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SERMON CDs

\$2.00 - Circle:

Traditional / Contemporary

8:30 / 9:30 / 11:00

Sermon / Whole Service

PRAYER CONCERNS

(Prayer Concerns will be published in next week's Prayer List unless indicated for Clergy staff only)

Please detach and place in offering.

New Acolyte Training

Sunday, August 12, in the sanctuary after the 11:00 service. Open to 3rd graders and up. Contact Joy Quinn at jquinn82@comcast.net if your child is interested in serving in the acolyte ministry.

WESLEY MEN'S RETREAT

August 24-26

Enjoy a cabin retreat in Charlotte, NC, for fellowship, Whitewater rafting and spiritual renewal. \$135 includes US National Whitewater Center ticket or golf if that is your choice.

REGISTER AT WWW.WESLEYUMC.NET

This Week at Wesley

Sunday - 5th 8:30a Backpack Packing 8:30a Worship and Sunday School 9:30a Worship and Sunday School 11:00a Worship and Sunday School 10:30a Wesley West Worship 6:00p Wesley Students Pool Party 6:30p Kidz Volunteer Celebration	Tuesday - 7th 7:00a Men in Mission Wednesday - 8th 12:30p Window Folders 6:00p Faith Notes 7:00p Celebration Choir Rehearsal 7:00p Wesley West Band Practice Thursday - 9th 10:00a Wesley Cares 1:00p Pickleball 6:30p Praise Band Practice
Monday - 6th 9:00a Preschool Office Opens 1:00p Line Dance	Friday - 10th Wesley Students Kick-Off Weekend

JOINING WESLEY

If you want to join Wesley Church today, please go forward during the last song and let the pastor know.

We would love to welcome you as a new member of Wesley!

**Wesley's members are its ministers.
The professional staff who assist them are:**

Ryan Abel	Contemporary Music
Ellen Ashe	Secretary
Evan Ashe	Custodian
Nathaniel Bell	Custodian
Helen Bissell	Senior Adult Outreach
David Blackwood	Associate Pastor
Ray Burnette	Food Services
Joanne Cirincione	Education Director
Wes Daniels	Recreation Director
Kami DeRosier	Children's Director
Michelle Dodson	Program Secretary
Amanda Ellis	Finance Director
Ellyn Gilbert	Student Ministries Coordinator
Susan Gilbert	Pastor of Care
Mark Haddon	Contemporary Music
Demetrick Harden	Custodian
Adam Hilderbrandt	Associate Pastor
Elaine Maxwell	Pianist
Eve Mooney	Hospitality Director
Nicole Muns	Associate Student Director
Heather Peacock	Assistant Music Director
Greg Porterfield	Senior Pastor
Kelley Sleeper	Missions Assistant
Vicki Starcher	Preschool Director
Aaron Talbott	Student Ministries Director
Jeff Wickell	Music Ministries Director

For a complete listing of staff contact information, please visit our website, wesleyumc.net. The Church office receives mail at office@wesleyumc.net

In Our Prayers...

Armed Forces David Alexander Pat Azbell George Bailey James Banks Andrea Baxley Nate Bell Helen Bentley Mayson Bissell Jane Bonner Ralph Briese Layla Bridges Judy Brown Sandy Bryant Esther Castillo Nazarene Cato Joyce Churchville Mike Cook Harvey & Ann Dockal Linda Dodson Gordon & Betty Fair Bill Farkas Sam & Barbara Frantom David Fry	Don & Bonnie Gibbs Joan Gilliland Curtis Grubbs Al Hall Tanner Hayword Debbie Harrison Emily Henderson Jimmy Herman Terry Holder Ronnie & Angie Hopkins Gaylord Hunt Mimi Hunter Mary Catherine Hydrick Marina Johnson Jerry Kasha Miki Kay Kern Betty Kizer David Koch Carol Leggio Bob Leicht, Sr. Leslie Lopez Jack Lyner John Malcolm Gayle McGee	Joel McKinney, Sr. Bob Michael Mont Miller John Minor Mae Mitchell Mark Moats Robert Moates Glynn & JoAn Moore Collin Morgan Robyn Morris Scot Noss Conor O'Neil Geraldine Peavy Max Proctor Lea Rice Susan Rice Liz Schleicher Noah Schmitz Nancy Schneider Christine Scott Adam Showers Joey Simpson Jenzy Sioco Bobbie Smith	Grady Smith Herb Smith Jimmy Smith Sammy Smith Christa Stephens Jessie Stewart Mac Story Don Thornhill Keith Tucker Robert Uecker Ron Walford Rev. Condie Watters Nia Wattsh Ron & Cindy Whitaker Wilcauskas Family Evalyn Wilkinson Ian Williams Mary Williams Carol Willis Kevin Wirick Gary Woodrow Chris Wylie
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6th-8th Grade Students
CONFIRMATION
claiming your faith as your own
 Sundays, August 19 - December 2
 Main Campus: 9:30 & 11:00am
 Wesley West: 9:30am
 Confirmation Service: Sunday, December 2
 Register at www.wesleyumc.net

