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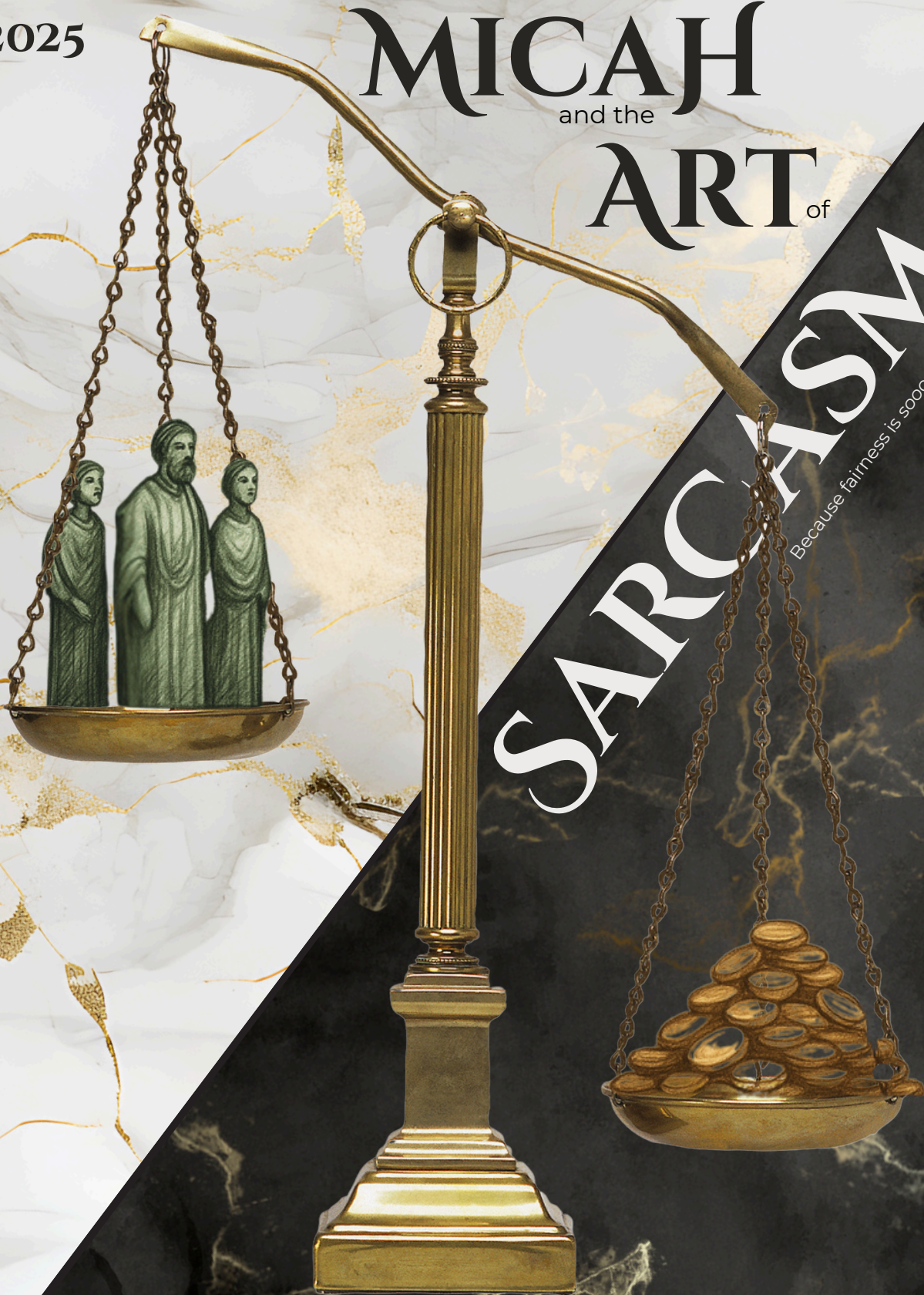
# MICAH

and the

# ART of

# SARCASM

Because fairness is soooo overrated



MEMORY VERSE

"OUT OF MY DISTRESS I CALLED ON THE LORD;  
THE LORD ANSWERED ME AND SET ME FREE."

PSALM 118:3

# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

Prelude "10,000 Reasons"	Nicolo Echague, piano Matt Redman
Welcome and Connection	Pastor Don
Call to Worship Pastor: Come rejoice, all you who love and serve the Lord! <b>People: We celebrate together in God's presence!</b> Pastor: Let all the earth stand in awe of our God, <b>People: God shatters the plans of the nations and frustrates all their schemes.</b> Pastor: But the plans of our Maker stand firm forever; God's intentions are unshakeable. <b>People: Let your unfailing love surround us, O God, for our hope is in you alone.</b>	Pastor Melly
Opening Hymn "Come, Thou Almighty King"	UMH #61 ITALIAN HYMN
A Time With Young Disciples	Pastor Don
Pastoral Prayer	Pastor Melly
Offertory "Ama Namin (The Lord's Prayer)"	Nicolo Echague, piano Manoling Francisco
Doxology	UMH #95
Prayer of Dedication	Pastor Don
Scripture Lesson Micah 4:2-5	Pew Bible OT Page 864
Message "Micah and the Art of Sarcasm"	Pastor Don
Holy Communion "Come, Take The Body"	Sally Anderson Robert Lau
Closing Hymn "Lord, I Want To Be a Christian"	UMH #402 I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN
Benediction	Pastor Don
Postlude "Savior, Like a Sheperd Lead Us"	Nicolo Echague, piano Marianne Kim



