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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Request Prayer | Report Illness or Hospitalization | Report The Death of a Loved One
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WEEKLY WORSHIP AND STUDY

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:00 AM Online Worship

10:45 AM In-Person Worship

Sunday School

9:30 AM Adult Sunday School

Zoom: (681) 999-0194

and enter access code: 704980#

Men's Sunday School

Where: <https://bluejeans.com/972375751> ([map](#))

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Church Office Hours

Tuesday-Thursday
12 PM - 5 PM

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Celebrating Our
170TH
CHURCH
Anniversary



Sunday, December 17, 2023



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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

1109 South State Street | Little Rock, AR 72202

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, December 17, 2023 | 8:00 AM

170th Church Anniversary

PRELUDE..... *Is Your All On The Altar, AAHH #393*

WELCOME.....

JOYS AND CONCERNS/OPENING PRAYER.....

HYMN OF PRAISE..... *We've Come This Far By Faith, AAHH #412*

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE..... Sister Paulina and Sister Jo Webber

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS Elder Ronnie Miller-Yow

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS.....

Offertory Song..... Angels We Have Heard On High, UMH #238

The Dedication of the Gifts: The Doxology..... *Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow*

HYMN OF PREPARATION.....

THE GOSPEL MESSAGE..... **Rev. Kenneth R. Martin**

Pastor, Greater Archview Baptist Church

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP.....

Invitational Song.....

SENDING FORTH..... Elder Ronnie Miller-Yow

POSTLUDE..... *Let the Church Say Amen*

*Join us for our Anniversary Reception immediately following worship.

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE LITURGY



Reader 1:

When God's people were surrounded by hardship, suffering, and grief, Isaiah proclaimed,

The spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me; he has sent me to bring good news to the oppressed, to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and release to the prisoners; to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all who mourn; to provide for those who mourn in Zion—to give them a garland instead of ashes, the oil of gladness instead of mourning, the mantle of praise instead of a faint spirit (Isaiah 61:1-3a).

Reader 2:

We come today as people who are also surrounded by suffering and grief. And yet, the Spirit hovers among us, tending and anointing, inspiring freedom where there is captivity, declaring blessing in places the world has cursed, and igniting fierce joy where mourning and heartache prevail.

Congregation:

We wait as people who experience hardship and pain, yet we are called to witness to the persistent joy that sustains our life as God's people.

Reader 1:

We light these candles as signs of our shocking hope, just peace, and fierce joy. May our lives shine with the fierce, tenacious joy of the Light who lives in our hearts as we wait and work for the coming of God's kin-dom on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

Light three candles of the Advent wreath. If your Advent wreath includes a pink or rose candle, light that candle today.

OUR 170TH ANNIVERSARY

Guest Speakers



Rev. Kenneth R. Martin

Kenneth Martin is a native of Lawrence, Kansas and Graduate of Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa, and is pursuing a Master's Degree in Theology from Louisiana Baptist Seminary.

The Pastor of Greater Archview Baptist Church in Little Rock, Arkansas for the past five years, Rev. Martin previously pastored Centennial Baptist Church in Kensett, Arkansas for 12 years. He also serves as the Little Rock Police Chaplain Coordinator.

He currently is an Instructor in the Roddy Collins School of Ministry at Saint Mark Baptist Church. Rev. Martin also serves on the Foreign Mission Ministry as a Conference Speaker in Nairobi, Kenya, and Pigeon, Haiti.

Rev. Martin & Laura have been married for 29 years and have two sons and a daughter in love, Matthew who resides New York, and Seth and his wife Hannah who reside in Minnesota.

Rev. Dr. Earl Graham

Pastor Earl Graham is a native of Little Rock, AR. He is married to Candace Graham and together they are the parents of Layla, Earl III, Elijah and Caleb.

He serves as pastor of the Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in North Little Rock, AR. He also serves the Philander Smith University as Assistant Professor and Department Chair for Philosophy and Religion.

Academically, Pastor Graham has received his B.S. in Leadership & Ministry, Masters in Religious Education and a Doctorate in Educational Ministry.