3RD GRADE BIBLES
 Sunday, August 19
 Main Campus: 9:30 & 11:00
 Traditional Services
 Wesley West: 10:30
REGISTER ONLINE!

KICK-OFF WEEKEND
 Register - www.wesleyumc.net/age-groups/students
August 10-12

SAVE THE DATE!
Kidz MOVING UP
 PROMOTION SUNDAY WILL BE AUGUST 12, 2018 FOR THE WHOLE CHURCH & ALL ACTIVITIES!

WESLEY
A United Methodist Fellowship

"Wesley Church exists to make disciples of Jesus Christ."

August 5, 2018

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Sanctuary
8:30, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.



Sunday, August 12
INVITE YOUR NEIGHBORS TO COME
WORSHIP + CARE + CONNECT

- Find a worship service that fits your schedule and style.
- Find a ministry that is meaningful and fulfilling.
- Find a small group that offers friendship and support.

Pack the Backpacks!
 TODAY: 8:30am-12:30pm, in the Gym

A NEW WAY TO GIVE AT WESLEY
Text "wesleyumc" to 77977 for a link to our giving page.
FAST. EASY. SECURE.



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Wesley is a Congregation of the North Georgia Conference, United Methodist Church

Welcome to Wesley United Methodist Church.
May God bless your worship this morning.

Coffee and biscuits are available between worship hours in the Commons Area.
Infant and Toddler childcare is offered in our children's wing.
Assistive listening devices are available.
Children's worship bags are available at the back of the sanctuary.
Ushers can assist you with these needs. Please remember to silence cell phones.

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME AND GREETING

PRELUDE Carol Gage (8:30)
Esercizio in E-Flat Arthur Ross, Viola
(9:30 & 11:00)
Let us settle our hearts and minds as we prepare together for worship.

*HYMN #127 *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *"The Apostles' Creed"*
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.
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*GLORIA PATRI
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

OFFERTORY *Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silent* Celebration Choir
Arthur Ross, Viola

Teal Attendance Pads: Members and Visitors, please print your name so we can record your presence. Visitors can receive information on Wesley by providing their address and phone number.

*DOXOLOGY
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*CHORAL RESPONSE (See page 898 in your hymnal) "Amen, Amen, Amen."

SCRIPTURE LESSON & SERMON John 6:24-35
"Who You Really Are"
Greg Porterfield
(8:30 & 9:30)

Luke 5:27-32
"Plus One"
David Blackwood
(11:00)

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION MUSIC "Largo" from *Fantasia* Arthur Ross, viola

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP
Those wishing to join Wesley please come forward during the final hymn.
"Ready to Join" cards are available in each pew.

*HYMN #398 *Jesus Calls Us*

*BENEDICTION
Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

*POSTLUDE Carol Gage (8:30)
Elaine Maxwell (9:30 & 11:00)

*The congregation will please stand.

Today's Banner Focus is:
Communion

ORDER FOR JOINING THE CHURCH

Will you be faithful to Christ through the United Methodist Church, with your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service and your witness?
I will.

My friends, I commend to your love and care these persons whom we this day receive into the membership of this congregation. Do all in your power to increase their faith, confirm their hope, and perfect them in love.

People: We rejoice to recognize you as members of Christ's holy church, and bid you welcome to Wesley United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness.

A SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Congregation: Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Congregation: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our Sovereign God, and spoke to us through your prophets. And so with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

Congregation: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son, Jesus Christ. By the baptism of His suffering, death, and resurrection, you gave birth to your church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Holy Spirit. On the night in which He gave Himself up for us, He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to His disciples and said, "Take, eat, this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." When the supper was over, He took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to His disciples, and said: Drink from this, all of you, this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you shall drink it, in remembrance of me." And so, in remembrance of these mighty acts of Jesus Christ, we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Congregation: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Pour out Your Holy Spirit on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.
Amen.

"The Giving of the Bread and the Cup"