

# THE CIRCUIT RIDER

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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December 19, 2019

### THIS WEEK AT | WESLEY

#### Sunday, December 22

8:00am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)  
9:00am Contemporary Worship (Praise Center)  
9:15am Sunday School  
Happy Birthday Jesus Party  
10:30am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)  
Happy Birthday Jesus Party  
5:30pm ONE SM Sunday Night Live (Youth Bldg.)

#### Monday, December 23

No Activities

#### Tuesday, December 24

Office Closed

4:00pm Family Christmas Eve service (Sanctuary)  
6:00pm Traditional Christmas Eve Service (Sanctuary)  
11:00pm Casual Christmas Eve Service (Sanctuary)

#### Wednesday, December 25

Merry Christmas

Office Closed

#### Thursday, December 26

Office Closed



ways to give at Wesley

**IN PERSON**  
cash or check  
in worship

**BY MAIL**  
3810 N Major Dr  
Beaumont, TX 77713

**ONLINE**  
at  
wesleyumc.com

**KIOSK**  
Outside of the  
worship space

### FROM THE | PASTOR

**“Said the king to the people everywhere  
Listen to what I say  
Pray for peace people everywhere  
Listen to what I say  
The child, the child  
Sleeping in the night  
He will bring us goodness and light”  
Do You Hear What I hear?  
Lyrics 1962**

**“For to us a child is born, to us a son is given,  
and the government will be on his shoulders.  
And he will be called Wonderful Counselor,  
Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.”  
Isiah 9**

It is such a wonderful time of year at Wesley. Thanks to all of you who came to the Christmas Choir Cantata and enjoyed the wonderful music. Thanks to those of you who invited friends and neighbors as well. I am always impressed by the way Wesley UMC helps those in need this time of year. From the gifts you bought for the angel tree, to donating money so foster kids can have a great Christmas, to the many people you help, it is truly amazing what a big heart you have.

Please be sure to invite people to join you on Christmas Eve for either 4,6, or 11. The sanctuary looks great and the time of worship will be meaningful. People are open to visiting church this time of year like no other. We will have three great services and your guests will get to hear the great news of God giving the world a savior who brings peace.

In Christ,

*Rick Ivey*

For a complete listing of times, locations and additional events such as recovery meetings and scouts, visit <http://www.wesleyumc.com/calendar/>

# OUR | FAITHFULNESS

## Attendance December 15-18, 2019

### Sunday School

9:00am Children	26
9:00am Adults	79
10:30am Children	
10:30am Adults	17

### Sunday Worship

8:00 Worship	55
9:00am Worship	120
10:30am Worship	328

### Live Stream

9:00am Worship	13
10:30am Worship	0

### Wednesday

Communion Service	12
ONE Students	67

## Financial News: December 15, 2019

2019 Church Income Budget	\$1,377,000
Needed for One Week	\$26,481
Received 12/15/19 for Church Budget	\$49,356
Needed Income YTD for Expense Budget	\$1,297,558
Received Income YTD	\$1,223,385
Difference	-\$74,173

## Non-Budgeted Gifts Received

Capital Campaign- A/C & Sound	\$35
Memorials - All Funds	\$25
Missions	\$20
MOSAIC	\$75
Soc. Of St. Stephen	\$1,645
Some Other Place	\$1,500
Poinsettia's	\$360
One Student Ministry	\$90
Fall Retreat	\$600

# Christmas Eve at WESLEY

**Tuesday, December 24**

### Family Friendly Service

4:00pm (Sanctuary)

### Traditional Service of Lessons & Carols

6:00pm (Sanctuary)

### Contemporary Service

11:00pm (Sanctuary)

**All services include Holy Communion and the lighting of candles during the singing of "Silent Night".**





# HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS

Wesley Kids, wear your Christmas P.J.'s and join us for a birthday celebration

**Wesley UMC**  
**Sunday, December 22**  
**9:00am & 10:30am**  
**Pam's Place**  
(Room 112/114)

**Hot Chocolate**  
**Cupcakes**  
**the Christmas Story**

## HAPPY | BIRTHDAY

### December 22

Brian Craig  
Ashley Glenn  
Louann Holiday  
Betty Roe  
Mike Welch

### December 23

Patricia Morris  
Doris Waldron

### December 24

Barrett Besser  
Margaret Broussard  
Ron Spell  
Sandy Trew

### December 25

Emerie Callas  
Amanda Eason  
Starlee Patterson  
Bob Schwarzlose

### December 26

Nancy Shysen  
Stratton Davis  
Tonya Geroge  
Gerry Kirkland  
Wyndi Padgett

### December 27

Susan Lieby  
Gretchen Stephens  
Danri White

### December 28

Tony Hayes  
George Owen  
Jody Slaughter  
Karl Wadenpful  
Betty Williams

**SPRING**

*Bible Studies*

Wednesday night studies will begin again on January 15.

Dinner will be at 5:30pm.  
Studies will begin at 6pm.