

# Wesley United Methodist Church

## WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday Morning Early Worship Service.....8:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary  
Sunday Morning Worship Service.....9:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary  
Sunday Morning Worship Service.....11:15 a.m. in the Sanctuary  
Every Wednesday Morning..... Intercessory Prayer Service.....11:00 a.m. in St. Paul's Chapel

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Adult Sunday School (See Insert).....8:45, & 9:45 a.m.  
Children's Sunday School (Ages 3 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade).....9:45 a.m. (meet in Fellowship Hall)  
Jr. / Sr. High Sunday School.....9:45 a.m. (meet in Fellowship Hall)  
Nursery.....All morning worship services

## CLOTHING CLOSET

Monday morning.....Open for Referrals..... 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.  
Friday morning.....Open for Referrals.....9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.  
Saturday morning.....OPEN FOR BUSINESS.....9:00 a.m. to 12 noon  
Donated clothing can be brought to the basement of the Educational Center on  
Monday, Friday, and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

## CHURCH OFFICE

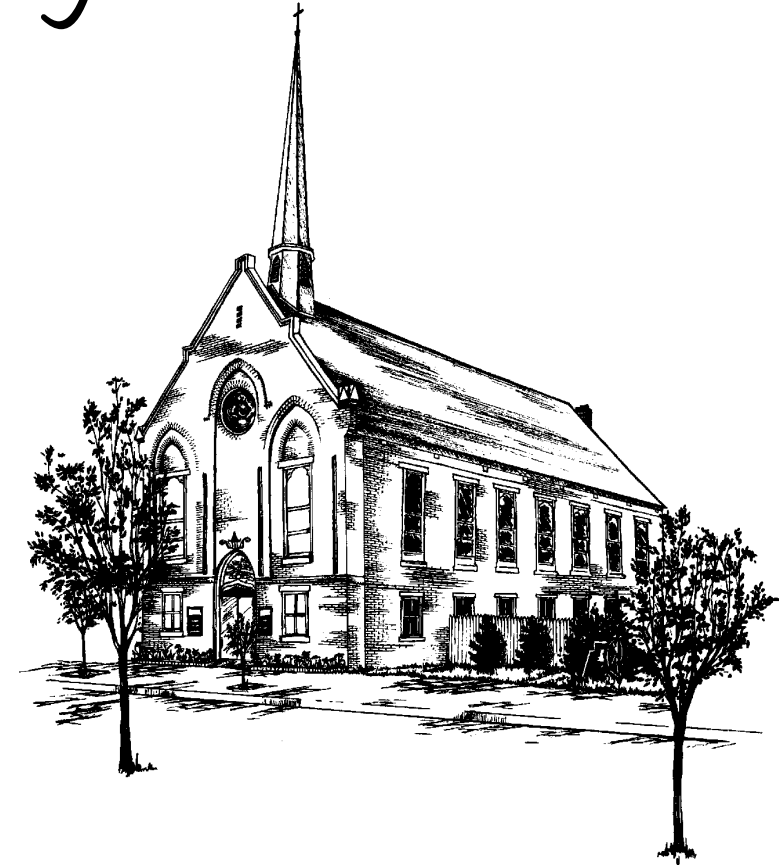
Monday-Friday ..... 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.  
Office closed for lunch from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
Telephone: (302) 678-9626 fax: (302) 678-9627

## WESLEY PRE-SCHOOL & PLAY CARE

Monday-Friday (Sept.-May) ..... Ages 2, 3 & 4 ..... Jennifer Scott, Director  
Play Care: Monday-Friday (open all year except July 30 through August 10, & Christmas Break)  
First Day of Preschool: September 10, 2018  
For more information and/or reservations call Wesley Pre-School at 678-8987.

## WESLEY'S CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor: Amy D. Yarnall - [pastor.amy@wesleyumc-dover.com](mailto:pastor.amy@wesleyumc-dover.com)  
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Clothing Closet Coordinator: Beatrice Lacklen  
Nursery Attendant: Alyssum Zeman



*Celebrating our 240<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*  
*Proclaiming God's Love through the Years*

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**THE GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

(† Indicates congregation rise in body or spirit.)

(Ω The 8:00 service includes only the parts with this symbol.)

**Hymn Sing** **UMH 419** - *I Am Thine, O Lord*; **UMH 701** *When We All Get to Heaven*;  
**UMH 314** *In The Garden*

**Ω Greeting – Announcements** (Please sign the Friendship Folder.)

**A Time of Silence and Centering** - *We Gather Together* - (UMH 131)

† **Processional Entrance: Bringing the Light of Christ**

Xander Williamson, Acolyte

† **Hymn** *Gather Us In* **TFWS 2236**

† **Ω The Call to Worship<sup>1</sup> (Responsive)** Nan Weaver, Lay Reader

Leader: By the power of the Holy Spirit, our steadfast loving God reaches out to redeem us.

**People: We will bless the Lord at all times**

Leader: Let God's praise be continually on our lips.

**People: Let us magnify the Lord and exalt God's name together.**

**Opening Prayer<sup>1</sup> (Unison)**

**Eternal God, your Son Jesus Christ is the true bread from heaven. Draw us to Christ that we may receive nourishing grace for the journey in this world, and know at last the joy of everlasting life with Christ, who dwells with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.**

† **Hymn** *What a Mighty God We Serve* **Sing Twice**

What a mighty God we serve. What a mighty God we serve.

Angels bow before you, heaven and earth adore you. What a mighty God we serve.

**Special Music** **You Took My Fall** Amy Kellen & Mandy Stant  
Gary Lanier

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**Prayer for Illumination<sup>1</sup>** Nan Weaver, Lay Reader

<sup>1</sup> Feasting on the Word Worship Companion

UMH: *United Methodist Hymnal* (Navy)  
TFWS: *The Faith We Sing* (Black)  
W&S: *Worship and Song* (Green)

**Ω Old Testament Lesson** *2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-35* Pew Bible 279

† **Ω Gospel Lesson** *John 6:35, 41-51* Pew Bible 92

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Ω Sermon** Pastor Amy D. Yarnall

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

† **Hymn** *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* **UMH 127**

**Pastoral Prayer<sup>1</sup>** Pastor Amy D. Yarnall

**The Lord's Prayer** **UMH 895**

**Offertory Prayer** Nan Weaver, Lay Reader

**Sharing of Our Tithes and Gifts**

**The Offertory** *Lord, Blessings Rich in Plenty Come From Thee* Leona Hutchins  
J. S. Bach, Germany 1685-1750

† **Doxology** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* **UMH 94**

† **Ω Passing of the Peace** (Let us exchange signs of God's reconciliation and love.)

The peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

**SENDING FORTH TO SERVE**

† **Ω Benediction**

† **Closing Hymn** *Precious Lord, Take My Hand* **UMH 474**

† **Taking the Light of Christ into the World** Xander Williamson, Acolyte

† **Postlude** *Rejoice In God's Saints* Leona Hutchins, Organist  
Eric Thiman, England 1900 – 1975