

Welcome to...



We're glad you're here!

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10:00 – Blended Worship  
Hospitality offered in the atrium.  
Church office hours are from 9  
AM-3 PM weekdays.  
It will be closed on Fridays in the  
summer.

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### Today's Community Connections:

- If you are interested in providing fresh flowers for worship, please sign up at the *Connections Corner* table in the atrium.
- The Prayer Shawl Group gatherings are planned for the third Wednesday of each month 12:30 to 2:00 p.m.
- Feel like you missed something? The *Connections Corner* table can help. Head across the atrium and get the information you need just under the tv monitor.
- Don't receive our weekly e-news? Please email Sue Kiefner at: [SueK@wesleychurch.com](mailto:SueK@wesleychurch.com) to get on the list!
- The backpack program has created a giving tree to help in raising funds for the event/ministry. Have a look in the atrium, and please consider helping finance this huge endeavor!
- Anyone interested in offering a two-minute testimony regarding faithful church giving is welcome to contact Pastor Andy. We'd like you to share your story in worship!
- Your consistent, faithful giving is very much appreciated, especially during these summer months! Thank you!

# "As One" Summer Worship at Wesley Church

1 Corinthians 12:20: Yes, there are many parts, but only one body.  
July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018: 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

† invites all to stand, if able.

## Pre-Service Video

**Prelude**      *Prelude and Fugue in B Flat* (J. S. Bach)      Frank Arbushites, organ

**Welcome and † Greeting**      Bob Keiderling, Minister of Discipleship

## † Songs of Praise

*Cry of My Heart*      The Ensemble  
*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*      #133, United Methodist Hymnal (UMH)

† **Scripture**      Proverbs 4:10-13, 20-27; Mathew 7:13-14      Jeff Rose, Reader

**Special Music**      *Beside Still Waters* (arr. A. Freeman)      Bell Ensemble

**Children's Message**      Pastor Andy, Leader

**Congregational Prayer and the Lord's Prayer**      Bob

Whether offering your prayer aloud or keeping it confidential, please continue to fill out the blue cards and place them in the offering so that the prayer team may continue to faithfully do its work. Thank you!

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

## Giving Our Tithes, Offerings and Other Gifts

The blue *Sign-in Cards / Prayer Cards* are available in the pew racks. They, as well as your morning offering, can be placed in the offering plates as they are passed along your pew. Thank you!

**Music during the Offering:**      *Lead Me, Lord* (arr. J. Sanborn)      Frank, piano

† **Praise Song**      *I Have Decided*

**Message**      "Straight Ahead Only"      Pastor Andy

## Musical Response

## *Narrow Road* (B. Lang)

And we walk on this narrow road /Now restored as one, /we walk in Your hope  
And though darkness fills our path / Fear won't fix it's hold on us,/ for we know

(Chorus) And love will shine before us on our path/And guide our every step within the dark

And we bear tiding of Your hope/ Freedom from the sinner's plight through You love  
Our eyes set upon this task /Trust in hand as one we walk, /we advance

(Chorus 2) To know You is our only cry/Knowing You, our only cry, our God

And Lord, here we are with humbled hearts /To see Your will be done  
Let love shape us to Your own design /To bear our Maker's sign (repeat, then to chorus 2)

## Community Connections

### † Closing Song

*O Church of God, United*

#547, UMH

### † Closing Words

## Postlude

### *What's up in worship?*

**New Summer Worship Series continues:** Join us for the next 7 weeks in worship as we discuss *Signs of Faith*. It's a good bet most of us will be taking a trip on vacation or just doing a little traveling this summer. We know those road signs well and what they mean as we travel safely. But have you considered what they mean to us from a spiritual perspective? Grab a "traveling buddy" and join us as we discover the wealth of help these spiritual *Signs of Faith* can be!

**Today:** Straight Ahead Only (Proverbs 4:10-13, 20-27 and Matthew 7:13-14). It's a phrase that describes what the Christian life looks like: A way of living that chooses actions that back up who we say we are as God's children. We are dependent on the only One and the only Way!

**Next Week:** Crossroads (Jeremiah 6:16-21 and Joshue 24:14-15). We all come to one of these from time to time. How do we decide to take one rather than another? Scripture tells us to take the "old road" ... the tried and true road that leads to God's blessing.

