

# THE CIRCUIT RIDER

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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April 4, 2019

## THIS WEEK AT | WESLEY

### Sunday, April 7

- 8:00am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)  
9:00am Contemporary Worship (Praise Center)  
Sunday School  
10:30am Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)  
Sunday School  
5:30pm ONE SM Sunday Night Live (Youth Bldg.)

### Monday, April 8

- 9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Methodist Day School

### Tuesday, April 9

- 8:00am Seeds for Needs Workday  
9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Methodist Day School

### Wednesday, April 10

- 9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Methodist Day School  
**9:00am-4:00pm Easter Egg Stuffing (Parlor)**  
11:00am Prayer Card Ministry (Conference Room)  
12:00pm Communion Service (Sanctuary)  
5:30pm Wednesday Night Dinner (Dining Hall)  
6:00pm ONE Students Mid-Week Worship (Youth Bldg.)  
6:30pm Spring Bible Studies  
Open Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

### Thursday, April 11

- 9:00am-1:45pm Wesley Methodist Day School  
12:00pm Heart Sisters Bible Study (Bride's Room)  
Senior Games Day (Parlor)  
Hearts to Hands Knitting Group (Parlor)

**Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, "What are you seeking?"**  
**John 1:38**

Easter is almost here! It is amazing how Jesus' first words to the disciples are still ones that speak to people today. What are your friends and neighbors looking for? What are they seeking? If they are not part of a church, they are probably seeking purpose and meaning in their life. They may have never known why Jesus matters so much or why Easter is such a wonderful celebration. I hope you will take the time to invite them. People love to be invited.

Saturday, April 13th 7pm we have our first ever **Glow-In-the Dark Egg Hunt** with food and fellowship for all ages.

Palm Sunday, April 14th at 10:30 we will have our **Easter Choir Cantata and parade of palms** for the children.

Wednesday, April 17th at 6:05 our Student Ministry will have a **Color War Egg Hunt**

Thursday, April 18th 7pm **Maundy Thursday Service**

Friday, April 19th 7pm **Good Friday Service**

Sunday, April 21st **Easter Sunday** 6:30AM Sunrise Service, 8AM Traditional, 9AM Contemporary, 10:30AM Traditional

Remember on the weekend after Easter we will have our **Feast of Wesley**. Worship at 8AM and a combined service at 10AM in the sanctuary. After worship, we will have a great time of food, fellowship, and live music that is another great opportunity to invite someone to Wesley.

*Rev. Rick Wey*

Sr. Pastor, Wesley UMC

For a complete listing of times, locations and additional events such as recovery meetings and scouts, visit <http://www.wesleyumc.com/calendar/>

# OUR | FAITHFULNESS

## Attendance March 31-April 3, 2019

### Sunday Morning Groups

9:00am Children	10
9:00am Adults	74
10:30am Children	13
10:30am Adults	36

### 29 Sunday Worship

8:00 Worship	58
9:00 Worship	127
10:30 Worship	173

### Live Stream

9:00am Worship	13
10:30am Worship	12

### Wednesday

Communion	19
ONE Students	56

## Financial News: March 31, 2019

2019 Church Income Budget	\$1,377,000
Needed for One Week	\$26,481
Received 03/31/19 for Church Budget	\$27,514
Needed Income YTD for Expense Budget	\$344,250
Received Income YTD	\$430,975
Difference	\$86,725

## Non-Budgeted Gifts Received

Capital Campaign- A/C & Sound	\$30
Memorials - All Funds	\$275
Missions	\$80
Some Other Place	\$120
Building Use	\$300
Life Supper	\$205
Kairos Cookies and Meals	\$194
Helping Hands	\$50
Class Books	\$12
Astros Tickets	\$609
Easter Lilies	\$124
Butterflies for Children's Ministry	\$50



# GLOW IN THE DARK EASTER EGG-STRAVAGANZA APRIL 13 - 7:00pm



We need your help stuffing the  
Easter Eggs for the Easter Egg-stravaganza.  
Join us on April 10 from 9:00am-4:00pm  
in the parlor. Lunch will be provided



### **Director of Worship Arts**

Contact Amanda Ayers for more information or to receive a copy of the job description and an application.



We have 5000 glow-in-the-dark eggs for the egg hunt. That means we need a lot of candy to fill them all. Donations of unopened bags of individually wrapped candy can be dropped off at the church office or in the buckets outside of worship on Sunday.



