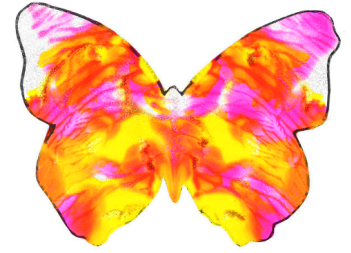


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This Week at Wesley Church:

Sunday, April 26

NA - Westside Sunday Night

6:00-8:15pm (Library)

Monday, April 27

Prayer Team Meeting
Core Staff Meeting
Women's Bible Study
AA - Beginners Meeting

10:00-11:00am (Library)
2:00pm (Pastor's Office)
6:00-7:30pm (Library)
6:30pm (Fellowship Hall)

Tuesday, April 28

Men's Faith Building
ABE Intergroup Meeting

6:30pm-8:00pm (Library)
7:00-9:00pm (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, April 29

Celebration Ringers Rehearsal
Alpha Bells
Jubilation Singers Rehearsal

6:00-7:15pm (Music Room)
7:15pm (Music Room)
7:15-8:30pm (Sanctuary)

Thursday, April 30

Audience of One Rehearsal

7:45-10:30pm (Sanctuary)

Friday, May 1

AA - Speakers Meeting
Al-Anon

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

Saturday, May 2

Blended Worship

April 26th, 2026

Prelude Canon in D**** (arr. P. Fey)

Welcome

† Call to Worship

One: At the start of his ministry, Jesus proclaimed the good news, saying:

Many: “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.”

One: He guided the disciples in prayer, saying:

Many: “May your kingdom come. May your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.”

One: He taught the Pharisees, saying:

Many: “Behold, the kingdom of God is in the midst of you.”

One: He spoke to Nicodemus, saying:

Many: “Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.”

One: He preached to the crowds, saying:

Many: “Seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness!”

One: We hear once more the good news of the kingdom of God!

Many: As we worship, may we seek God’s kingdom above all!

† Opening Hymn and Song

#428 UMH For the Healing of the Nations* (Verses 1, 3 & 4)
Build Your Kingdom Here*

Scripture Matthew 13:34-35, 44-46

Patti Tironi

Children’s Message

Giving Our Tithes, Offerings and Other Gifts

This month, our *Power of One* offering will benefit:
We Got Your Back Backpack Program

Offering Music

Seek Ye First*** (arr. *D. E. Wagner*)

Congregational Prayer

The Kingdom of God**

Message

“Squeaky Toy”

Musical Response

Move* (*LO Worship*)

Community Connections

† Closing Song

Kingdom Come* (*Hillsong United*)

† Benediction

Dismissal Song

Kingdom Come* (Reprise)

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