# PRAYER LIST

## Those Healing in a Nursing Home or Rehab Facility

Judy Wisely, Jack Dorsett, Dottie Chick, Bob & Sally Jefferson, David Self, Carol Dalrymple, Kathryn Coffman, Ruth Dove, James Rock, Barbara Ferguson, Lola Coplan, Don Bloom, Eleanor Olson, Lorine Pettigrew, Phil Bell, Don Greer, Dr. Ronald Rexroat and all those in area nursing homes and rehab facilities.

## Those Healing & Grieving

Sheila Williams, Mac Roodhouse, Judy Jones, Beverly Waller, Joe Moulden, Pat Rice, Violet Allen, Barb Heimrich, Michael Catania, Keith Branham, Karen Jones, Gene Jones, Jimmy Mann, Catherine Heard, Pat Young, Gregg Bradley, Pam Wells, Anna Sievert, Debbie Carter, Andrew Cherrenak, Lisa Torrance, Christiana Kerbs, Tristyn Ruzich, Tom Mehaffy, Marion Keudell, Genie Marshall, Joshua Jefferson, Marge Colley, Mabel Kreps and all those not listed who are healing and grieving.

## Local, National & World Wide

The United Methodist Church, Wesley Village, Wesley Christian Childcare Development Center, Wesley Foundation, WIU International Students, the city of Macomb, the state of Illinois, our country, countries at war, everyone affected by the natural disasters, all those facing violence, discrimination, fear, financial worry, addiction, and pain.

**Long term prayer request sheets are available outside the sanctuary**

## THIS WEEK @ WESLEY

### Sunday, July 6

8:30am: Contemporary Service  
9:30am: Coffee Fellowship  
9:45am: Sunday School  
11:00am: Traditional Service

### Monday, July 7

9:00am: Sewing Group  
10:00am: XYZ Coffee at HyVee  
1:00pm: Staff Meeting

### Tuesday, July 8

### Wednesday, July 9

9:30am: Fellheimer Trust  
Noon: Chapel Prayer Time

### Thursday, July 10

### Friday, July 11

7:00am: Men's Coffee at HyVee

### Saturday, July 12

Laura Hawkins Birthday

**VACATION BIBLE School**

**JULY 21-25**  
6:00-7:30 PM

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**ROAD TRIP**

**ON THE GO WITH GOD**

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The graphic features a cartoon dog wearing a red cap and a yellow scarf, sitting on a road that winds through a green landscape with trees and a bright sun. A yellow signpost indicates the dates and times of the Vacation Bible School. A blue license plate-style sign at the bottom reads 'ROAD TRIP' and 'ON THE GO WITH GOD'. A QR code is located in the bottom right corner.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Mission of the Month: Barakah-ONG & Africa University

This July, Wesley UMC proudly supports Barakah-ONG and Africa University, two ministries making a lasting impact in Africa. Thank you for your prayers and support in advancing these vital missions of care and education across the continent.

**Barakah-ONG** is a faith-based nonprofit organization in the Democratic Republic of Congo, founded by Pastor Melly, who is leading the effort to build an orphanage that will provide a safe and loving home for vulnerable children. This important project is already underway, and with continued support, it will become a place of hope and care for many children in need.

**Africa University**, a United Methodist-related institution in Zimbabwe, empowers students from across the continent with quality higher education rooted in Christian values. Graduates become leaders in fields such as agriculture, health, education, and ministry, helping to build stronger communities. The Illinois Great Rivers Conference (IGRC) has a deep and ongoing connection with Africa University, dating back over 37 years to when it was first established by a vote of the 1988 General Conference in St. Louis, MO. Wesley UMC is proud to be part of this legacy of support.



## Deneckes To Perform Next Week!



We're excited to welcome back former members Hannah and Eli Denecke, who will be providing special music at both services on **Sunday, July 13**. Join us in worship and take a moment to reconnect and offer the Deneckes a warm Macomb Wesley UMC welcome!

Nursery care is available in  
room U-21  
for children ages 0-5

Summer Sunday Camp - Week 6

## The Stories Jesus Told

Parables Around the Campfire

### The Lost Sheep

One Room Sunday School "Summer Sunday Camp" continues today at 9:45 in U-19. The lesson is on The Lost Sheep. Come ready to have fun!

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