

# THE CIRCUIT RIDER

A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## Sunday Worship Schedule

8:00am Traditional Worship  
(Sanctuary)

9:00am Contemporary Worship  
(Praise Center)\*

10:30am Traditional Worship  
(Sanctuary)\*

\* these services are live streamed  
and can be viewed on our  
Facebook Page and our  
YouTube Channel.

### YouTube Channel

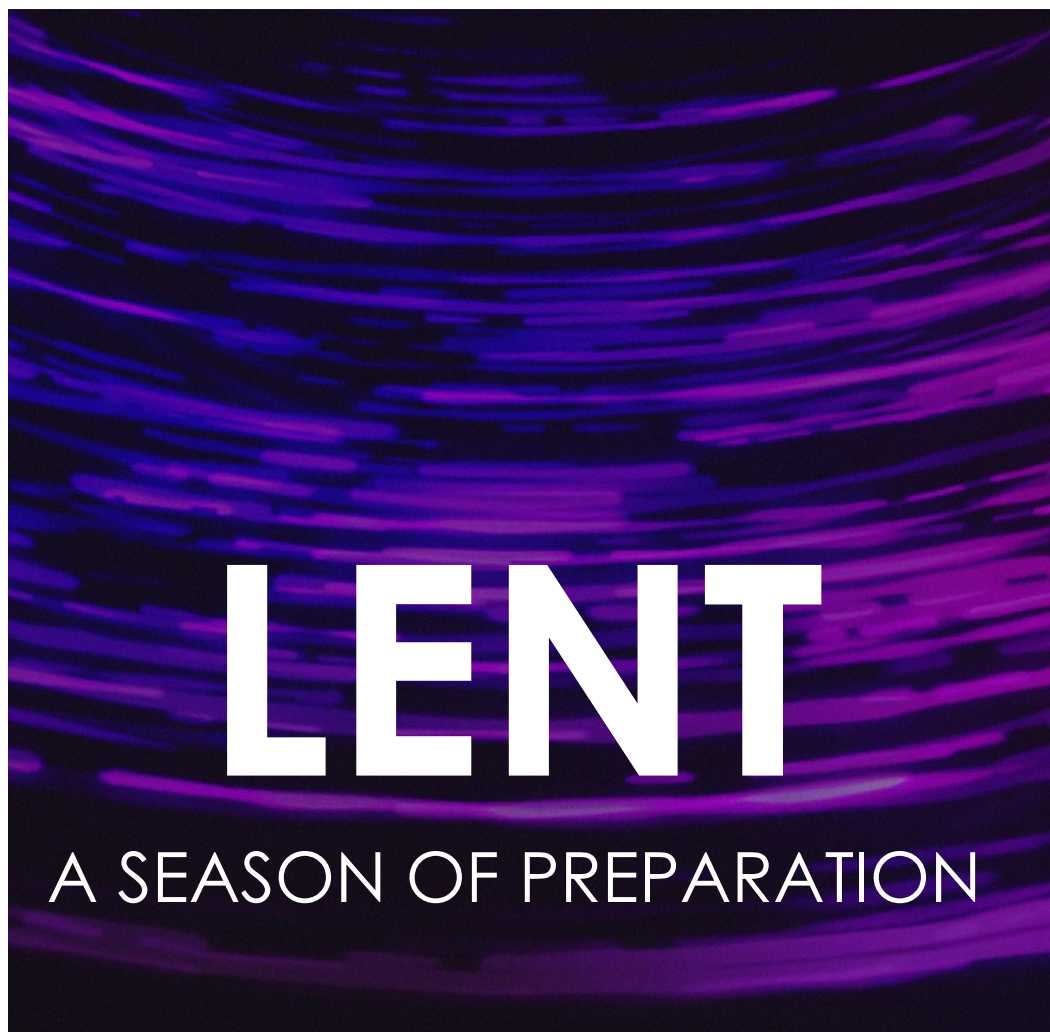
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### Facebook Page

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Use the link below to view  
past sermons

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/  
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## Making More Room for God in Your Life

One of God's greatest promises explains what happens when you spend time with Him: "Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you" (James 4:8, English Standard Version).

