Message Notes



☐ I'd like help figuring out what to do next in my spiritual journey.
☐ I'd like to learn more about Baptism.
☐ I'd like to learn about Membership/ Missional Partnership.
☐ I'm interested in joining a ministry team.
☐ I'd like to sign up for Right Now Media. Email
☐ I'm interested in serving in the kids' ministry on Sundays.
☐ I'd like to receive WFMC "Urgent News" emails.
Email
IF NEW ATTENDEE (or change of info):
Address:
House Phone:
Cell Phone:
Email:
\square I want to receive the Weekly Prayer Requests
Names & birthdays of family members who live with you:

☐ I/We want to know more about WFMC.

Westland Free Methodist Church ~ westlandfmc.com ~ December 15, 2024



We've been looking at different characters in the Christmas story - ordinary people who were open to how God wanted to work in and through them. Today, we encounter someone who by earthly standards was extraordinary, and unwilling to be open to what God was up to. As we look at this particular character, it's

an opportunity for us to do some self-reflection, allowing the Holy Spirit to reveal and transform anything in us that is standing in the way of God working in and through us. ~ Pastor Andy



First time here? Grab a cup of coffee, make yourself at home, and have a look around!

<u>Stop by the Welcome Center after service for a special gift.</u>

Our Kid's Check-In, located in the lobby, opens at 10:15 am:
Nursery / Toddlers (birth - 2 years old)
Jr. Explorers (3 years old - 4 years old)

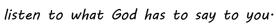
Explorers - Kid's Worship (Kindergarten - 5th Grade)

Children will join in the Worship Service on the first Sunday of each month.



WFMC has Middle School and High School Youth Group on Thursday nights from 7 - 8:30pm. (doors open at 6:45) with snacks and fellowship time. Come check out Anchor!

Join us each Sunday of
Advent for *Lectio Divina*,
an ancient form of
Christian Prayer in which
you engage in scripture and



Meet at 9:40 in Room 7 for this opportunity to slow down and feel refreshed, and to prepare spiritually during Advent.

Scan the QR code below to contribute to the mission of Jesus through Westland FMC.

Giving is one of the ways we express worship to God as we offer back to him a portion of the blessings and provisions we have received from him to be used for His Kingdom purposes in the world.





Christmas Eve Candlelight Service Tuesday, Dec 24, 6 pm

If you would like to bring cookies please sign up with SignUpGenius, coming in the Tuesday Connect.





Check out the
Discipleship Pathway
that will help us
on our journey
to becoming a
Life-Giving Orchard!

Ordinary people becoming Spirit-empowered missionaries where you live, learn, work, $\&\,$ play.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

12/15 Lectio Divina 9:40 am **Worship Service** 10:30 am Norwayne Dinner Church 6 pm 12/17 Sew Blessed Ministry 9 am 12/18 Boshaw's Branches 6:30 pm 12/19 Praying Together noon **Primetimers** 1 pm **Anchor Student Ministries 7 pm** Doors open @ 6:45pm 12/22 Lectio Divina 9:40 am **Worship Service** 10:30 am Norwayne Dinner Church 6 pm **Looking Ahead** 12/24 Christmas Eve Service 6 pm **Ashford Court Christmas**

Lead Pastor **Andy Bentz**Andy@westlandfmc.com

Eve Service



6 pm



Pastor of Congregational Care and Administration **Bob England** Bob@westlandfmc.com

Equipping Pastor for Family Discipleship **Jason Owens** Jason@westlandfmc.com



Our WiFi : WFMC_Worship

password: bettertogether

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Connection Card

TODAY'S DATE
NAME
☐ I/We are first time guests or recently started attending.
☐ I/We are regular attendees.
Prayer: Praises and Petitions
☐ Please share my prayer request <u>only</u> with the <u>pastors</u> .
MY DECISION TODAY
☐ I'm committing my life to Christ (1st time)
☐ I'm renewing my commitment to Christ
*Please use the back of this form to provide and update contact information.

This Connection Card can be turned in at the drop-boxes by the sanctuary doors, or in the box on the Connection Center.