## **Next Generation Ministries**

Preparing the Next Generation from birth through graduation to follow Jesus

#### YOUTH (6TH—12TH GRADE)

**YOUTH:** Come join us tonight for UMYF, a time of food, fun, games, fellowship, and Bible study. Meet in upstairs Grace Hall from 5:00-7:00 pm, and bring a friend!

**CONFIRMATION**: Continues! Meet in the youth room from 10-10:50 am to continue this exciting journey.

#### CHILDREN (PREK—5TH GRADE)

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL: From 10-10:50 am in the Teal Room! Join us to learn and grow.

**2ND GRADE BIBLE SUNDAY:** Will be held on Sunday, September 19th, at both services. Do you have a second-grader? Email Pastor Emily, so we are sure we have a Bible for all our second graders!

For additional information? Contact Pastor Emily, PastorEmily@watkumc.org

### **SERMON NOTES**

# September 12, 2021 \*PRAYERS REQUESTED:

Patsy Webb, health concerns
Terry Rundorff, health concerns
Rusty and Becky Wilkes, health concerns
Bill Bowman, health concerns
Wayne Eddowes, health concerns
Meredith Olds, health concerns
Brianna Robinson, health concerns
Brenda Green, recovery from surgery
Sandra Smith, health concerns
Kathy Simmons, health concerns
Lorraine King, hospice care
John Levie, health concerns
Larry Cool, health concerns
Lisa Harrell Mills, health concerns
All of our unspoken requests

**Continuing Prayer Requests:** 

Ray Damian Harry Tracy Juanita Porterfield Oliver Kennon Lillian Gordon Sally Hiss Wayne Eddowes Allene Harris Cecil Hall Cristall Harkins Pam McLerov Larry & Patsy Snipes Marie Corrigan Jimmy Epps David Dorner Anne Rowan

## Prayer Requests can be emailed confidentially to: prayer@watkumc.org

**ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS for September 5, 2021:**Worship Attendance: 83

Monthly Budget Needs: \$52,185 Received to Date: \$10,538 Grace Hall Loan Balance: \$555,100

#### **CONTACT US:**

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Childcare services are available for each worship service and the Sunday school hour for children 3 years and younger.

If you are visiting with us for the first time, please pick up a gift bag at the Welcome Desk. We are so very glad you joined us today!

## September 12, 2021

Love All. Serve Well.

\*Please stand as you are able Following the services, ushers will be stationed at the exits to accept offerings, tithes, and gifts.

**Welcome and Opening Prayer** 

Rev. Emily J. Whiten

**Welcoming Music** 

**Teresa Freitas** 

\*Apostle's Creed

**Chris Argo** 

\*Gloria Patri

**Prayers of the People** 

The Lord's Prayer

\*Song

Blessed Assurance

**UMH 369** 

**Mission Moment** 

**Children's Moment** 

Rev. Whiten

Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer

Scripture

Deuteronomy 4:9-14

Message

Song

Remember

Rev. Whiten

\*Closing Song

8:45 am: I Love To Tell The Story

11 am: Open The Eyes Of My Heart

\*Sending Forth

**Rev. Whiten** 

**UMH 156** 

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

ENNEAGRAM WORKSHOP: Why do we do what we do? By examining our motivations, can we do better? While most personality assessments examine our behaviors and outward expressions of personality, the Enneagram moves behind what we do to understand why. Stemming from the Greek words ennea (nine) and grammos (a written symbol), this ancient tool offers nine distinct personality strategies people develop to cope with themselves, others, and the world. If used faithfully, the Enneagram can set you on a path to personal growth and transformation. Whether this is a tool you know well or your first introduction, this session will take you deeper into understanding who God truly created you to be. Sign up on online at www.watkumc.org for the event on Sunday, October 3 in Grace Hall. Boxed Lunch (\$10/lunch) from 12:15-1 pm; Workshop is held from 1-4 pm. Led by: Rev. Blair Boyd Zant.

BAND OF BROTHERS (BOBS): Meets Mondays at 6:30 pm in Seekers 120. Next Meeting 9/13/21. Please make plans to attend and get to know some of the WFUMC men and study with us. We are currently using the book *The Holy Spirit* by Charles C. Ryrie. A PDF copy of the book is available upon request. Contact Paul Klump at klumpr@netzero.com

**UMM SMOKED RIBS:** The UMM are selling Smoked Ribs as a fundraiser to support the missions of the UMM. Each slab of St. Louis style ribs is \$30. Sign Up online to place your order, watkumc.org. Order deadline is Monday, September 20. Pay at pick up on Saturday, September 25 from 12 noon - 2 pm from the Scout Hut.

**USHERS:** Ushers are needed for both Worship Services. Sign Up online (watkumc.org) to sign up for 1 of 3 openings through September. Future training and other communications coming soon.

#### What you need to do to help Usher:

Be there 20 minutes before Worship
Help Guests and Members with questions
Pass out bulletins
Clean Up Sanctuary after Worship for any left items
Usher removes completed Pew Pads (11 am only)

**QATAR HELP:** WFUMC as always pulls together in times of trouble and with little notice. On Thursday of last week, we shipped 16 boxes to help those in Qatar meet basic hygiene needs. Make sure you take a look at the EBlast from Thursday.

**STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK:** The WFUMC Staff is grateful for the support received during Staff Appreciation Week. It's a wonderful feeling to be loved! Thank you all.

#### THIS WEEK AT WFUMC

#### Sunday, September 12, 2021

10:00am Youth Sunday School	GH Youth Space
10:00am Children's Sunday School	Room 209
10:00am Explorers' Sunday School	GH Room D
10:00am Progressive's Sunday School	Room 110
10:00am Seekers' Sunday School	Room 120
5:00pm Youth Group	GH Youth Space
6:30pm Al-Anon Sunday Meetings	Room 109

#### Monday, September 13, 2021

GH Family Room
Room 120
FH
GH Dining Room
GH Youth Space

#### Tuesday, September 14, 2021

ı	1:30pm Al-Anon Tuesdays	GH Youth Space
ı	1:30pm Al-Anon Tuesdays 3:00pm Lion's Club Golf Meeting	FH
	7:00pm A.A. Tuesdays	GH Youth Space

#### Wednesday, September 15, 2021

6:30pm Choir Practice	Room 201, Sanctuary
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#### Thursday, September 16, 2021

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#### Friday, September 17, 2021

7:00pm A.A. Fridavs	GH Youth Space
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#### Saturday, September 18, 2021

10:00am	A.A. Saturday	GH Youth Space
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