

Welcome to:



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CHURCH  
OF BETHLEHEM

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## ***This Week at Wesley Church:***

### **Sunday, March 17**

**Winter Book Club**

**Mammy's Angels - Easter Party**

**Youth Group**

**12:00-1:15pm (Library)**

**4:00-7:00pm (Fellowship Hall)**

**6-8:00pm (Fellowship Hall)**

### **Monday, March 18**

**Prayer Team**

**Core Staff Meeting**

**AA - Beginners Meeting**

**10:00am (Library)**

**2:00pm (Library)**

**6:30pm (Library)**

### **Tuesday, March 19**

**Men's Faith Building**

**6:30pm-8pm (Library)**

### **Wednesday, March 20**

**Board of Trustees Meeting**

**7:00pm-8:30pm (Library)**

### **Thursday, March 21**

### **Friday, March 22**

**AA Pre-Meeting**

**AA - Speakers Meeting**

**Al-Anon**

**Yard Sale Set-Up**

**5:45pm (Parlor)**

**7:00pm (Sanctuary)**

**8:00pm (Library)**

**7-10:00pm (Fellowship Hall)**

### **Saturday, March 23**

**Church Spring Yard Sale**

**9:30am-2:00pm (Fellowship Hall)**

# Blended Worship

***March 17th, 2024***

## Prelude

Ich ruf zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ, BWV 639 (J. S. Bach)

## Welcome

### † Call to Worship *(inspired by Exodus 15)*

One: Our God is a God of grace!

**Many: Our God is a God who graciously provides!**

One: When God's people were wandering through the wilderness,

**Many: searching for water, growing desperate,**

One: God provided for their needs!

**Many: God provided them with streams of water!**

One: God met their needs, not because of their obedience  
or righteousness,

**Many: but because of God's gracious love!**

### † Opening Hymn and Song

#480 UMH O Love That Will Not Let Me Go\*  
My Heart Is Yours\*

## Scripture

Exodus 15:22-27

## Message in Music

O How I Love Jesus\*\* (arr. By S. Geschke)

## Children's Message

## Giving Our Tithes, Offerings and Other Gifts

This month, our *Power of One* offering will benefit:  
*the "We Got Your Back" backpack ministry*

## Offering Music

The Stand\*

## **Congregational Prayer**

### **Lord's Prayer**

**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.**

### **Message in Music**

Lenten Meditation\*\* (arr. *J. Althouse*)

### **Message**

“Desperate”

### **Musical Response**

At the Cross (Love Ran Red)\* (*Chris Tomlin*)

## **Community Connections**

### **† Closing Hymn**

#354 UMH I Surrender All\* (Verses 1, 3, 4 & 5)

### **† Benediction**

### **Dismissal Song**

At the Cross (Love Ran Red)\* (Reprise)

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