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# \$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.

### WESLEY ON WEDNESDAY November 28, 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Please make reservations by Monday, November 26, 12:00pm

Name:

How many Regular Adult Dinners?

How many Special Dietary Needs?

How many Child Dinners (3-12)?

How many Kids (2 & under)?

Permanent Reservations? Y / N

### Supper Menu:

Tomato soup, grilled cheese, garden salad

Special Dietary Needs Menu: Grilled chicken, salad

### Child's Menu:

Tomato soup, grilled cheese, salad

Adults - \$7; Children (3-12) - \$3 Kids (2 yrs and under) - Free Family max of \$25.

## **This Week at Wesley**

Sunday - 25<sup>th</sup> 8:30a Worship and

Sunday School 9:30a Worship and Sunday School

11:00a Worship and Sunday School 10:30a Wesley West 12:00p Advent Decorating 5:00p Wesley Choir

Monday - 26th 1:00p Line Dance

Tuesday - 27th 7:00a Men in Mission

4:30p College Connection 6:30p Praise Band

Wednesday - 28<sup>th</sup> RELIEF/RECOVERY TRIP

9:30a Daniel Study 12:30p Window Folders 5:00p Last WOW Supper 6:00p WOW Classes

6:00p MS/HS Small Groups 5:45p Faith Notes 6:00p Nativity Play Dress Rehearsal 7:00p Celebration Choir 7:00p Wesley West

**Band Practice** 

Thursday - 29<sup>th</sup> 9:15a Mom's Group 1:00p Pickleball

FRIDAY - 30th CONFIRMATION RETREAT

### **Let's Go Christmas Caroling!**

Meet Sunday, December 9, 4 pm, in Rooms 22-24 before we share God's love with our house-bound members! Bring flashlights and goodies to share upon returning to Wesley. Contact Susan Gilbert, susan@wesleyumc.net.

## TEXT TO GIVE

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

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

Alcohol/Drug Addiction Armed Forces David Alexander Dan Armstrong Lynn Arnett Pat Azbell George Bailey Charles Bagby Family Claudia Baldwin Lorelei Jo Barry Andrea Baxley Margie Bennett Helen Bentley The Bertram Family Mayson Bissell Jane Bonner James Bourgeois Cliff Bowers` Vance & Nan Bowma Brannen Family Ralph Briese Rill Brown Judy Brown Lisa Bryant Sandy Bryant

Bryan Callaway Vaughn Callaway Family Glen & Kristi Cannon Esther Castillo Nazarene Cato Jovce Churchville Mike Cook Wayne Crofton Charles Demmons & family Ann Dockal Margaret Dunstan Gordon & Betty Fair Bill Farkas Barbara Frantom Bobbie Gibbs Buford & Vallie Gray Mike Graybeal John Hayes Emily Hénderson Joe Herrity Mary Catherine Hydrick Cindy Johnson Robin Johnson Family Shawn Kelley Family Jane Kendall John Kennedy

Jimmy Knight Ann Levings Richard Lupold Jack Lyner Betty McGlauflin Joel McKinney, Sr. Ron McLamb Laura McMann Bob Michael Mont Miller Ellen Minchew Mark Moats Robert Moates Glynn & JoAn Moore Néal Family Scot Noss Mike O'Rourke Jackie Parken Charlotte Parrish Hope Patsel Geraldine Peavy Jim Quarles Susan Rice Tommy Robinson Vicky Šayler

Liz Schleicher Noah Schmitz Nancy Schneider Linda Schuster Deborah Scott Dorothy Scott Adam Showers Joshua Showers Herb Smith Jimmy Smith Dr. Stager & Family Larry & Bonnie Starkev Freddie Story Don & Ann Thornhill Robert Uecker Gary Waters Ron Watford Rev. Condie Watters Ron & Cindy Whitaker Ralph Widner Ian Williams Mary Williams Carol Willis Jane Wilson Larry Youmans

## Free Online Library

Kenny Cáldwell

Scan for a free membership to Right Now Media's library of faith based videos and studies for all ages or visit https:// www.rightnow media.org/ account/invite/ wesleychurch.



### Bring Christmas Joy to Lamar Milledge Kids Christmas Store is December 3-6

Debbie Saxon

Look for the Christmas Store table in the biscuit area today and next Sunday, December 2, and sign up to work at the store. Also pick a card with a child's age and gender and purchase one \$35 gift. Monetary donations are accepted. Bring gifts to

church by December 2. Contact Susette Beach, 706-829-9420 or susette 1128@gmail.com.

# Olive Wood Items on Sale



Sunday, November 25 Beautiful items from Bethlebem!

Saturday.

December 8

9-11 am

**Celebration Space** 





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

November 25, 2018

## TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Sanctuary

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

### Are You Able to Serve?

In the new year, the 9:30 Traditional Service needs additional Communion Servers and a new Coordinator to schedule the servers each month. Contact Joy Quinn at jquinn82@comcast.net if you are willing to serve in either of these ways.

> CONFIRMATION SERVICE SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 11:00AM

# Christmas Decorating

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TODAY @ 12PM** 



Help prepare the church for Advent!



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

Joy Quinn (8:30) Elaine Maxwell (9:30 & 11:00)

Let us settle our hearts and minds as we prepare together for worship.

\*HYMN #73

O Worship the King

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT** 

**ANTHEM** For the Beauty of the Earth

Celebration Choir

### 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 Nicene Creed"

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in the one holy catholic\* and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen. \* universal

\*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** 

For the Autumn Sky

Wickell Family

**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 18:33-37 "Happy New Year?"

Greg Porterfield (8:30 & 9:30)

John 18:33-37 "The Upside Down Kingdom" David Blackwood (11:00)

### 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 #580

Lead On, O King Eternal

### \*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

Joy Quinn (8:30)

Elaine Maxwell (9:30 & 11:00)

\*The congregation will please stand.

### 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.

## WORSHIP AND SERMON NOTES

## 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!

Today's Banner Focus is:

King of Kings