

October 2023

WEST LAWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Monthly Newsletter



CHANNEL YOUR FLANNEL!

AT WEST LAWN UMC'S FIRST ANNUAL



NOV. 11
2023

11 AM – 1 PM
WEST LAWN CHURCH
15 WOODSIDE AVE. WEST LAWN

See page 8 for more!



Building Partnerships • Building Relationships • Building Community
Building Homes

VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED!

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Road Closed.

Under Construction.

Excuse Our Mess.

Open During Renovations.



When you see these signs, what is your response? Do you boycott that establishment until changes are made? You will if that place or thing does not matter to you. If it is important to you, you will continue to patronize it even with some things out of order.

We respond that way to every institution except the **CHURCH**. Many people's commitment to the church is sustained as long as they can maintain some false notion of the perfect church. Once they discover something that fails to live up to expectations, they change churches, devalue the church, or abandon the church. There are no perfect churches. The church is under construction. Yet despite its flaws, faults and failures, the church is the hope of the world. John MacArthur is right: "it is impossible to overstate the importance of the church in the eternal plan of God."

In Matthew 16:18, Jesus says, "I will build my church." Jesus calls the church: "my church." The church does not belong to pastors, members, or denominations. It belongs to Christ. And he is building it.

The Lord did not say "I will build your church."

The Lord did not say "you will build my church."

The church belongs to the Lord Jesus Christ. He alone is building up his church into what he has called it to be.

The church is the assembly of those who have been called out. Jesus declares his disciples will be a new community made up of those who have been called out of the world to follow him. Colossians 1:18 says "And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent." The church belongs to Christ. The lord builds the church with those chosen, called, and redeemed by his blood from every nation, tongue, tribe, and people. Jesus never promised to build families, businesses, or governments. Though it may be "under construction." The church is the most precious entity on planet earth.

See you in church,

Pastor Terry



FOUR-WEEK WORKSHOP

You & Your Money

Beginning Thursday, October 19, 2023
7:00—8:00 PM
CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

Ryan Daniels, your workshop leader, is a licensed financial advisor and owner of RFinances. He attends West Lawn United Methodist Church with his wife, Steph Daniels, and his three daughters (Emily, Lyla and Maggie). As a U.S. Army Veteran, Ryan and his team continue to serve by partnering with organizations to host workshops to teach people the basics of money. They also provide one-on-one financial coaching to help people build a simple to follow financial plan that fits their life. Ryan is the author of Money Basics and Fundamentals (Build A Plan That Fits Your Life!), and a contributor to the Reading Eagle newspaper and host of the "Say Hi to Money" podcast.

Overview of Workshops:

All workshops include instruction by a licensed financial advisor, workbook, and Q&A session. All attendees may schedule a FREE 1-on-1 financial coaching session with an advisor at the conclusion of the workshop series.

2023 Christmas Cards for Prisoners at Berks County Jail

For several years, WLUMC has been providing personalized Christmas Cards for hundreds of men and women at the Berks County Jail. Your thoughtfully chosen scriptures, encouraging words and personal testimonies have touched so many lives! Thank you.

This year, as a result of lower enrollment and sufficient numbers of remaining cards from previous years, we will take a respite from providing newly-written cards for inmates. We do plan to return to this ministry in 2024, and hope you'll again be a part of this initiative.

Our church does provide packets of crackers for each inmate at Christmastime, to add to their bag of gifts provided by a variety of local churches and other sources (a pair of socks, Christmas card, chocolate, etc.). In addition, our Prison Ministry provides Women's Worship Services every 6 weeks, and weekly one-on-ones with men and women at the jail.

Thank you for your prayerful support of this important ministry.—Mary Davis

Hebrews 13:3

Continue to remember those in prison as if you were together with them in prison, and those who are mistreated as if you yourselves were suffering.

WLUMC

Children & Family MINISTRIES

Children's Ministry groups continue to meet this month on Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday nights! Refer to the West Lawn App for more details on the October details, or contact Kelly Rismiller at 610-507-9141, kelly@westlawnumc.org.

Tween Group (Grades 4-5)
 Sunday Nights: 6:00-7:30 PM
 October 8
 October 22

Kids Club (Grades 2-3)
 Sunday Nights: 6:00-7:30 PM
 October 8
 October 22

Kids Stay and Play
 Tuesday Nights: 6:30-8:00 PM
 Thursday Nights: 7:00-9:00 PM
Stay & Play+ with Kelly & Laurie will take place on October 10



Our annual Painting on the Porch event occurred on September 13 at 100 Woodside! Several families created special occasion plates for their homes. We pray the memories of these days and phase of life are captured forever in the beautifully painted masterpieces!