Nearness means you'll get to know God better and learn to recognize His voice. Jesus said He leads His sheep with His voice. "The sheep hear His voice, and He calls His own sheep by name and leads them out" (John 10:3, ESV).

With Christ in the lead, you'll go the right direction and will make it to your destination. You won't stumble around in a fog of confusion or wander aimlessly, not knowing where to go.

Staying close to Jesus also ensures you'll have life "abundantly" (John 10:10). This doesn't mean you won't have challenges or hardships. But it does mean you'll have peace, power and joy that can help you deal with any situation (Philippians 4:11-13).

# OUR FAITHFULNESS

## Attendance: March 20, 2022

### Sunday School

9:00am Children	19
9:00am Adults	59
10:30am Children	17
10:30am Adults	25

### Sunday Worship

8:00 Worship	35
9:00am Worship	93
10:30am Worship	125

### Live Stream

9:00am Worship	25
10:30am Worship	16

### Wednesday

ONE Students	42
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## Financial News: March 20, 2022

2022 Church Income Budget	\$1,386,000
Needed for One Week	\$26,654
Received thru 03/20/22 for Church Budget	\$21,137
Needed Income YTD	\$319,846
Received Income YTD	\$497,721
Difference	<b>\$177,875</b>

## Non-Budgeted Gifts Received

Building Fund- A/C Repair	\$10
Missions	\$520
Garage Sale	\$650
Utila Mission Trip	\$8,533
Wednesday Night Meal	\$280
Crawfish Tickets	\$75

## ALUMINUM CANS

You can bring your aluminum cans for recycling and put them in the container near the Folsom entrance. Money is used for Methodist Men's group projects and local

WAYS TO GIVE  
at Wesley



### BY MAIL

Wesley UMC  
3810 N Major Dr  
Beaumont, TX 77713



### ONLINE

at  
[givewesley.com](http://givewesley.com)

easter  
Lilies

It's time to order Easter Lilies for Easter Worship. Visit our website, [wesleyumc.com](http://wesleyumc.com) to place your order in memory or in honor of a loved one. Lilies will \$20 each. Payment can be made on-line or by cash or check in the church office. Deadline to order is April 3.

# FROM THE PASTOR



**SENIOR PASTOR  
REV. RICK IVEY**

“The way of a fool is right in his own eyes” (Proverbs 12:15).

The book of Judges shows how things can become worse from generation to generation. In Judges 17:6 and 21:25 (the book’s final verse), the writer sums up precisely why it was such a miserable time: “Everyone did what was right in his own eyes.”

A big part of what Jesus came into the world to do was to help us see, follow, and teach future generations a better way to live.

We may sometimes look at the world and think, “If only.”

If only things were the way they used to be.

If only more people knew the right way to live.

If only we had more time, talent, resources, and ability we might be able to make a difference.

If only more people cared about doing what was right in God’s eyes.

“If only” can quickly become a way we get trapped in regret, past failure, and never think about what could be.

We need to change our “If only” to “next time.”

Next time we will seize the opportunity to teach, instruct, witness, be an example, and care for students and children.

Next time we will give God honor, glory, praise, and thanks in worship.

Next time our words and actions will reflect how deeply we value the faith of future generations.

Hope to see you Sunday,

*Rick Ivey*  
Senior Pastor

## CALENDAR

### Sunday, March 27

8:00am Traditional Worship (**Sanctuary**)  
 9:00am **Love Lunchsack (Kitchen)**  
 Contemporary Worship\* (**Praise Center**)  
 Sunday School  
 10:30am Traditional Worship (**Sanctuary**)  
 Sunday School  
 11:30am **Administrative Board (Parlor)**  
 6:00pm ONE Students: Sunday Night Live (**Youth Center**)  
 \* this service is online and in person.