## **HOLY WEEK**

### **Saturday, April 13**

Glow in the Dark Egg Hunt  
(7:00PM-8:30PM)

### **Sunday, April 14**

Palm Sunday  
Traditional Service (8:30am)  
Contemporary Service (9:00am)  
Easter Cantata: We Are Witnesses  
(10:30am)

### **Wednesday, April 17**

One Student Ministry Color War Egg Hunt  
6:00pm-8:30pm

### **Thursday, April 18**

Maundy Thursday  
Meal and Worship (7:00pm)

### **Friday, April 19**

Good Friday Service (7:00pm)



## **EASTER**

### **Sunday, April 21**

Sunrise Service (6:30am)  
Traditional Service (8:30am)  
Contemporary Service (9:00am)  
Butterfly Release (10:15am)  
Traditional Service (10:30am)

# BAPTISM

Join us for a catered lunch to learn more about the why, how, and when of child baptism.

**Sunday, April 14**  
**12:00pm - Dining Hall**



Mark your calendars for  
Vacation Bible School

**July 7-12**  
**9:00am-12:00pm**

Registration is now open!

<https://vbspro.events/p/events/wesleyumcvbs2019roar>

## WESLEY BOOKWORMS

**April 16**

Plan ahead, Wesley Bookworms! The mystery for April is "If She Only Knew" by Lisa Jackson, and the May 21 choice is "Where Hope Begins" by Catherine West. We'll be at the Broussard home on April 16, and we're brown-bagging it at noon. Details to come on the May meeting.

# Easter & Butterfly LILIES & RELEASE

HONORING & REMEMBERING LOVED ONES IN A CELEBRATION OF LIFE

## EASTER LILIES (\$16)

The Easter Lilies will be placed in the church on Easter Sunday, and you may pick yours up after the service you attend. Please remember that Carl Johnsen's Florist provides complementary flowers for the Sanctuary altar each week

Order forms can be found in the church office or inside the worship bulletin on Sunday mornings.

## BUTTERFLIES (\$5)

We will be releasing the butterflies at 10:15am on Easter Sunday in Bistline Garden.

The Children's Ministry Team is looking for people to purchase butterflies in honor of our Wesley Kids. You can write in a child's name or we can choose one for you. On Easter Sunday, we would like for every child to release a butterfly that was purchased in honor of them. Please contact Julie Floyd if you have any questions or if you know of a child we need to add to our list.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### APRIL

- 10 **Stuffing Easter Eggs**
- 13 **Glow in the Dark Egg-stravaganza (7:00pm)**
- 14 **Choir Cantata (10:30am)**
- 14 **Friendly Beasts at Pelican Bay (1:00pm)**
- 14 **Baptism Info Meeting (12:00pm)**
- 14 **Palm Sunday**
- 17 **ONE Student Ministry Color War Egg Hunt (6:30pm)**
- 18 **Maundy Thursday**  
**Meal & Worship (7:00pm)**
- 19 **Good Friday Service (7:00pm)**
- 21 **Easter Sunday**
- 25-28 **Men's Emmaus Walk**
- 28 **Combined worship Service (10:00am)\***  
**Feast of Wesley (11:00am)**

\*we will still have 8:00am worship

### MAY

- 2 **Bunco (6:30pm)**
- 5 **Lunch with the Pastors (11:30am)**
- 5 **Senior Sunday**
- 6 **Methodist Men's Breakfast (6:30am)**
- 12 **Friendly Beasts at Pelican Bay (1:00pm)**
- 14 **Wesley Serves at Some Other Place (8:30am)**
- 14 **Marion's Bible Study (1:30pm)**
- 21 **Wesley Bookworms (12:00pm)**
- 28 **Marion's Bible Study (1:30pm)**
- 31 **Wesley Serves at Some Other Place (8:30am)**

## HAPPY | BIRTHDAY

### April 7

Shane Chambers  
Jessica Doleman  
Jennifer Ellis  
Betsy Thomas  
Jake Yentzen

### April 8

Christopher Forster  
Meredith Hughes  
Glenda Menefee  
Lisa Ozio  
Robert Parker

### April 9

Elisha Killian  
Kathy McEwen  
Sarah Wells

### April 10

Maurine Behrens  
Jena Lovett  
Layne Wilson

### April 11

Laure Chapman  
Tristan Killian  
Osmar Uresti  
Courtney Yust

### April 12

Hillary Erickson  
Ginger Kott  
Ann Sandefur  
Karen Stewart

### April 13

Haley Gross  
Kyle Hanson  
Tanner Marsh  
Logan Oliver