WLUMC Plans Trip to Israel in 2024

What would it be like to walk where Jesus walked and to see the land where he lived? What would it be like to reaffirm your baptism in the Jordan river or sail across the Sea of Galilee? You'll have all of these opportunities and many more if you go on the 10 day journey to Israel with Pastor Chris and Education Opportunities Tours from June 18-27, 2024!

Miss the informational meeting? Contact Pastor Chris Hardy for information or to register.

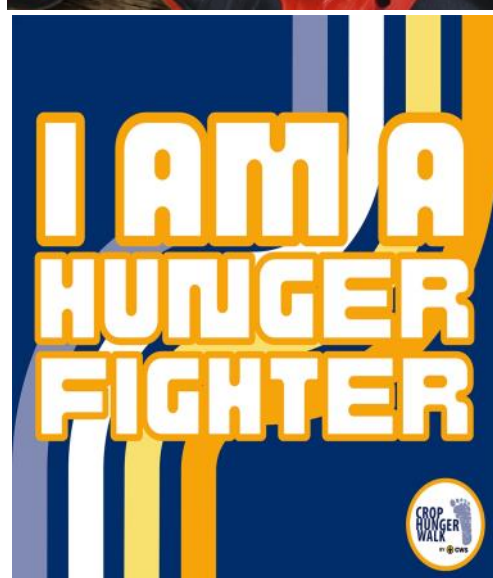
*REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS
 MARCH 5, 2024*



SAVE THE DATE

July 28 - August 3

mission trip for youth & adults



WALK. GIVE. CHANGE THE WORLD.

Reading-Berks 42nd Annual CROP HUNGER WALK

October 8, 2023
at Gring's Mill

www.crophungerwalk.org/ReadingPA

Lynn Marchan is seeking an older model car, 2005 or so, to purchase. Please call 610-775-3187 if you have one available. Thank you.

The Faith in Action Team art show scheduled for October 7th has been postponed until spring. We are still looking for expressions of faith in action in art, pottery and photography as well as other mediums. Please contact Jody Anderson for information.

The Little Acts of Love Golf Tournament has been rescheduled to Spring, 2024. A new date will be announced soon.

God's Presence in Your **STORMS**

Women's Fall Retreat

The Traber Center
November 3-5, 2023
Tickets: \$140



The 2023 WLUMC Annual Women's Retreat is again being held at the Traber Center on the grounds of Camp Sankanac in Spring City, PA. During this weekend, women of all ages will enjoy comfortable lodging, delicious meals, sharing, worship & fellowship. It's an incredible weekend of teaching, learning, and growing in God's Word provided by a guest speaker and teacher. The group shares meals and lodging together, while the guest speaker guides the discussion and focus of the casual daily agenda.

What to Anticipate:

- Learning & insight from our speaker, Debbie Keever, each other, and of course God's Word!
- Gaining a greater understanding of what it means to feel HIS presence when storms come.
- Time to chat, laugh, reflect and relax.

The retreat starts on Friday around 7 PM, continues thru Saturday with some free time in the afternoon, an evening session, and concludes on Sunday morning with Worship and Communion, ending by noon.

Cost: \$140.00 per person Retreat cost includes: 2 nights lodging, 4 meals, and speaker. Full payment is due by Sunday, October 27, 2023. Payment can be made via the app registration, check or Venmo. All checks should be made payable to West Lawn UMC, and marked "Women's Retreat" in the memo line. Mail or drop off check payments to the Church Office. A full registration form is on the West Lawn UMC website and App.

The Traber Center (<https://campsankanac.org/facilities/>):

The main building in the center has a dining/meeting space and a separate lounge room. Please feel free to bring your favorite comfy blanket, slippers and that book you've wanted to finish for months! It's a nice space to spend time together whether in small groups, individually or for our large group fellowship. Just a few steps away are four smaller buildings for sleeping quarters. Each of these buildings (A, B, C, D) holds 4 rooms. Each room has two twin beds and a set of bunk beds. Parking is available in front of each housing unit.

Check In / Out:

Check in is at 6:30 p.m. Friday evening. Welcome/announcements will be at 7:00 p.m. Upon arrival, please check in first at the Traber Center registration office (located in the main building). Hand in your emergency medical form. You will be given room assignments at registration. Check out on Sunday is at noon and if you take a room key, please return it to the registration contact person in the office before leaving.