### Monday, March 28

9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Day School

### Tuesday, March 29

9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Day School  
 9:00am Community Garden Work Day  
 1:00pm Knitting Group (**Parlor**)

### Wednesday, March 30

9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Day School  
 5:30pm Dinner (**Dining Hall**)  
 Handbell Rehearsal (**Choir Room**)  
 6:00pm Wednesday Night Studies  
 ONE Students: Midweek Worship (**Youth Center**)

### Thursday, March 31

9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Day School  
 12:00pm Heart Sisters Bible Study (**Parlor**)

## MONTHLY EVENTS

Methodist Men's Breakfast  
 1st Monday of the month

Bunco  
 1st Thursday of the month

Wesley Bookworms  
 3rd Tuesday of the month

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### March 27

Bronson Broussard  
 Tanner Deshotel  
 Billy Kinney

### March 28

Parker Pierce  
 Carol Ward

### March 29

Matthew Broussard  
 Seth Means  
 Jimmy Samaha Jr.

### March 30

Justin Huynh  
 Terry O'Brien

### March 31

Edie McBride  
 Cooper Roebuck  
 Jillian Saindon

### April 1

Kary Burnham  
 Roy Follmer  
 Shawn Rice  
 Julian Zurita

### April 2

Julie George  
 Olivia Guidry  
 Jessica Joosten  
 Cheri LeBlanc  
 Lucas Stewart

## Egg MY YARD MISSION FUNDRAISER

Order your candy-filled eggs to be delivered to your yard (scattered, not hidden) or surprise a friend or neighbor Easter morning! All proceeds go to help cover the cost of the mission trip to Utila this summer. Visit our website, [wesleyumc.com](http://wesleyumc.com) to place your order today!

20 Eggs - \$20  
50 Eggs - \$45  
80 Eggs - \$70  
100 Eggs - \$85

Shine Bright For Jesus

# GLOW!

**Vacation Bible Schol 2022**

**July 25-29**

**9:00am-12:00pm**

Ages 3years-5th Grade  
(preschools must be potty trained)

Limited spots are available!

**Registration opens April 1, 2022**  
**[wesleyumc.com](http://wesleyumc.com)**

WESLEY UMC BEAUMONT

*we need*  
**CANDY**

**We need candy for the Easter Egg Hunt  
on April 10.**

All donations of unopened bags of individually wrapped candy can be dropped off in the church office during the week or in the worship spaces on Sunday morning.

# EASTER

AT WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## **Palm Sunday**

April 10  
Easter Egg Hunt  
10:15am

## **Maundy Thursday**

April 14  
6:00pm

## **Good Friday**

April 15  
6:00pm

## **Easter Sunday**

April 17  
6:45am, 8:00am,  
9:00am, & 10:30am

# HOW WILL YOU MAKE GOD KNOWN

## WESLEY OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

### Meals on Wheels

Looking for people with about an hour (or less) to serve one time (or more) a month. It involves merely pushing a cart through an apartment building delivering a hot meal to someone who otherwise may not have one. We'll even "train" you!

If you would like to be a part of this mission, please contact Sheree Pierce at [spierce@wesleyumc.com](mailto:spierce@wesleyumc.com) or 409-673-0884 (call or text)



### Love Lunchsack Ministry

**Our next Love Lunchsack day is MARCH 27**

We need a group to sponsor and pack them. You can pack Sunday morning or I can meet you Saturday to pack. You can deliver if you'd like but we have people who like to do that.

Please contact Sheree Pierce for more information or to volunteer. [spierce@wesleyumc.com](mailto:spierce@wesleyumc.com) or 409-673-0884



**"...for I was hungry and you gave Me something to eat."**

**For more information about ways that you can serve at Wesley please contact the church office at 409-892-7733.**