

# 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

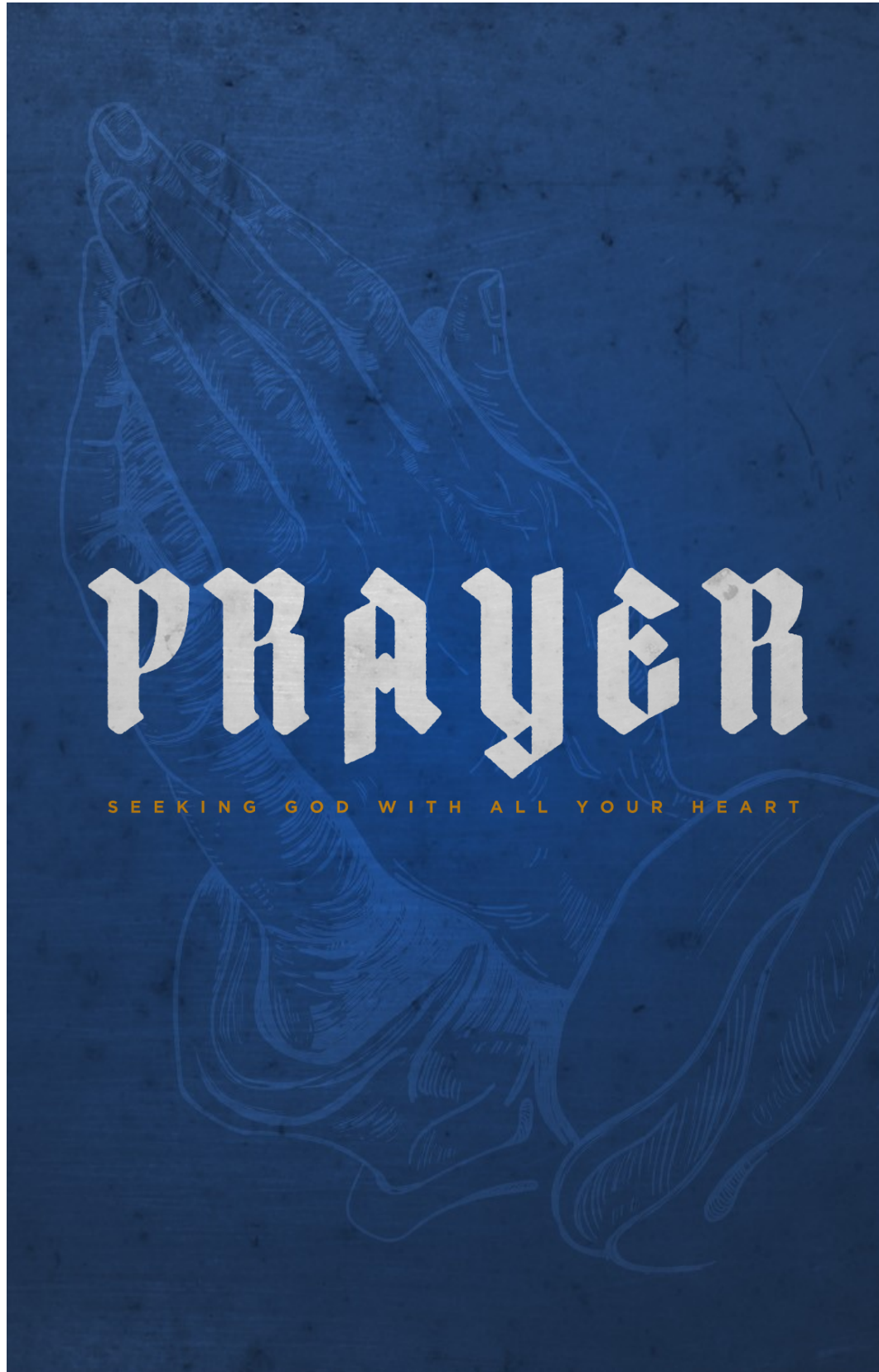
[https://www.youtube.com/  
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### Facebook Page

[https://www.facebook.com/  
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Use the link below to view  
past sermons

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/  
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## CALENDAR

### Sunday, August 28

8:00am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)  
9:00am Contemporary Worship \*  
Sunday School  
**Kindergarten Prayer Partners**  
**Love Lunchsak (kitchen)**  
10:30am Traditional Worship\*  
Sunday School (Sanctuary)  
**Kindergarten Prayer Partners**  
**11:30am Town Hall Meeting (Sanctuary)**  
**Kindergarten Prayer Partners**  
6:00pm ONE Students: Sunday Night Live (Youth Center)