There will be a mixture of large group sessions led by our speaker Debbie Keever, small group discussions, and time for individual reflection. We will conclude by 12:00 noon on Sunday, with breakfast being the only meal served that day. If you would like to carpool to the Traber Center or have any questions about the retreat, please email wlumc.womens.retreat@gmail.com

Contact: Connie Aldridge, 570-401-5845, wlumc.womens.retreat@gmail.com

Director of Children and Family Ministries

West Lawn United Methodist Church is seeking a Director of Children and Family Ministries to continue to nurture the faith formation of children from birth through 5th grade. Candidates with prior child leadership and/or teaching experience with strong relational and organizational skills, are forward thinking, creative, and energetic, will all be considered. The ability to integrate the children into the congregation and continue to attract new families to West Lawn UMC is very important.

Along with Laurie Jentes, the Program Coordinator for Children and Family Ministry, this person would oversee the Sunday School classes, plan and lead mid-week and Sunday night programming, manage the Nursery staff, organize special family events and VBS, and conduct all communication and marketing of WLUMC Children and Family Ministries using the tools available. The candidate should demonstrate a strong personal faith in alignment with the beliefs and practices of the United Methodist Church.

This is a 12-month position, up to 30 hours per week. Salary is commensurate with experience. Interested candidate should submit cover letter and resume by October 31, 2023 to: office@westlawnumc.org.



INQUIRER'S CLASS
OCT. 29 | 12:30 - 2:00
thinking about becoming a member?
register on the app/website under CALENDAR

If you would like to know more about West Lawn Church, The United Methodist Church, or are interested in uniting with this congregation, please plan to attend this upcoming class and register on the church app, website under calendar, or call the church office. Pizza and drinks provided.



Save the Date for our Flannel Festival: Saturday, November 11, 11 AM-1PM

This year Noble Street Festival will include:

- Inflatable Bouncy House
- Photo Booth
- Mission Station: Hat & Glove Give-Away
- Pinewood Derby Competition
- Hot Cocoa, Hot Apple Cider & Pigs in a Blanket!
- Lincoln Log and Timber Tower play areas
- Make-and-Take Hand Warmer Craft
- Burlap Bag Races
- Chili Contest
- Refreshments

We invite the congregation to support this event by donating a new hat or gloves for the mission station. All donations can be dropped off at West Lawn prior to November 11.



Building Partnerships • Building Relationships • Building Community
Building Homes

Help Build Hope Onsite Mission Project

West Lawn is partnering with Help Build Hope to build house frame walls by building partnerships, building relationships, building community, and building homes, through hosting a local mission project in our parking lot on

October 13—14, 2023.

During this event, we will essentially build the frame structure for a small house, that will then be given to a family in need to achieve affordable home ownership. The walls we build will provide a way to reduce cost for Habitat for Humanity and Fuller Centers for Housing and allow them to completely finish the homes faster.

We invite our entire congregation, regardless of age, experience or expertise, to help with the build. We are seeking around 120 volunteers to serve over the course of the two days.

Here are the ways anyone age 5 and older can help:

Cut Session Volunteers - Friday, October 13 5:30-8 PM

25-30 adults are needed to assist the Help Build Hope staff with cutting the material for a one-house build event. The skill sets for the cut session are as follows:

- 4-6 individuals who are comfortable operating power saw /measuring and cutting accurate measurements within 1/16.
- 4-6 individuals are needed to label the cut lumber with a marker.
- 4-6 individuals to carry the cut and labeled lumber to the appropriate area designated by the Help Build Hope staff.

The remainder of the individuals will work to attach Vinyl to top and bottom plates.

Build Day Crew Leaders - Friday, October 13 / 5:30-8 PM and Saturday, October 14 / 8-11 AM

We will need a set of crew leaders on build day that have framing experience and/or have training by Help Build Hope staff after the cut session. The ideal ratio for crew leaders is one (1) crew leader to 6-7 participants. The time commitment for this volunteer would be one hour after the cut session and the duration of the build event. Because of liability concerns, no one under 21 can be a crew leader.

Build Day Volunteers - Saturday, October 14 8-11 AM

We need 75 volunteers to assemble the walls.

Loading Volunteers - Saturday, October 14 12-1 PM

We need 20 volunteers to assist Help Build Hope staff in disassembling and loading the house. This group of volunteers should have the ability to lift heavy objects.

Hospitality - Saturday, October 14 8-11 AM

Everybody loves goodies when they are working hard! This team will help our volunteers stay hydrated and fed throughout the morning.