He is a Spr. 12 initiate of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. and his ministry platform is strategic leadership, vision and pushing people toward their dreams.





CHRISTMAS
EVE *Service*

Oh Come Let Us Adore Him

Sunday, December 24, 2023



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1109 South State Street | Little Rock, AR 72202

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, December 24, 2023 | 8:00 AM

Christmas Eve Service

PRELUDE..... *Silent Night, Holy Night, UMH #239*

WELCOME..... Brother Jay Means

JOYS AND CONCERNS/OPENING PRAYER..... Brother Jay Means

HYMN OF PRAISE..... *Joy To The World, UMH #246*

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE..... Sister Laverne Paige

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS.....

Offertory Song..... Away in A Manger, UMH #217

The Dedication of the Gifts: The Doxology..... *Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow*

SCRIPTURE READING..... Luke 1:46B-55

HYMN OF PREPARATION..... *O Come All Ye Faithful, UMH #234*

THE GOSPEL MESSAGE..... **Rev. A. Neal Scoggins**

*Pastor of City of Refuge Community Church
Evangelism Strategist for the Arkansas Baptist State Convention*

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP.....

Invitational Song.....

SENDING FORTH..... **Rev. A. Neal Scoggins**

POSTLUDE..... *Silent Night, Holy Night, UMH #239*

LUKE 1:46B-55 | CSB

46 And Mary said:

My soul magnifies the Lord,

47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

48 because he has looked with favor
on the humble condition of his servant.

Surely, from now on all generations
will call me blessed,

49 because the Mighty One
has done great things for me,
and his name is holy.

50 His mercy is from generation to generation
on those who fear him.

51 He has done a mighty deed with his arm;
he has scattered the proud
because of the thoughts of their hearts;

52 he has toppled the mighty from their thrones
and exalted the lowly.

53 He has satisfied the hungry with good things
and sent the rich away empty.

54 He has helped his servant Israel,
remembering his mercy

55 to Abraham and his descendants forever,
just as he spoke to our ancestors.

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE LITURGY



Reader 1:

When the angel Gabriel visited Mary, announcing God's plan for her to conceive and give birth to the Messiah, "Mary said to the angel, 'How can this be, since I am a virgin?'" (Luke 1:34) And yet, only a few months later, Mary sings to Elizabeth, My soul glorifies the Lord and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all generations will call me blessed, for the Mighty One has done great things for me—holy is his name (Luke 1:46-49).

Reader 2:

We, like Mary, hear God's call to be part of making God's dream for our salvation and flourishing a reality, and we question, "How can this be? I am only..." Yet, like Mary, the "onlys" that make us hesitate are gifts God can and will use as God's love transforms us into bearers of good news.

Congregation:

We wait as people who have encountered divine Love that disrupts the status quo and ushers us into abundant life marked by mutual love and peace that flows from the flourishing of all people.

Reader 1:

We light these candles as signs of our shocking hope, our just peace, our fierce joy, and the love that transforms us. May Love grow within us, transforming us into bold witnesses of God's salvation with our voices and our lives. Amen.

Light the four outer candles of the Advent wreath.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Worship

Sunday, December 31, 2023



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1109 South State Street | Little Rock, AR 72202

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, December 31, 2023 | 8:00 AM

New Year's Eve Service

PRELUDE..... *Silent Night, Holy Night, AAHH #211*

WELCOME..... Brother Jay Means

JOYS AND CONCERNS/OPENING PRAYER..... Brother Jay Means

HYMN OF PRAISE..... *Hark the Herald Angels Sing, UMH #240*

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS.....

Offertory Song.....

The Dedication of the Gifts: The Doxology.....*Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow*

HYMN OF PREPARATION..... *How Great Thou Art, UMH #77*

THE GOSPEL MESSAGE..... Minister Renisha Ward

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP.....

Invitational Song.....

