

Welcome to:



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A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

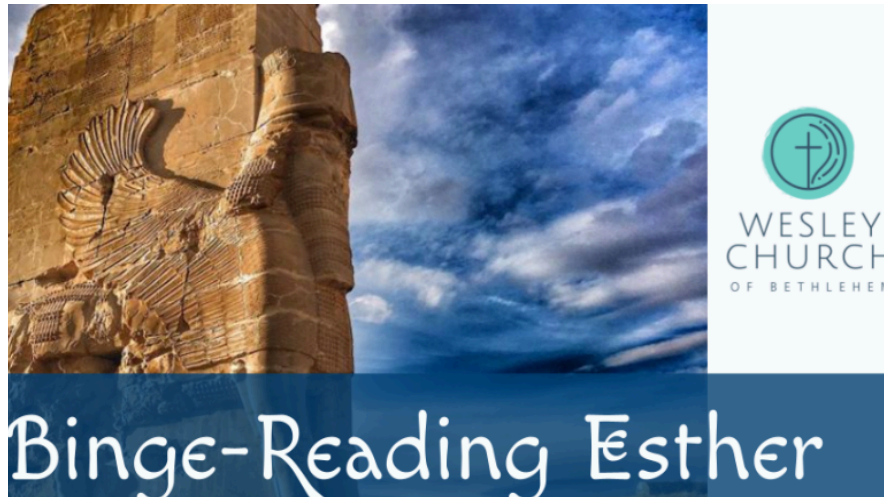
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This Week at Wesley Church:

Sunday, August 3

SPR Meeting
Church Picnic
NA - Westside Sunday Night

11:15am (Library)
11:30am-3:30pm (Fellowship Hall)
6:00-8:15pm (Library)

Monday, August 4

Prayer Team
Core Staff Meeting
AA - Beginners Meeting
Capital Campaign Meeting

10:00am (Library)
2:00pm (Pastor's Office)
6:30pm (Library)
6:30pm (Finance Office)

Tuesday, August 5

Cancer Support Group
Men's Faith Building

6:00-8:00pm (Youth Lounge)
6:30pm-8:00pm (Parlor)

Wednesday, August 6

Thursday, August 7

Audience of One Rehearsal

7:45pm (Sanctuary)

Friday, August 8

AA - Speakers Meeting
Al-Anon

7:00pm (Sanctuary)
7:00pm (Library)

Saturday, August 9

Blended Worship

August 3rd, 2025

Prelude

Welcome

† Call to Worship *(inspired by Matthew 22)*

One: A teacher, an expert in the law, approached Jesus, asking:

Many: “Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?”

One: And Jesus answered him:

Many: “You shall love the Lord God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind...”

One: “and you shall love your neighbor as yourself.”

Many: “On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets!”

† Opening Hymn and Song

#384 UMH Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*
I Could Sing of Your Love Forever*

Children’s Message

Scripture

Esther 1:1-2:18

Jane Griffing

Giving Our Tithes, Offerings and Other Gifts

This month, our *Power of One* offering will benefit:
The Lehigh Valley Outreach Depot - Hygiene Kits

Offering Music

Message

“Something’s Rotten in the State of Persia”

Musical Response

More Like Jesus* (*Canyon Hills Worship*)

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Communion Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

Communion Music *Cheryl Boots & Jim Ritchie, vocalists*

Something As Simple As Bread****

Jesu, Jesu* (Verses 1-3, 5)

Community Connections

† Closing Song

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian*/Love Round*

† Benediction

Postlude

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