
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 5th grade).....9:45 a.m.
(meet in Grace Fellowship Hall)
Jr. / Sr. High Sunday School.....9:45 a.m. (meet in Grace Fellowship Hall)
Outreach Sunday School9:45 a.m. (meet in Student Ministries Center)
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-Friday9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. -
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Telephone: (302) 678-9626 Fax: (302) 678-9627

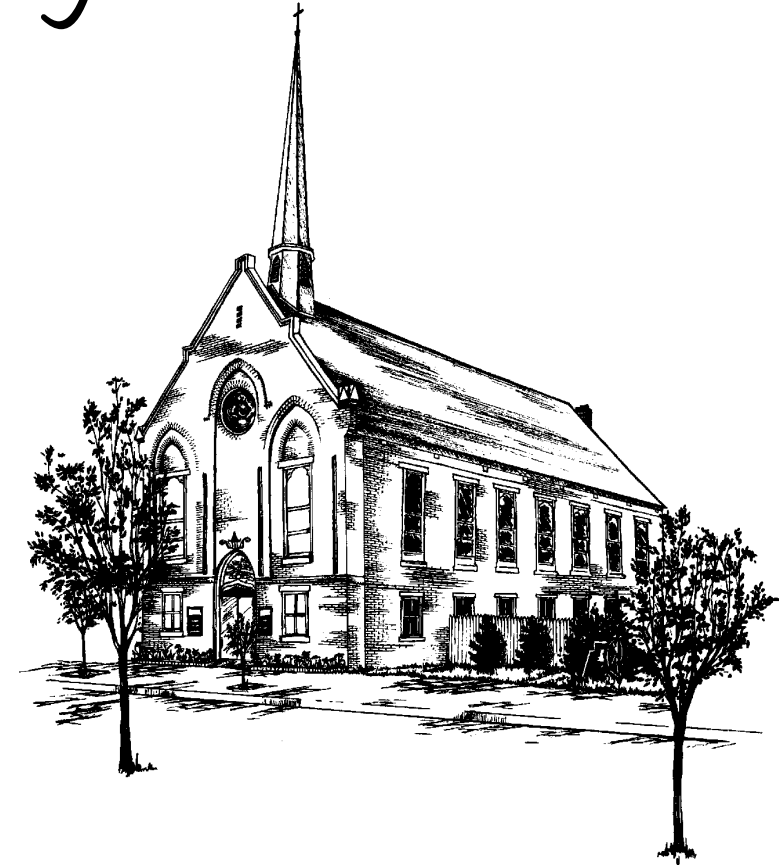
WESLEY PRE-SCHOOL & PLAY CARE

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

WESLEY'S CHURCH PASTORAL STAFF

Senior Pastor: Amy D. Yarnall - pastor.amy@wesleyumc-dover.com
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18th Sunday After Pentecost 8:00 and 9:45 a.m. Services September 23, 2018

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.)

Prelude *Arioso* David E. Wilkins, Organist
G.F. Handel, Germany 1685-1759

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

Musical Offering *Above All Names* Joyful Noise Handbell Choir
Arr. Bill Ingram

A Time of Silence and Centering

† **Processional Entrance: Bringing the Light of Christ** Leanne Evans, Acolyte

† **Hymn** *I Sing a Song of the Saints of God* **UMH 712**

† **Ω The Call to Worship¹ (Responsive)** Pat Weaver, Lay Reader

Leader: Our good works are done with gentleness.

People: Bitterness only leads to anguish.

Leader: God seeks peace and hope for all God's people.

People: But if our hearts are filled with anger, we reject God's mercy.

Leader: Open our hearts, O Lord, and help us to listen.

People: Open our lives, O Lord, and prepare us to serve. AMEN.

† **Ω Opening Prayer¹ (Unison)**

Lord, be with us this day, helping us to put our priorities in order; so that we may faithfully serve you by serving your people. Grant us clarity and right perception; free us from fear and attachment. Heal our spirits. Enable us to follow your ways all the days of our lives. AMEN.

Children's Message Pastor Amy D. Yarnall

† **Gloria Patri** **UMH 70**

Anthem *As A Little Child* Chancel & Children's Choir
Joseph M. Martin

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Ω Prayer for Illumination Pat Weaver, Lay Reader

¹ Ministry Matters, Nancy Townsley

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

Ω New Testament Lesson *James 3:13-4:3, 7-8* **Pew Bible 216**

† **Ω Gospel Lesson** *Mark 9:30-37* **Pew Bible 42**
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Ω Sermon Pastor Amy D. Yarnall

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

† **Hymn** *Like a Child* **TFWS 2092**

† **Ω Pastoral Prayer** Pastor Amy D. Yarnall

† **Ω The Lord's Prayer** **UMH 895**

Offertory Prayer Pat Weaver, Lay Reader

Sharing of Our Tithes and Gifts

The Offertory *Children of the Heavenly Father* David E. Wilkins, Organist
Swedish melody, transcribed 1855

† **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** *Just a Closer Walk with Thee* **TFWS 2158**

† **Taking the Light of Christ into the World** Leanne Evans, Acolyte

† **Postlude** *Autumn* David E. Wilkins, Organist
Cecile Chaminade, Paris 1857-1944