SENDING FORTH..... Elder Ronnie Miller-Yow

POSTLUDE..... *Let the Church Say Amen*

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, December 31, 2023 | 10:45 In-Person

New Year's Eve Service

PRELUDE.....*Instrumental*

WELCOME.....Sister Renisha Ward

JOYS AND CONCERNS | OPENING PRAYER.....Sister Renisha Ward

OPENING PRAISE AND WORSHIP..... *Wesley Chapel Praise Team*

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTSMinister Arlo Washington

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS.....Minister Arlo Washington

 Offeratory Song..... *Wesley Chapel Praise Team*

 The Dedication of the Gifts: The Doxology.....*Thank You Lord*

MINISTRY OF MUSIC.....*Wesley Chapel Praise Team*

THE GOSPEL MESSAGE..... **Rev. Kendall Summons**

Pastor, Greater Paradise Covenant Church

*INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP.....

 Invitational Song..... *Wesley Chapel Praise Team*

CLOSING SONG.....*Let the Church Say Amen*

SENDING FORTH.....Elder Ronnie Miller-Yow



OUR CHURCH

Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENTS



WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

GOD LOVES A CHEERFUL GIVER

WAYS TO GIVE:

In order to make giving to Wesley Chapel as convenient as possible, we have developed a variety of ways:

- **EASYTITHE**

Easy Tithe allows you to deduct directly from your bank account once or recurring donation to the General Budget (regular tithes and offerings), Capital, Scholarship or Other—(please specify) using your Visa or MasterCard, or American Express Card.

[Online Giving](#)

- **CASHAPP**

Cash App provides you mobile giving access at [\\$WesleyChapelLR](#). On the second line please place your first & last name, and which area you would like to give.

- **MAIL-IN GIVING**

If you are looking to mail in your gifts this week, please send them to:

Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church

Attention: Finance Committee

1109 South State Street

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WHAT YOUR TITHES SUPPORT

Your tithes and offerings ensure that the church is able to continue to reach out to our community, and around the world, with the gospel of Jesus Christ. Your gifts empower Wesley Chapel UMC to fulfill God's vision of transforming lives by Christian Discipleship.

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So in Christ we, though many,
form one body, and each member
belongs to all the others. -ROM. 12:5

FRONT

What's next?

Start

- I dedicated my life to Christ for the first time.
- I re-dedicated my life to Christ.

Next Step

- I'm interested in getting baptized.
- I'm interested in joining a small group.
- I would like to talk to a pastor.

Get Involved

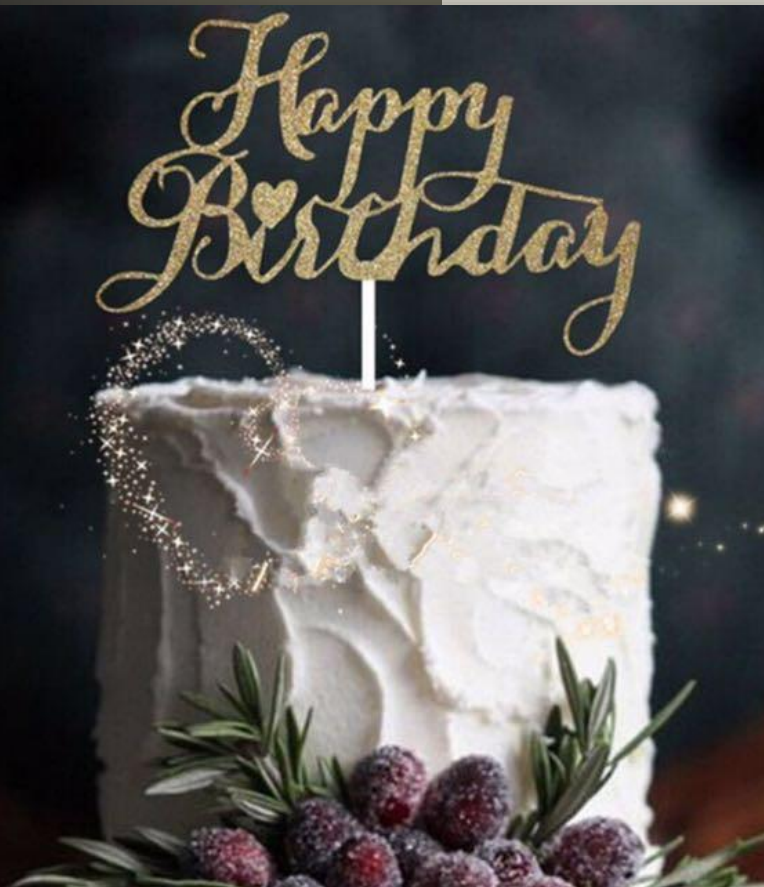
- I want to become a member.
- I want to volunteer for a ministry.
- I would like to be contacted by a Leader.