Sign up today on our app or call the Church Office for one of these many positions, and be part of this unique onsite mission project this fall!



A MINISTRY OF WEST LAWN
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CRAFT & VENDOR BAZAAR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

WEST LAWN UMC RAFFAUF COMMUNITY CENTER
101 WOODSIDE AVE., WEST LAWN

BREAKFAST - LUNCH - BAKED GOODS

In addition to more than 30 vendors, guests are invited to buy pre-packed baked goods, enjoy breakfast and lunch foods, plus pick up pre-ordered soup, barbecue and apple dumplings.

Pre-register for a bazaar table. Limited spaces are available. Contact Sharon Rutherford for pricing and details: 610-468-9427.

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT
THE MINISTRIES AND
MISSIONS OF
WEST LAWN UMC



Let's
Get
Fundraising!

As part of our Craft & Vendor Sale this year, there will be a soup, BBQ and apple dumpling sale between 9:00 AM—2:00 PM. Items must be pre-ordered to be picked up on this date. **Orders will be taken between worship services (9:00—11:00 AM) on October 1st and 8th in the breezeway.**

Soups will be: *Chicken Noodle, Tomato Basil Bisque, and Cream of Potato Leek.* All soups and BBQ are \$10.00 per quart; apple dumplings are \$6.00 each.

For more information, please contact Carol Lochman at 610-301-9595 or Eileen Bare at 610-781-7870.



October 2023

Fall is in full swing and so are our Youth Programs. We had a wonderful night of games on September 10th for our Youth vs. Parent Game Night. We did some mental challenges, like tooth-pick spelling, Name that Band, and even a Newlywed Game of kids vs. parents. But of course, even more popular were the physical challenges, like shoe table toss, Saltine whistle challenge, and a Youth Group favorite; the Fruit Game. Watching Pastor Tom avoid being hit by the pool noodle was a highlight!



This September we also traveled to Wildwood NJ for a Youth Conference put on by the Greater NJ Conference. We sang, joked, learned, and worshiped with over 500 other UMC students across both conferences. We can't wait to go back next year! *-Trisha*

October '23

(See App for more details)

9/29- **Ignite Weekend (6-12th gr)**

10/1- First Sunday- No classes

No Youth Group

10/8- 9:30am-6/7th SS

Duncan's Corn Maze trip

Youth Group

10/15- 9am- Confirmation

9:30am -6/7th SS

6-8pm- Youth Group

10/22- 9:30am- 6/7th SS

6-8pm-Youth Group

10/29- 9:30am- 6/7th SS

6-8pm-Youth Group



Confirmation Class

Our Confirmation Class is making some changes this year, as we are hoping to do more experiential learning. We will be integrating our lives together with our faith, and not just 60 mins every Sunday morning.

We've had a great start to our year by learning about one another, and traveling to the Conference in Wildwood along with the Youth Group.

More info and youth event registration is available on the Church App or website... <https://westlawnumc.org/youth-group>.



Firehouse Youth

For info, contact:
Youth Pastor
Trisha Rabold
610.678.5611 (O)
484.432.7808 (C)
trisha@westlawn
umc.org

August 2023 Year to Date



	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	Variance
REVENUES	\$878,399.00	\$1,016,802.00	(\$138,403.00)
EXPENSES	\$995,625.00	\$1,016,354.00	(\$20,729.00)
Net Surplus (Deficit)	(\$117,226.00)	(\$448.00)	(\$117,674.00)

We would love for your family to host Sunday AM Fellowship outside or indoors any Sunday morning! 8:45-11:15 AM. Sign up at the Welcome Center, on our App, or contact Kelly at 610-507-9141,

kelly@westlawnumc.org.

SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP



United
Women
in Faith

All women are invited to gather with lunch and beverage in HeBrews Café on **Tuesday, October 17th at 11:30 AM** for our United Women in Faith fellowship and program. Special Speaker will be Kate Alley, from Lighthouse Women's Shelter at Hope Rescue Mission. If you have made quilts for the shelter, please bring them to the meeting.

Plans will begin for the Thanksgiving Eve Worship service which we will host on Wednesday, November 22nd at 7:00 PM in the sanctuary.

Eastern PA Conference United Women in Faith will gather on Saturday, October 21st at Asbury UMC, Allentown for the 50th Annual Celebration. The Speaker will be Sally Vonner, National Executive of United Women in Faith. Registration is \$20; deadline is October 4th. Please contact Mary Ann Repsher at rep164@frontiernet.net.

