

the annual harvest



ON
THE
WAY

11.9.25

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

Gathering
"Who Am I"

Praise Band
NEEDTOBREATHE

Welcome and Connection

Pastor Don

Praise Song
"Lord I Need You"

Praise Band
Matt Maher

Praise Kids Performance
"Love Your Neighbor"

Evalyn Mateski, director
Cindy Berry

A Time With Young Disciples

Pastor Don

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Melly

Invitation to Giving
"Great are You Lord"

Praise Band
All Sons and Daughters

Scripture Lesson
Matthew 13: 24-30

Pew Bible
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Message
"The Annual Harvest"

Pastor Don

Closing Song
"Holy Water"

Praise Band
We the Kingdom

Benediction

Pastor Don

Departing Song
"Holy Water" Instrumental Reprise

Praise Band
We the Kingdom

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And More!



MEDIA TEAM:

Jim Rouse, Tom Ford, Hayden Douglas

PRAISE BAND

Jason Hawkins, director
Tim Rice, Nicolo Echague,
Logan Mitchell, Tyler Demareee,
Lindsay Douglas, Mackenzie Glasmann

Our services are live streamed on the internet. CCLI: CSPL100576 OneLicense.net: A-726296

PRAYER LIST



Submit online or
Fill out a prayer request
card in the pew

Pray for the Families
of
Cheryl Nelson
Grace Baker
John Cook

Those in a Nursing Home or Rehab Facility

Jack Dorsett, Dottie Chick, Bob & Sally Jefferson, David Self, Carol Dalrymple, Kathryn Coffman, Ruth Dove, Barbara Ferguson, Lola Coplan, Don Bloom, Eleanor Olson, Lorine Pettigrew, Phil Bell, Don Greer, Lynn Thompson, Pat Young, Pastor Don Long, Sr. Arletha Dowacter, and all those in area nursing homes and rehab facilities.

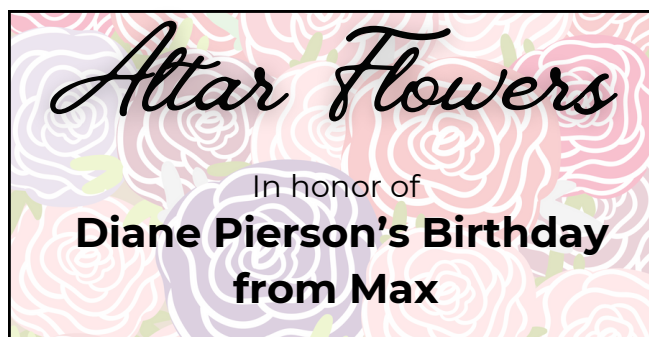
Prayers For Individuals & Families

Mary Virginia Woodrum, Larry Monninger, Bonnie Barker, Shelby Lerch, Skyler Lerch, Karen Walker, Joy, Jean Douglas, Anna Mae Parker, Alan Dunkerson, Donna Selmon, Mary McMahon, Peter Emilloboh, and Jacob Rouse.

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 AT WESLEY

Sunday, November 9

8:30am: Contemporary Service
9:30am: Coffee Fellowship
9:45am: Sunday School
11:00am: Traditional Service
1:00pm: CFCM
6:00pm: Youth Group

Monday, November 10

10:00am: XYZ Coffee, HyVee
1:00pm: Staff Meeting
7:00pm: Choral Society Practice

Tuesday, November 11

Veterans Day - Church Office Closed

12:00pm: Prayer Shawl Meeting

Wednesday, November 12

10:00am: United Women of Faith
Noon: Chapel Prayer Circle
5:00pm: Praise Kids Practice
6:00pm: Men's Bible Study
6:30pm: Wesley Ringers Practice
7:00pm: Praise Band Practice

Thursday, November 13

7:00pm: Choir Practice

Friday, November 14

7:00am: Men's Coffee, HyVee
Noon: Church Office Closes

Saturday, November 15

8:00am: Rice & Soy Blessing Bag
Assembly

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mission of the Month: Wesley UMC Mission Trip

Each year, Wesley UMC sends a team on a week-long mission trip within the United States—an opportunity for hands-on service, fellowship, and faith in action. These trips are open to everyone in our congregation, and no special skills are required—just a willing heart and a desire to help others. Whether it's rebuilding homes, supporting community outreach projects, or serving those in need, our mission teams make a lasting impact while growing together in Christ. Your support this month helps fund travel, materials, and project costs for our 2026 trip, making it possible for more people to participate and serve. Thank you for helping us share God's love beyond our own community! You can support the Wesley UMC Mission Trip this month by giving online (see QR code) and selecting "Mission of the Month," or by writing a check to Wesley UMC with "November Mission of the Month" in the memo line.

Discover "The Wonder of Advent" — Join Our Bible Study

Experience the beauty and meaning of the Advent season through The Wonder of Advent Bible study. Together we'll explore the themes of hope, joy, peace, and love, discovering how each one weaves through Scripture and draws us closer to God. This four-week study also features the inspiring music of Adrienne Camp. The group will meet on Mondays, November 24 through December 15, from 5:00–6:15 p.m. in the Lodge Parlor. A sign-up sheet will be available in the Atrium starting in November, where you can reserve your spot and order your study book. For questions, contact Julie Meredith (309-255-2199), Marilyn Olsen (309-313-4992), or Janet Hopper (309-333-0377).



Western Illinois University School of Music presents

30th Holiday FESTIVAL OF CHOIRS

Tickets on sale now!

WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY SINGERS & CHAMBER SINGERS
Dr. Brian J. Winnie, conductor and Dr. Po-Chuan Chiang, collaborative pianist

WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY CONCERT CHOIR
Dr. Jason Hawkins, conductor and Paul Casiano, collaborative pianist

MACOMB HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT CHOIR & MADRIGAL SINGERS
Melanie Butcher, conductor

HOFFMAN ESTATES HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT CHOIR
Matthew Schlesinger, conductor and Andrew Luzwick, collaborative pianist

HOLIDAY FESTIVAL CHILDREN'S CHOIR
Ethan Ivey, conductor and Sague Molina, collaborative pianist

Saturday, December 6, 2025
2:00 pm and 7:30pm
Wesley United Methodist Church

\$10 General Admission | WIU Students Free (while seats last)

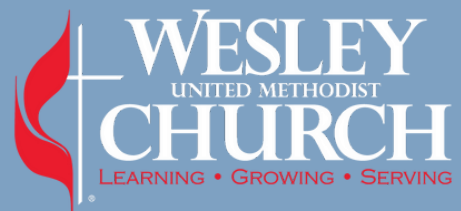
Reservations required. Call the box office at 309-298-2900, visit the Hainline Theatre Lobby, or reserve online at www.westernpresents.com

Rice/Soy Bag Assembly

Join us on **Saturday, November 15 at 8:00am** in the Fellowship Hall to assemble Rice & Soy Blessing Bags. These meal packs will provide food for 6,000 people in need, and we need your help to make it happen. To help us plan, we encourage you to sign up in advance. You can do so after Sunday services in the Atrium or by calling the church office. Signing up is not required but greatly appreciated. We are also collecting donations to cover the cost of the meal packs and shipping, which is \$2 per bag. If you'd like to contribute, please note "Rice Project" on the memo line of your check. Let's come together for this fun and impactful event to help feed those in need!

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