Prayer Requests/Questions:

BACK

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS & CELEBRATIONS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WESLEY CHAPEL MEMBERS!



<i>Otis Tyler</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>Alfred Flowers</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>Joanna Igwe</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>Ruby Fleming</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Joyce Gunnels</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Alicia Brooks</i>	<i>8</i>
<i>Nashon Armant</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>Addison Green</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>Chima Igwe</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>Ernest Peoples, III</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>Jo Webber</i>	<i>12</i>
<i>Eloise Booth</i>	<i>13</i>
<i>Leon Adams</i>	<i>16</i>
<i>Betty Russell</i>	<i>22</i>
<i>Raymond Steverson</i>	<i>24</i>

Happy Birthday to all members celebrating a birthday or anniversary this month. Wishing you celebratory blessings all month!

If you don't see your name for birthdays listed, just email us at wesleychapellr@gmail.com so we can update our records and we'll add you to the next bulletin.



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Habitat
for Humanity®
of Central Arkansas

Apostle's Build



Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church partnered with Habitat for Humanity and other local United Methodist churches in Little Rock to build a Habitat Home. **Our Apostles Build** is the collaboration between The Methodist Foundation for Arkansas and seven Central Arkansas United Methodist Churches.

St. James United Methodist Church
Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church
First United Methodist Church
Trinity United Methodist Church
Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church
Asbury United Methodist Church
Highland Valley United Methodist Church

On Friday, December 1, 2023, the home was presented to Rosie and Charles, the new homeowners of this collaborative construction! Our congregation gave a contribution of \$3000 towards building this new home in the midtown community.

6am

PRAYER

Call

MONDAY - FRIDAY

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...Pray without ceasing / Thessalonians 5:17

6AM MORNING PRAYER CALL

Weekly Prayer Calendar

DAY	SCRIPTURE	LEADERS
Mon. Dec. 18, 2023	Philippians 4:10-19	Mother Laverne Paige
Tue. Dec. 19, 2023	Psalms 91	Sister Renisha Ward
Wed., Dec. 20, 2023	Joel 2:18-27	Brother Stanley Giles
Thurs., Dec. 21, 2023	Luke 1:18-25	Min. Arlo Washington
Fri., Dec. 22, 2023	John 20:19-29	Min. Arlo Washington

DAY	SCRIPTURE	LEADERS
Mon. Dec. 25, 2023	Matthew 1:18-25	Mother Laverne Paige
Tue. Dec. 26, 2023	Luke 1:46-55	Sister Renisha Ward
Wed., Dec. 27, 2023	Isaiah 60:1-6	Brother Stanley Giles
Thurs., Dec. 28, 2023	Matthew 28:16-20	Sister Renisha Ward
Fri., Dec. 29, 2023	Isaiah 49:1-6	Min. Arlo Washington
Mon. January 1, 2024	Isaiah 33:15-22	Mother Laverne Paige
Tue. January 2, 2024	Psalms 106:1-12	Sister Renisha Ward
Wed., January 3, 2024	Hebrews 11:20-29	Brother Stanley Giles
Thurs., January 4, 2024	Hebrews 11:32-40	Min. Arlo Washington
Fri. January 5, 2024	Romans 5:12-21	Min. Arlo Washington



WEDNESDAYS IN THE WORD

BIBLE STUDY

coming january 2024



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THE JEAN FLUKER MEMORIAL Holiday Project

Blessing families this holiday season with a meal, toys, or a gift.



