

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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October 18, 2018

THIS WEEK AT WESLEY

Friday, October 19

9:00am PieceMakers Quilting Group (Room 106)

Sunday, October 21

8:00am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)

9:00am Contemporary Worship (Praise Center)

Sunday School

10:30am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)

Sunday School

11:30am Welcome Lunch (Dining Hall)

12:00pm Pumpkin Unload

2:00pm Hearts to Hands Gathering (Room 105)
6:00pm ONE SM Sunday Night Live (Youth Building)

Boundaries with Teens Small Group (Room 106)

Monday, October 22

9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Methodist Day School 6:00pm Ladies Monday Bible Study (Parlor)

Tuesday, October 23

8:00am Seeds for Needs Workday
9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Methodist Day School
1:30pm Marion's Bible Study (Bride's Room)

Wednesday, October 24

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

11:00am Prayer Card Ministry (Conference Room)

12:00pm Communion Service (Sanctuary)

5:30pm Dinner (Dining Hall)

6:00pm ONE Students Mid-Week Worship (Youth)

6:30pm Life Groups & Bible Study

Adventure Club

Open Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Thursday, October 25

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

12:00pm Heart Sisters Bible Study (Bride's Room)

Senior Games Day (Parlor)

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

FROM THE PASTOR

"But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience." Romans 8:25

We live in an amazing world where you can get ripe fruit in the middle of winter at your grocery store, have just about anything delivered to our doorstep, and the Super Bowl is about the only thing we all watch at the same time as a nation. Even with all of the modern conveniences, there are still many times in our lives where we have to practice patience and trust that God is at work. We might want to accelerate the pace of our spiritual growth, see instant results from our prayers, or have a stronghold in our life fall immediately, but God will often uses those times of waiting for something greater than instant gratification. Just like a grain of sand irritates an oyster to slowly create a pearl, the times of waiting and patience in our life can strengthen us and produce results we never anticipated. For those of us that are currently in a time of waiting or for those that have grown impatient with how your life is progressing, take courage! The God who created the heavens and the earth, the one who breathed life into us, and holds the future in his hands is with you and will be with you as victory is revealed in your life and our world.

In Christ,

Pastor Rick Ivey

OUR FAITHFULNESS

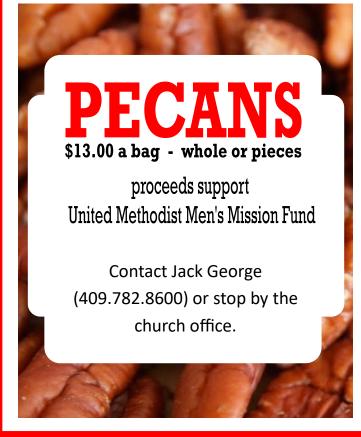
Attendance	
October 14-17, 2018	
Sunday Morning Groups	
9:00am Children	22
9:00am Adults	70
10:30am Children	14
10:30am Adults	19
Sunday Worship	
8:00 Worship	68
9:00 Worship	111
10:30 Worship	185
Live Stream	
9:00am Worship	23
10:30am Worship	14
Wednesday	
Communion	19
ONE Students	85

Financial News: October 14, 2018

2018 Church Expense Budget	\$1,469,208
Needed for One Week	\$28,254
Received 10/14/18 for Church Budget	\$20,605
Needed Income YTD for Expense Budget	\$1,158,414
Received Income YTD	\$1,028,014
Difference	-\$130,400

Non-Budgeted Gifts Received

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Building Fund	\$200
Memorials - All Funds	\$25
Missions	\$145
MOSAIC	\$200
Soc. Of St. Stephen	\$75
One Student Ministry	\$120
Building Use	\$100
Community Garden	\$100
Life Supper	\$274
Hurricane Harvey	\$200
Pumpkin Patch	\$18,904
Pecans	\$182



VOLUNTEER CARDS

Are you interested in volunteering in the Pumpkin Patch or at Fall Festival? We have these nifty cards available for you to sign up as a volunteer. Look for the cards outside the worship spaces or in the church office. After you have filled out the card return it to the welcome desk, drop it in the offering plate, or take it to the church office. Your information will be passed along to the volunteer coordinators for these events and they will contact you to get you signed up for a volunteer spot. It takes a lot of volunteers to make these events successful, we need YOU!





OPEN DAILY

October 8-31, 2018

Hours of Operation

Monday— Friday (2pm-8pm)
Saturday (9am-8pm)
Sunday (12pm-8pm)

If you would like to volunteer or in The Patch during regular operating hours, please contact

Jonathan Martin or Susan Martin.

Jonathan Martin

(409) 782-1586 jem404@gmail.com

Susan Martin

(409) 781-1064 samiamathome@yahoo.com

WESLEY BOOKWORMS CANCELLED

The Wesley Bookworms will not be meeting in October.

We hope to see you in November.

OCTOBER EVENTS

NEW MEMBER LUNCH

October 21 - 11:45am - Dining Hall

If you have recently joined Wesley or have been visiting for awhile and are thinking about joining we want to get to know you. Join us for a special lunch on October 21. The lunch will give you the chance to meet other people that are new to Wesley, visit with Pastor Rick, other church staff members, and leaders in the church, ask questions and get information about Wesley. A sack lunch will be provided. Please help us plan for this event by letting our Membership Secretary, Missie Landry, know that you will be in attendance and how many people you will be brining with you. You can contact her in the church office at 409.892.7733 or by email at mlandry@wesleyumc.com.