If you are admitted to the hospital, please register as a member of West Lawn United Methodist Church so that you can receive pastoral visitation. If you don't register, we don't know that you are there unless a family member calls. While we hope that you avoid a hospital stay, it is sometimes unavoidable and we would like to make sure we can check in on you.



SUPPORT FOR MAUI

\$4,594.¹⁵

FINAL AMOUNT

donated to UMCOR for victims of wildfires

3228 HOLDEN STREET, SAN DIEGO

August 29, 2023

Dear West Lawn UMC:

After many months of prayerful discernment, I have decided for personal reasons to retire effective September 30, 2023. I feel at this point in my life, I can best serve God and the West Lawn UMC community by being a volunteer after taking some time off. My sabbatical in early 2023 has reinforced this decision, as I am certain that the ministries of which I am a part will continue to grow and thrive, meeting the needs of many.

I want to thank my WLUMC family for supporting and encouraging me over these many years. I especially want to thank the pastors, whom I've enjoyed working with and for over the years: Pastor Andrea Haldeman for first recognizing my call and mentoring me; Pastor Jean Howe for encouraging and mentoring me; Pastor Jeff Raffauf and the Leadership team for taking a chance on me and putting me in the role of lay pastor; Pastor Terry Cooney for "showing me the ropes"; and finally Pastors Tom Ebersole and Chris Hardy, who inherited me, for leading by example, giving me opportunities to grow, and encouraging and supporting me. I could not have imagined a better "dream team" to lead this church into the future.

Sincerely,

Lisa Hoopes

VIEW OUR CHURCH DIRECTORY ON YOUR MOBILE DEVICE!

FREE App for iPhone,
iPad & Android



Our church directory is a great resource tool to get to know our church family better!

Simply go to the App Store, search for **Instant Church Directory**  and download the FREE app to begin.

You will use your email address listed in the directory to **CREATE A LOGIN** the first time you use the directory app.

If you're not listed in the directory, OR if you have trouble logging into the app, please contact the church office.



WOMEN'S



Women's Book Club will meet Wednesday, October 11, at 7:00 PM in the Community Center Conference Room to discuss *The Only Woman in the Room* by Marie Benedict. November's book is *Big Little Lies* by Liane Moriarty.

New readers always welcome!

Come join the discussion! To

be added to the email list or for information please contact Donna Barnhart at dmbhart2@gmail.com or 610-678-7873.

The next Wilson Area Food Pantry distribution will be on October 20th from 3:00-5:30PM in the WLUMC Community Center. Pre-registration is preferred and can be scheduled by calling 484-525-0980.



Donations accepted weekdays in the church office. Thank you!



5K PATRIOT *Run*

Saturday, November 4, 2023 9:00 A.M

Benefits Homeless Veteran Services at Hope Rescue Mission

LOCATION

Gring's Mill Recreation Center - 2083 Tulpehocken Rd. Reading, PA 19610
Registration - 8:00 a.m. Race - 9:00 a.m. Walkers Welcome

COURSE

Flat, fast wheel measured course on mostly shaded trail along creek. CHIP TIMING with instant results.
Rain or shine. No refunds or mailed awards.

AWARDS

Top 3 Males & Females overall plus: 14 & under: 3M, 3F 15-19: 3M, 3F 20-29: 3M, 3F
30-39: 3M, 3F 40-49: 3M, 3F 50-59: 3M, 3F 60-69: 3M, 3F 70+: 3M, 3F

REGISTRATION

Not accepting Mail-in registrations / REGISTER ONLINE at: www.HopeForReading.org/5K

Registration closes at midnight, the Wednesday before race day

\$25.00 plus \$3.60 service fee through 10/20, \$30.00 plus \$3.90 service fee through 11/1. Shirt guaranteed thru 10/20, after that, including race day, available while supplies last.

Price will be reduced to \$23 when shirts are gone. Day of race Registration will be available.

RACE DIRECTOR

Laura Lewis, Events@HopeForReading.org



Join us to honor all active
service members and
veterans in our community!



Baptism



Juliette Marie Adam
Baptized 9/10/2023
Parents: Brianne & Tyler Adam

Thank You...

Dear church family,
Thank you for helping me celebrate my birthday. The prayers, cake, candy, balloons, cards are greatly appreciated.