WAYS TO GIVE:

1. DONATE A FOOD BASKET (OR \$60)
2. TOYS FOR THE ANGEL TREE
3. FLUKER MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT FUND



Raised:
\$720.00

Your generous contribution will help provide a nutritious basket of food to families in need during the holiday season. Together, let's ensure everyone has a warm and nourishing meal.



Raised:
\$1000.00

Join us in making a child's Christmas extra special by purchasing a gift and placing it under our Angel Tree. Your thoughtful present will bring joy and put smiles on the faces of deserving children.



Raised:
\$100

Your contribution to the Jean Fluker Memorial Endowment Fund will help ensure a lasting impact in the lives of individuals and families. Your contribution supports future Christmas projects for years to come.

In Giving Memo: Please indicate the option of your choosing (i.e. Food Basket, Toys or Endowment Gift)

ACCEPTING GIFTS NOW – SUN. DECEMBER 17TH

*Drop off new, unwrapped toys, gift cards, teen gifts,
food baskets at Wesley Chapel UMC.
(Please no play guns, weapons, or knives)*

We greatly appreciate your generosity in helping make a difference this Christmas season. Together, we can bring joy, hope, and love to those who need it the most!



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WESLEY CHAPEL UMC CELEBRATES

Years Of Ministry

GIVING OVER

170 YEARS OF MINISTRY

GIVE AN
ANNIVERSARY
GIFT TODAY

\$170+ ADULTS

\$17+ STUDENTS

\$1.70+ CHILDREN

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING REPAIRS
IN THE SANCTUARY

TOTAL RAISED: \$3,657.00

IN HONOR OF OUR CHURCH'S RICH LEGACY,
WE ARE ASKING OUR MEMBERS TO GIVE IN
ANNIVERSARY GIFT OF \$170 AND ABOVE.

THIS CAN BE EASILY DONE THROUGH A ONE
TIME GIFT OR A MONTHLY CONTRIBUTION TO
COMPLETE A TOTAL OF \$170 OR MORE.

IN MEMO: 170TH ANNIVERSARY GIFT

*Thank You
for your continued support!*

ANNIVERSARY GIVING CAMPAIGN ENDS
ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2023



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Poinsettias for Christmas

As we decorate the alter this holiday season, we invite you to dedicate a poinsettia in honor or in memory of someone special.

All dedications will be included in the Christmas celebration bulletin.

Donors	In Honor of	In Memory of
Bro. Charles & Sis. Mable Donaldson (8)	Andrea and Kevin Barnes Carol Blow Reta Young	Tressie and Ezekiel Noel CL and Doris Borders Mary Ratliffe Tollerson Jones Barry Middleton Kenneth Middleton
Sister Essie Middleton *(3)	Mrs. Mable & Dr. Charles Donaldson	Kenneth Middleton Barry Middleton
Sister Sandra Brown *(5)		Fred W. & Luella M. Jackson Mrs. Ercell Ish Mr. & Mrs. RT Jackson Mr. John Walker, Sr. Mrs. Jewell Williams
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Jo Webber *(1)	Paulina Webber	
Dr. John Fluker	The Fluker Family	Mrs. Jean Fluker

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THE WESLEY CHAPEL UMC CHILDREN'S MINISTRY PRESENTS
A Christmas Eve Production

How Great Is Our God

DECEMBER 24, 2023

8:00 AM Worship Service

10:45 AM Children's Christmas Presentation



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Wishing You
**Happy
Holidays**

The office of Wesley Chapel will be
closed for the holidays
Tuesday, December 26, 2023 –
Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

We wish you a blessed holiday
season and a happy new year.
We'll see you all in 2024!



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PRAYER & FASTING

JANUARY 8TH – JANUARY 28TH

“I SURRENDER ALL”

2024 Daniel Fast | The Ultimate Daniel Fast



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ULTIMATE DANIEL FAST PRAYER POINTS

The focus of the Daniel Fast is prayer. While it's natural to be concerned about the **food list**, your priority on the fast should always be calling out to God on behalf of your own needs and the needs of others.