LIFE SHARE BLOOD DRIVE

October 28

Make plans to stop by the LifeShare mobile unit on Sunday, October 28. Your donation can save a life.

You may schedule blood drive appointments herehttps://donor.lifeshare.org/donor/schedules/drive schedule/187428 and forward this link to others to schedule their own appointments.

OPEN YOUR HOME

We are trying to help an exchange student find a new home. Asli Tazagul is a 17 year old female exchange student from Turkey who has lost her host family and is in need of a family to take her in. Asli has a scholarship from the State Department the funds her \$125 a month. Over 600 kids apply for the opportunity to spend a year in the United States, but only 50 are accepted. If you or anyone you know is interested in providing a home for this girl, please contact Missie Landry in the church office, (409)892-7733.



OCTOBER 31 5:30PM-7:30PM

GAMES | TRUNK-or-TREAT | PRIZES | CANDY

WE NEED YOU!

Fall Festival is an annual tradition at Wesley, one that reaches way beyond the walls of our church. This is a time for us to welcome the community in with welcome arms. How have you welcomed someone to Christ lately? Well, Fall Festival is the perfect opportunity. We have lots of ways for you to get involved.

- 1. **CANDY!!** Bring an unopened bag of individually wrapped candy for Trunk -or-Treat.
- 2. **Trunk-or-Treat!!** Volunteer to decorate your car and hand out candy for Trunk-or Treat.
- 3. **Booths!** Volunteer to man a booth, it's only 2 hours of your time. Here are the booths that still need volunteers:

Food Booth Bounce House Inflatable Basketball

- 4. **Dunkee!!** We need a couple of volunteers to be the dunkee's in the dunking booth.
- 5. Parking!! Help direct traffic and keep everyone safe.

Contact Jana Corrick-Oliver (407-951-2833, or corrickoliver@att.net) or fill out a Volunter Card in Worship.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Top 5 Reasons to Tithe

Throughout the Bible we are taught to give. There are three kinds of giving identified in the Bible: tithes, offerings and alms. Alms are for the poor, offerings are for specific needs (missions, building programs) and the tithe is giving ten percent of our salary to the church. The tithe is the foundation of giving. We give it first, then we give offerings and alms. Here are five reasons why we should tithe faithfully.

- 5. **Tithe because your church needs it.** The church does great work and needs your support. "Bring the entire ten percent into the storehouse, so there will be food in my house." (Malachi 3:8)
- 4. **Tithe because tithing brings you joy.** The knowledge of doing God's will brings peace of mind and joy to your heart. "God loves a cheerful giver" (II Corinthians 9:7)
- 3. **Tithe because it is God's plan of finance for His kingdom.** "Ten percent of everything you harvest is holy and belongs to me, whether it grows in your fields or on your fruit trees." (Leviticus 27:30) It not only is holy, it belongs wholly to Him.
- 2. **Tithe because of what God has done for you.** He gave His only Son, He saved your soul and He blesses you with possessions. He said, "Prove me" (Malachi 3:10) and He has proved faithful.
- 1. **Tithe because you love God.** You recognize Him as the Eternal One who created the universe and is the only One who knows what is best for you.

ways to give at Wesley

IN PERSON cash or check in worship



BY MAIL 3810 N Major Dr Beaumont, TX 77713 at wesleyumc.com



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 19

Aubree Jones Grace Seaman Kara Steward Tom Vernon Jr.

October 20

Morgan Ahysen Dustin Feldman Susan Fuller Ian Nacol Dane Roberts

October 21

P. D. Behrens Jr. Sandy Edwards Amanda Hatch Carroll McCain Johnny Rice

October 22

Nada Andress Sondra Brashear Jasper Brumbaugh Nataly Carbajal Sherrill Coleman Julia Gigliotta Jim Raymond

October 23

Mike Boone Alisa Broussard Layne Butcher Paige Marchand Caitlin Rice Victoria Rice Austin Warner

October 24

Nancy Crawford Kathye Davis Hanna Leger Clay Parsley Caleb Weeks

October 25

Dana Allen Elaine Ashcraft Jude Feldschau Chad Hartman Joyce Owen Karen Parsley Brody Stephens Tanner Sullivan

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER

19 PieceMakers Quilting Group (9:00am)
21 Pumpkin Unload (12:00pm)
28 LifeShare Blood Drive (9:00am)
31 Fall Festival (5:30pm-7:30pm)

NOVEMBER

1 Bunco (6:30pm) 2 PieceMakers Quilting Group (9:00am) 4 **All Saints Sunday** 5 Methodist Men's Breakfast (6:30am) 6 Office Volunteer Luncheon (11:30am) 10 Tour de TAC Meeting (4:00pm) 11 Friendly Beasts at Pelican Bay (1:00pm) 13 Marion's Bible Study (1:30pm) 16 PieceMakers Quilting Group (9:00am) 20 Wesley Bookworms (12:30pm) 22 Office Closed for Thanksgiving 23 Office Closed for Thanksgiving 27 Marion's Bible Study (1:30pm)

DECEMBER

3 Methodist Men's Breakfast (6:30am) 6 Bunco (6:30pm) 7 PieceMakers Quilting Group (9:00am) 8 Christmas Craft Day (8:00am) 9 Friendly Beasts at Pelican Bay (1:00pm) 11 Wesley Serves at Some Other Place (8:00am) Marion's Bible Study (1:30pm) Wesley Bookworms (12:30pm) 18 21 PieceMakers Quilting Group (9:00am) 24 **Christmas Eve Worship**

Church office will be closed December 24-January 1 for the Christmas Holidays