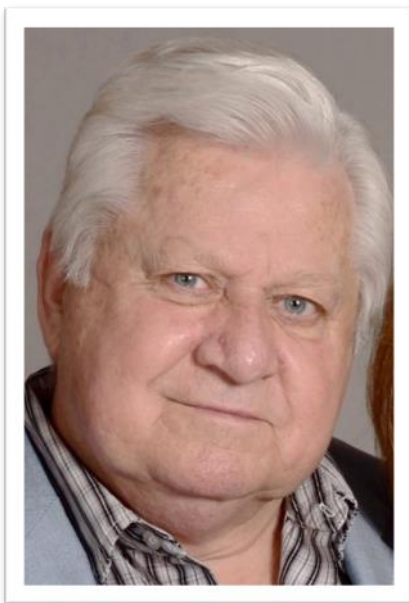
You truly made me feel special on my special day.
Sue and I are blessed to be a part of a wonderful community of faith.

Peace and Joy
Pastor Terry

Dear Daryn & Lisa,

On behalf of the staff at West Lawn UMC, I want to thank you both for your dedication and hard work over the years. It is clear that your efforts have always worked towards the best interests of the church. Your tenure as staff members here at West Lawn will always be appreciated and your presence will be missed. We all rejoice in knowing that you remain part of our church family and we look forward to times we will share together in the days ahead.

Future Blessings,
Pastor Tom and the West Lawn Staff

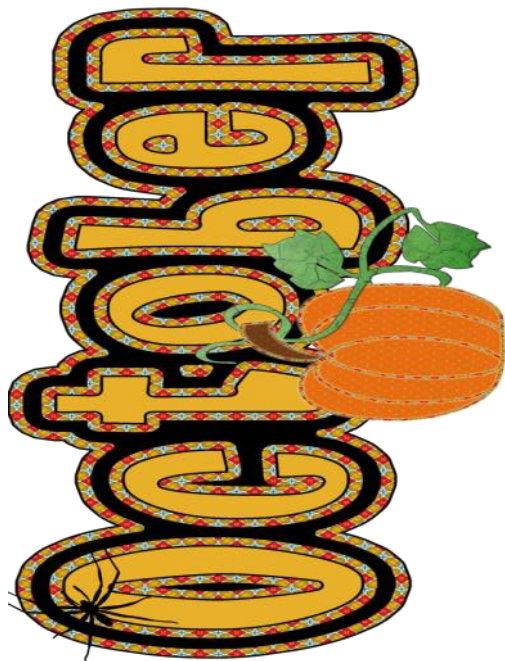


Kenneth A. Carpenter
4/16/1942—9/21/23

In Loving Memory



Carl H. Noecker
2/3/1937— 9/23/23



OUR PASTORS:

Tom Ebersole, *Lead Pastor*

Chris Hardy, *Associate Pastor*

Terry Cooney, *Visitation Pastor*

Manfredo Luna, *Latino Ministries Pastor*

Sunday Worship

8:00 am Traditional Worship

9:30 am Praise Worship

11:00 am Traditional Worship



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West Lawn, PA 19609

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October 2023

Every

Sunday:

8:00 am Traditional Worship
9:00 am Fellowship Time
9:30 am Contemporary Worship
9:30 am Sunday School for All
9:30 am Barth Memorial Class
10:30 am Fellowship Time
11:00 am Traditional Worship
11:00 am Table Talk

Every Wednesday:

7:14 am Prayer Service
9:30 am Pastor Tom's Bible Study
1:00 pm Griefshare
3:30 pm Safe Haven Lighthouse
4:30 pm WLW Dinner
6:30 pm Griefshare
7:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal
7:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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October Birthdays



OCTOBER 1

Stacey Hughes
Cathy Jacobs
Frank Piscitello
Robert Rauenzahn
Broderic Shipe
Candis Siatkowski
Craig Snyder
Rick Unger
Sylvia Zimmerman

OCTOBER 2

William Barrick
Terrence Cescon
Stephanie Conner
Mandy Kieffer
Zachary Mellinger
Toni Ortenzi
John Sheperak
Harry Stiller
Daniel Surgeoner

OCTOBER 3

Richard Buchanan
Bryan Focht
Betty Johnson
Abigail Wartluft

OCTOBER 4

Ruth Burkhart
Kim Clarkson
Taylor Dallas
Jennifer Fuhrer
Kimberly Loeper
William Tschop
William Ulrich
Tyler Wise

OCTOBER 5

Rachel Auman
George Gadebusch
J. Hart
Sabrina Kramer
Mark Mayhew
Mark Rothenberger
Shellie Rutolo
Michele Unger

OCTOBER 6

Cora Allushuski*
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