together a contact list of individuals who would be willing to serve in this important capacity. Interested in helping and learning more? Or think you may need transportation? Contact Nancy McKenzie, chair, or Rev. Jared Stine at 336-812-4813 for more info.

Ways to GIVE

FINANCIAL HELP NEEDED WITH VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL EXPENSES FOR WARD STREET

If you cannot help during VBS, your financial donations would greatly be appreciated. Donations help offset the cost of VBS supplies, materials and snacks for children here at Wesley Memorial as well as Ward Street. We will be heading to Ward Street UMC with Maker Fun Factory VBS July 31- August 3. We provide snacks and a bag lunch for these children as well as many other "take home items". We never charge for VBS as many churches do, so any donation would be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

HAVE YOU TRIED OUR EASY AND CONVENIENT ONLINE GIVING APPLICATION?

Visit www.wesleymemorial.org where online giving is available 24/7! It's quick, easy and convenient. Click the link on the left side bar. (First-time users: look for, "Need a log-in?" under the blue box. You will be emailed a password to log-in.)



WELCOME VISITORS!

Thank you so much for joining us today in worship. If this is your first time worshipping with us, **please help yourself to a blue Wesley Memorial reusable tote bag as our gift to you.** Inside you will find information about our church. We also invite you to take our First Time Visitor Survey found on the homepage of our website. We hope you will return to worship with us again!

CONNECT • GROW • SERVE

CALENDAR: July 23-30, 2017

Sunday, July 23, 2017

- Traditional Worship, 8:30 am, Chapel
- Contemporary Worship, 8:30 am & 9:45 am, Fellowship Hall
- Children, Student & Adult Sunday School, 9:45 am
- Traditional Worship, 11:00 am, Sanctuary
- Children's Ministry Team, 4:00 pm, Children's Gathering Area

Monday, July 24, 2017

- Adult Spiritual Formation Team, 5:45 pm, Circle View Room

Tuesday, July 25, 2017

- All Girl Bible Study (6th-12th Graders), 10:00 am, Nelson House - 1016 Wellington St.
- All Guy Bible Study (6th-12th Graders), 2:00 pm, Fellowship Hall
- *Good Goats* Book Study, 7:00 pm, Hodgkin House, 505 Oakdale Rd, Sedgfield

Wednesday, July 26, 2017

- Prayer Shawl Ministry, 1:30 pm, Small Dining Room
- "Summer Nights" Fellowship (6th-12th Graders), 7:00 pm, Cheek House 402 Hillcrest Drive

Sunday, July 30, 2017

- Traditional Worship, 8:30 am, Chapel
- Contemporary Worship, 8:30 am & 9:45 am, Fellowship Hall
- Children, Student & Adult Sunday School, 9:45 am
- Traditional Worship, 11:00 am, Sanctuary

OUR CLERGY & MINISTRY STAFF:

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In the event of an emergency, you simply need to call the main number, 336-884-2204. You will then choose option 1. It is available 24/7 and will connect you with a pastor.