In my blog post, **"How to Prepare for the Daniel Fast"** I suggest investing in **a journal or a notebook** so you can write down specific requests, how God answers them, and what the Lord does in your life on your 21-day journey. Also, **take advantage of the following list of prayer points**—one for each day of the fast—to make your prayer time more effective. (You can also use this guide throughout the year, not only when you're doing the Daniel Fast.) Finally, **incorporate the daily verses in your prayers by praying them aloud**. For example, on Day 1, you might say:

"Lord, I pray you'll remove the blinders from the eyes of unbelievers that Satan has put on their spiritual eyes. Enable them to understand the glorious light of the gospel. May they believe that Jesus is your Son, who came and died for their sins, and that he is also God."

As you speak God's truth with faith and confidence, you'll be declaring supernatural power over people and circumstances, which will bring about changed hearts for eternity.

Day 1 – Pray for unbelievers to repent and be saved.

"Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded the minds of those who don't believe. They are unable to see the glorious light of the Good News. They don't understand this message about the glory of Christ, who is the exact likeness of God" (2 Cor. 4:4 NLT).

Day 2 – Pray for revival and a great awakening in the world.

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land" (2 Chron. 7:14).

Day 3 – Pray for Christians who are enduring persecution.

"Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life. You stretch out your hand against the anger of my foes; with your right hand you save me" (Ps. 138:7).

Day 4 – Pray for families to be strengthened in the Lord.

"Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might. Put on the full armor of God, so that you will be able to stand firm against the schemes of the devil" (Eph. 6:10 -11).

Day 5 – Pray for a family member or a friend who is sick.

“Lord, help!” they cried in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress. He sent out his word and healed them, snatching them from the door of death” (Ps. 107:19-20 NLT).

Day 6 – Pray for a couple who is struggling in their marriage.

“Make allowance for each other’s faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds us all together in perfect harmony” (Col. 3:13 -14 NLT).

Day 7 – Pray for unity in churches and in the body of Christ.

“I appeal to you, dear brothers and sisters, by the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, to live in harmony with each other. Let there be no divisions in the church. Rather, be of one mind, united in thought and purpose” (1 Cor. 1:10 NLT).

Day 8 – Pray for your pastor and for your church leadership.

“If you need wisdom, ask our generous God, and he will give it to you. He will not rebuke you for asking. But when you ask him, be sure that your faith is in God alone. Do not waver, for a person with divided loyalty is as unsettled as a wave of the sea that is blown and tossed by the wind” (James 1:5-6 NLT).

Day 9 – Pray for a ministry in your church or community.

“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving” (Col. 3:23-24).

Day 10 – Pray for a neighbor.

“I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better” (Eph. 1:17).

Day 11 – Pray for a missionary.

“Surely the righteous will never be shaken; they will be remembered forever. They will have no fear of bad news; their hearts are steadfast, trusting in the Lord” (Ps. 112:6 -7).

Day 12 – Pray for a widow/widower.

“The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit” (Ps.34:18).

Day 13 – Pray for a people in your country to turn to God.

“All the ends of the earth will remember and turn to the Lord, and all the families of the nations will bow down before him, for dominion belongs to the Lord and he rules over the nations” (Ps 22:27-28).

Day 14 – Pray for the government leaders in your country.

“It is the Lord your God you must follow, and him you must revere. Keep his commands and obey him; serve him and hold fast to him” (Deut. 13:4).

Day 15 – Pray for the sanctity of life to be upheld and celebrated.

“You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother’s womb. Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex! Your workmanship is marvelous—how well I know it.” (Ps. 139:13-15 NLT).

Day 16 – Pray for an unsaved family member or friend.

“If you declare with your mouth, ‘Jesus is Lord,’ and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved” (Rom. 10:9-10).

Day 17 – Pray for someone who is battling depression.

“For the Lord your God is living among you. He is a mighty savior. He will take delight in you with gladness. With his love, he will calm all your fears. He will rejoice over you with joyful songs” (Zeph. 3:17 NLT).