\*these worship services can be viewed online

### Monday, August 29

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

### Tuesday, August 30

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

### Wednesday, August 31

9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Day School  
6:15pm Handbell Rehearsal (Sanctuary)  
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (choir Room)

### Thursday, September 1

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

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

### August 28

Paul Behrens  
Lily Galmor  
Walker Hill  
Jayden Lee  
Jeff Lee  
Luke McLeod  
Karen Pierce  
Breeana Walker

### August 29

Robin Cansler  
Emma Maddox  
Pete Means

### August 30

Cameron Diaz

### August 31

Joyce Fancher  
Sarah Wooten

### September 1

Max Fairchild  
Hudson George  
Missie Landry  
Hannah Love  
Sarah Love  
Ellouise Richmond  
Jim Tucker

### Septmeber 2

Laura Courville  
Carol Landry  
Larry Stanfield  
Keith Tullos

### Septemebr 3

Sheri Arnold  
Kim Miller  
Mike Touts

# SAVE THE DATE

Charge Conference  
November 8  
6:00pm-7:00pm  
\*\*note the change\*\*



**SENIOR PASTOR  
REV. RICK IVEY**

**“Dear friends, now we are God’s children,  
and it hasn’t yet appeared what we will be.  
We know that when he appears we will be like  
him because we’ll see him as he is.  
And all who have this hope in him purify  
themselves even as he is pure.”**

**1 John 3:2-3**

Thanks to everyone who has been praying, fasting, and participating in our church-wide time of discernment. Whatever the outcome, us spending time seeking God and asking for God’s guidance is always a great for our church.

Much of the problem we face is we do not know what will happen in the years to come. However, here are some realities I think we will have to face as a church as we continue our mission to the Beaumont area.

1. Let our light shine--Our country will continue to become more polarized politically, spiritually, and ethically. We no longer have a shared “American Story” or “American Values” to appeal to anymore. For Christianity to flourish in our country, it cannot be in a place of accommodation and adaptation to society. It will have to show itself as a better alternative or counterpoint to American consumerism and individualism.
2. Asking God--To revive and renew our church will require more than prayer, but we need to pray. The work, creativity, skill, and learning required to reach future generations will be great, but it certainly can be done with God’s help. Therefore, be persistent in prayer, persist God, remind God of the scriptural promises God has made to the church, do not leave God alone about the need to grow the church, and listen to what God says in response to your constant prayers. Our Father in heaven delights in giving us what we need.
3. We are needed—Many in our culture would be perfectly fine if no churches existed in America. The gifts of the church, are however, irreplaceable. The connection to a community, shared meaning in life, and strong hope for the future are just some of what is given by a church. Meaning in life cannot be replaced by work, hobbies, or individualistic pursuits. The world needs the church.

In Christ,

*Rick Ivey*  
Senior Pastor

# OUR FAITHFULNESS

## Attendance: August 21, 2022

### Sunday School

|                  |    |
|------------------|----|
| 9:00am Children  | 16 |
| 9:00am Adults    | 58 |
| 10:30am Children | 12 |
| 10:30am Adults   | 28 |

### Sunday Worship

|                 |     |
|-----------------|-----|
| 8:00 Worship    | 36  |
| 9:00am Worship  | 98  |
| 10:30am Worship | 111 |

### Live Stream

|                 |    |
|-----------------|----|
| 9:00am Worship  | 19 |
| 10:30am Worship | 13 |

### Wednesday

|              |    |
|--------------|----|
| ONE Students | 50 |
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## Financial News: August 21, 2022

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|--|--------------------|
| 2022 Church Income Budget                | \$1,386,000.00     |
| Needed for One Week                      | \$26,653.85        |
| Received thru 08/21/22 for Church Budget | \$69,556.04        |
| Needed Income YTD                        | \$906,230.77       |
| Received Income YTD                      | \$957,537.18       |
| Difference                               | <b>\$51,306.41</b> |

## Non-Budgeted Gifts Received

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Building Fund- Capital Campaign | \$125.00 |
| Memorials - All Funds           | \$105.00 |
| Soc. Of St. Stephen             | \$375.00 |
| One Student Ministry            | \$455.00 |
| Vacation Bible School           | \$150.00 |

## WAYS TO GIVE at Wesley



### BY MAIL

Wesley UMC  
3810 N Major Dr  
Beaumont, TX 77713

### ONLINE

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



### 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 missions.

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