**Wesley Church will worship together in one blended worship style through the summer at 10 AM.**

## WESLEY PRAYER JOYS AND CONCERNS

JULY 8, 2018

*"Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need and thank him for all he has done."* **Philippians 4:6 New Living Translation**

### JULY 1<sup>st</sup>

**Laurie Billheimer** for Andrew to put life back together **Margie Bell** for son Noah recovering from foot surgery and seeking employment **Nicole & Christian Lockhart** for nephew pursuing Master's degree **Chuck & Wendy Stehly** for friend Kevin recovering from tongue cancer surgery **Chris Foster** for Mike's surgery of July 7, safe travel for this week, for God's hand of protection for immigrant families that are separated and merciful way to help those fleeing danger & oppression. **Ray & Lin Robey** continued prayer for nephew Jesse & family, for grandson Derek **Frank Madura** for God's healing for Dennis, Mary, Chuck & Joe – all with cancer. God's wisdom as my Mother's caregiver & a job search. **Gayne Marriner** please keep friend Kelly in your prayers as she deals with cancer **Frank & Wendy Arbushites** for safe travel for all **Raeya Bell** for Margie Bell who has back pain **Donna Mains** for husband Bill being treated for sepsis and prostate cancer **Tina Alisio** for Tom Keel having surgery to improve circulation to foot

**JOYS AND PRAISES:** **Beverly Marriner** wants to thank those who called sent cards, and prayed for her. She is doing a little better. **Frank Madura** shares praise to God for the caregivers Group & the Thursday Men's Group. **Laurie Billheimer** gives praise that Andrew is safe and Sarah has passed last exam, now a CPA. **Lockharts** give praise for nephew's engagement. **The Robeys** are grateful for nephew Jesse's recovery from burns. **Shirley Brandon** thankful Frances is home after long stay in Manor Care and getting stronger.

### CONTINUED HEALING /PRAYER CONCERNS:

**Walt & Carolyn Migilori** for Walt's Dad, Martin, amputation recovery. **Andy Kereczman** cancer. **Rebecca Flores** for post treatment care. **Melissa Day** for post treatment care. **Betty Holt** for mesothelioma. **Chuck & Wendy Stehly** for **Jeff**, brain cancer; for **Ivelisse**, breast cancer. **Bob Keiderling** for sister, Pat, going through another round of chemo. **Chris Foster** Roby for neuropathy.

### THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND WORSHIP:

<b>Gracedale</b> Jane Sandt, Dorothy Coolin	<b>At Home:</b> George & Martha Danner, Naomi Jones
<b>Moravian Village</b> Agnes Smit	<b>Arlington</b> (Easton) Sylvia Thele
<b>Traditions of Hanover</b> Marian Jeffery	<b>Sterling Heights</b> Peggy Jacobson
<b>Kirkland Village</b> Barbara Guldner	<b>Traditions HOA</b> Betty Holt
	<b>Westminster Village</b> Howard & Shirley Beiseigel, Lorene Arnold

**WESLEY CHURCH MINISTRIES:** Our teachers and facilitators: Good Grief: Men's & Women's Small groups, TEACH Rwanda: Visitation/Stephen Ministry; We've Got Your Backpack Day; Backpack Buddies; Cancer Support Group; Wesley Community Garden; Lehigh Valley Outreach Depot; UMC Leadership; and the Wesley Community Food Garden.

### WESLEY LEADERSHIP TEAMS:

**Committee on Nominations and Leadership:** Pastor Andrew Krpata, Lenore Mohr, Mike Maticavage, Chris Jacobsen, Brian Graybeal, Christy Hume, Jane Kempfer, and Michelle Koch. **Committee on Staff/Parish Relations:** Dave Siegfried, Andrew Krpata, Mike Maticavage, Karen Marmaras, Meg Ksenzakovic, Steve Caskie, Liz Lewis, Mike Krom, and Jaimee Walters. **Board of Trustees:** Rich Chambers, Jeff Rose, Deb Silliman, Andrew Krpata, Frank Madura, Kim Krupka, Kraig Hume, Lisa Jacobsen, and Doug Jantzi. **Committee on Finance and Stewardship:** Jim Hunter, Peter Marmaras, Andrew Krpata, Mike Maticavage, Karen Marmaras, Dave Siegfried, Rich Chambers, Sharon Schultz, Anita Dalske, Aaron Hook, Bob Sopko, and Matt Dietz. **Church Council:** Christian Lockhart (Chairperson), Mike Maticavage (Lay Leader), Karen Marmaras (Lay Leader to Annual Conference), Chris Foster (Alternate to Annual Conference), Michelle Koch (Recording Secretary), Jason Walters (Social Justice Ministries), Sue Kiefner (Outreach & Missions).