Ministry in Action - Announcements

Due to the increased use of parking in the new lot, we will no longer be running a shuttle bus on Sunday mornings for offsite parking. We will continue to provide service on Sunday mornings to Glenaire. Pickup times are 8:05am and 9:25am, and the bus will leave to return to Glenaire at 11am. Our shuttle ministry will continue to evaluate the need for offsite service as we get into the fall. If you have any questions or would like to serve in this ministry, please contact Keith Streward, keithstirewalt@gmail.com, or Rob Phillips, Rob@wpumc.com.

Children & Youth Ministry Parent Meeting. Parents of children and youth are invited to the WPUMC Chapel Sunday, August 18th from 4:30 until 6 pm. Safe Sanctuaries training will be from 6-7 pm. Parents of rising 6th graders are strongly encouraged to attend. Childcare will be available for kids up to 6th grade. Please contact Children’s Minister Michele Vansteen at Michele@wpumc.com by August 16 to reserve childcare. Dinner from Moe’s Southwest Grill will be provided for both children and parents. For more information please contact Youth Pastor Jason Darden at jason@wpumc.com or 919-961-2880.

Celebration Sunday and 3-year-old Bible Storybook presentation on September 8. WPUMC would like to celebrate the milestone of children entering into our Sunday School program by giving each child their own Bible Storybook. This enables families to share stories their children learn in Sunday School. On September 8 during each of the three services, children graduating from the nursery to the preschool Sunday School will be called forward to receive a Bible Storybook. If you have a child beginning Sunday School this fall, please contact Michele Vansteen, Michele@wpumc.com.

Third grade Bible presentation will be on September 8. It has been the tradition of WPUMC to see that every young person owns a Bible. Third grade is when students move from “learning to read” to “reading to learn.” On September 8 during each of the three services, a Bible will be presented to each third grader. Please contact Michele@wpumc.com if your child is a third grader this school year.

Sign up now for the Disciple’s Path study led by Rev. Rob Phillips on Sunday afternoons, September 8 - October 13, 4:30-6pm, room C203, cost - $12. This is the foundational discipleship study that our entire church went through in 2017. Anyone who missed the study the first time or is new to the congregation is urged to sign up.

The church office needs your help! Did you know that our church reception office is run solely by our awesome volunteers? We are so grateful to each and every one of you that volunteers. We also need volunteers for the 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th Tuesday afternoons, 2 -5pm. Please email Debbie@wpumc.com or call 919-467-9394 if you can help.

Thursday Morning Bible Study (TMBS) resumes on September 12 at 9:30am. The study is Gospel: Recovering the Power that Made Christ-anity Revolutionary, by J. D. Greear. This 8-week class will teach you how to be more holy, not by working on your character, but by focusing on Christ, the source of holiness. It will increase your intimacy with God, and deepen your desire to do what pleases God, and help you replace empty religious practice with gospel-centered transformation. Cost for book: $14. Sign up online today. For more information please contact Robin Cranfill at robincranfills@gmail.com.

The Art of Marriage is a 6-week small group study with dinner from Family Life Today that weaves together expert teaching, engaging stories, man-on-the-street interviews, humorous vignettes, and much more, to portray the hope and beauty of God’s design. The study starts September 11, 6:30-8:30pm, and is for married couples of all ages, as well as engaged couples. Registration is online and the cost is $12.50 per person ($25/couple). Info? Contact Bruce Cranfill at 919-345-8070.

Heart and Home - Our first capital projects have begun. As a reminder our #1 priority was areas of Safety and Regulatory updates and our first project is the installation of a new church wide security system. Next, Church Trustees have ordered required new components to upgrade our HVAC. We’ll keep you posted as we progress! For more details please see wpumc.com/heartandhome.

The Vows of Jesus Prayer

Friday, August 9, 2019

Iglesia Metodista Unida White Plains United Methodist Church August 11, 2019
11 de agosto de 2019

At the conclusion of worship, a Stephen Minister will be available for counsel and/or prayer at the left front corner of each worship space.

Contact Information: 919-467-9394; info@wpumc.com; www.wpumc.com
Welcome and Announcements

Prelude
Adagio in G Minor Tomaso Albinoni

*Call to Worship

*Hymn of Praise
For the Healing of the Nations UMH #428

*Passing of the Peace

Time of Prayer

*Affirmation of Faith

*Gloria Patri

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture John 17:20-25 NT #105

Anthem
If My People Will Pray arr. Keith Christopher
Chancel Choir

Message
The Vows of Jesus - Prayer
Rev. Rob Phillips

*Hymn of Response
Freely, Freely UMH #389

Offertory
Adagio Tomaso Albinoni

Please sign the attendance book in your row, so we might have an accurate record of your presence in worship.

*Dedication of Gifts, Doxology

*Music for Communion

*Choral Response
The Lord Bless You and Keep You Peter Lutkin
Chancel Choir

*Postlude
Tuba Tune CS Lang

Welcome...We’re Glad You’re Here!

Our God Is Love
Jailbreak
In Christ Alone

Prayer & Offering
Rev. Jason Darden
Do It Again

Scripture
John 17:20-25

Message
The Vows of Jesus - Prayer
Rev. Rob Phillips
Who You Say I Am

Response/Final Remarks
We’d love to get to know you, and we’d like for you to get to know us! If you’d like to share your contact info with us, feel free to sign the pew pad when it is passed your way. Thanks!

CCLI#967142

Today we welcome special musical guests: Ken Blount - drummer, Noah Oxendine, Harley Lowery, Kaylisa Rogers, Shene Washington, Nevondea McNell, Savannah Shelden, Brianna Anderson, and Cody Erickson.

Children’s Sunday School meets 9:45-10:45 for the regular Sunday School hour and 11:00-12:00 during the Embrace and Familia services. Children are welcome to attend one or both sessions.

Please silence your cell phone before the service of worship begins.