Day 18 – Pray for the people in your city/community.

“Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God. But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love” (1 John 4:7-8 NLT).

Day 19 – Pray for your heart to be obedient to the Lord.

“If you look carefully into the perfect law that sets you free, and if you do what it says and don’t forget what you heard, then God will bless you for doing it” (James 1:25 NLT).

Day 20 – Pray for a deeper commitment to prayer.

“Let joy be your continual feast. Make your life a prayer. And in the midst of everything be always giving thanks, for this is God’s perfect plan for you in Christ Jesus” (1 Thess. 5:16-18 TPT).

Day 21 – Pray for boldness to share the gospel with others.

“For I am not ashamed of this Good News about Christ. It is the power of God at work, saving everyone who believes—the Jew first and also the Gentile.” (Rom 1:16 NLT).

QUICK LINKS:

<https://ultimatedanielfast.com/2024-daniel-fast/>

<https://ultimatedanielfast.com/book-the-ultimate-guide-to-the-daniel-fast/>



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Congratulations

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Rev. Ronnie Miller-Yow Family Endowment Scholarship Fund

In honor of Pastor and Mrs. Ronnie Miller-Yow and Family, an Endowment Scholarship has been set up at the Arkansas Methodist Foundation.

If you would like to contribute to this Endowment, please indicate on your envelope that your contribution is for the Miller-Yow scholarship.

Thank you in advance for your support.



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Children & Youth ACTIVITIES

******CHILDREN'S CHOIR******
Will meet immediately
following worship.



SUNDAY SCHOOL
Every Sunday @ 9:00 AM
In the Parsonage



CHILDREN'S BIBLE STUDY
WEDNESDAY'S @ 6:00 PM
In the Parsonage





Children & Youth ANNOUNCEMENTS



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY TEACHERS

For More Info, Contact:
Sister Damaris Green | delkdamaris@gmail.com

The Wesley Chapel Children and Youth Ministries need volunteers to help with Wednesday Night Bible Study and Sunday School. We hope to recruit enough volunteers to rotate Bible Study and Sunday School teachers every other week, enhance our support for youth activities, and build a sustainable children and youth department for the future.



Greetings Wesley Chapel UMC Members & Guest,

It's that time where we are updating our records. We are looking to update addresses, phone numbers, birthdays, anniversaries and more.

To do this you can simply send an email to wesleychapellr@gmail.com or give us a call the church office at (501) 374-7893 Monday-Thursday | 11AM-5PM.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



SIGN-UP WITH WESLEY REMIND TODAY!

You can download the Remind Application by **clicking the icon below:**



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For more information or assistance, please contact:

Minister Renisha Ward, (601) 502-7412

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PRAYER REQUESTS

*Brother Curtis Jones
(father of Sister Debony Washington)*

Sister Andrea Barnes

Brother Robert Donaldson

(Brother of Charles Donaldson)

Sis. Yasmine McClelland who was in a car accident

Sister Mary Baynes

Sister Berdina Nickerson

Sister Joanna Ward

Brother Frank Sanchez

Sister Ruby Fleming

Brother Robert & Sister Sharon Richardson Collins

Brother Leon Adams

Brother Ernest & Sister Juanita Peoples

Brother Phillip Yow

Sister Edna Ricks

Sister Debra Elerson

Brother Alan Jackson, Sr.

(brother of Sister Sandra Brown)

Sister Eugenia Moses

Sister Eddyce Lofton

Brother John Fluker

Sister Donna Taylor

Sister Carolyn Galbreath

Prayers for the United Methodist Church

PRAYERS OF SYMPATHY

Sister Gloria White Owens and the McLenton Family in the loss of her sister, Sister Bessie Faye McLenton

Sister Christin Butler in the passing of her husband, Brother Darren Butler

Sister Paulette Chappelle and the Chriesman-Turner Family in the passing of her uncle

Sister Cynthia Burroughs and the Burroughs family in the passing of her uncle

Walker Family in the passing of our former member, Sister Gloria Walker

Brother Frank Bateman in the passing of his mother, Sister Pauline Novak



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