

# WESLEYAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS

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Order for Morning Worship

**Prelude** "Reflections on His Name" —Selected Organ  
*A Name I Highly Treasure*  
*There's Something About That Name*  
*Fairest Lord Jesus*

**\*Greeting and Call to Worship** —St. Matthew 5: 6; St. John 7: 37  
Blessed are those who hunger and thirst  
For righteousness, for they shall be filled.  
If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink.

**\*Hymn 96** *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* Williams  
(Stanzas 1 and 2)

**\*Invocation**

**A Reading from the Old Testament** —Exodus 34: 29 – 35  
Pew Bible, Page 83

**A Reading from the Psalms** —Psalm 99: 1 – 9  
Pew Bible, Page 533

**Hymn 382** *The Crystal Fountain* Hawkins  
(Stanzas 1 and 2)

**Children's Corner**

**Praise** (Insert) *Worthy of Worship* Blankenship  
*Let Me Love You* Ken Bible

**Offertory** *Forever/Love of God* Tomlin/Tornquist

**\*Morning Prayer**

**\*The Lord's Prayer** (Using *trespasses*)

**A Reading from the New Testament** —2 Corinthians 3:12 – 4: 2  
Pew Bible, Page 1024

**Choir** *Then I Met the Master* Lister

**\*A Reading from the Gospel** —St. Luke 9: 28 – 43a  
Pew Bible, Page 916

**\*Praise** (Insert) *Holy Spirit Rain Down* Fragar  
—Children Out for Junior Worship—

**Message** "Thinking About Moments with God, and Service!" Pastor

**\*Hymn 552** *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee* Gladden

**\*Benediction**

**\*A Moment for Quiet Reflection**

**Postlude** —Selected Organ and/or Keyboard  
\*Standing, if possible

**Organ** – Byron Mikesell, Daniel Resh **Keyboard** – Marian & Kellen Mikesell

## WELCOME IN SERVICES HERE TODAY!

**Worship** 8:15 and 10:30 am – **Sunday School Bible Study Hour** 9:30 am

**Prayer & Bible Study** Wednesday, 11:00 am

**Youth Group & Awana Club** Wednesday, 6:30 pm (Sept. – Apr.)

**Ladies' Bible Study & Prayer**, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays, 7:00 pm

**Prayer Shawl Ministry**, 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, 10:00 am – Noon

**Women's Ministry**, 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday, 1:00 pm

**LBA Meeting**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday, 6:30 – 8:00 pm

**Head Hostess/Greeter:** Carol Knisely

**Greeters Today:** John and Alicia Navratil

**Head Usher:** Bob Wickard

**Ushers:** Ron Shover, Joe Gaskin, Barry Swope, Lavern Beam

**Sunday School Secretaries:** Kellie Kuhn, Diane Resh

**Offering Stewards:** John Navratil, Naomi Lamason

**Nursery:** Barb Deitch, Joyce Mumper

**Junior Worship:** Ron and Kellie Kuhn/Caroline Jardine

*As He prayed, the appearance of His face was altered, and His robe became white and glistening (Luke 9:29).*

## **Crowned or Crucified**

I stood alone at the bar of God  
In the hush of the twilight dim,  
And faced the question that pierced my heart:  
“What will you do with Him?  
Crowned or crucified? Which shall it be?  
No other choice was offered me.

I look'd on the face so marr'd with tears  
That were shed in His agony;  
The look in His kind eyes broke my heart,  
'Twas so full of love for me.  
“The crown or the cross,” it seem'd to say;  
“For or against Me choose thou today!”

He held out His loving hands to me,  
While He pleadingly said, “Obey!  
Make Me thy choice, for I love thee so,”  
And I could not say Him nay.  
Crown'd, not crucified; this must it be!  
No other way was open to me.

I knelt in tears at the feet of Christ,  
In the hush of the twilight dim,  
And all that I was or hoped or sought,  
I surrendered unto Him.  
Crown'd, not crucified! My heart shall know  
No king but Christ, who loves me so!

—*Author Unknown*

# SUNDAY MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

## MARCH 3, 2019



**Announcing the Spring Women's Ministry Retreat**—Tuesday, March 5th, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm—for all the ladies and their friends! *“Come out and enjoy good fellowship, good food & God's Word, while having a fun and rewarding time, growing spiritually”* says Vesta Bear, WM President. Guest speaker – Mrs. Peggy Jones and Guest Soloist – Pat Thornton. You are invited! Come, enjoy the day with friends! **Please Sign-Up in Narthex!**

**Next Chancel Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, March 6th, 8:15 pm.** Voices on all parts are welcome! Ability to read music is helpful, but not required. If you have a voice to sing please join us in this worship ministry!

**Prayer Shawls, and Lap Robes** are being knitted, crocheted or loomed for members in the hospital or nursing homes, and for shut-ins from the congregation, or persons needing a special touch! Meeting at Alicia Navratil's home the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of each month, next meeting April 20th, 10 am to Noon. There will be no meeting in March, in deference to the Memorial Service for June Billet.



Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Psalm 51:10

**Ash Wednesday Will Be March 6th,** marking the beginning of the season of Lent—a journey with Christ to the cross. Use these weeks ahead to draw near to God and let Him draw near to you! *And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart. I will be found by you, says the Lord* (Jeremiah 29:13-14).

**Wesleyan Women** have announced their *Spring Sandwich Sale*, orders to be taken from now through March 13th. Sandwich delivery date will be March 21st, 10:30 am until Noon. Order forms are in the bulletin today.



**Next Church Board Meeting (LBA) Monday, March 11th,** 6:30 to 8:00 PM. Thank you for your prayers for the work we share, serving Jesus Christ!

**The Mid-Week Bible Study Group** meets Wednesday at 11:00 am, for prayer and conversation around the Word of God, informal over coffee!

**Women's Prayer & Bible Study Group** meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday evenings, 7:00 pm, & is open to any ladies who would enjoy the opportunity for informal Bible study, conversation and prayer. Your participation is welcome! **Next meeting, March 14th.**



**The Movie, Noah, Will Open April 9th, 11th and 13th in AMC Camp Hill 12,** 3432 Simpson Ferry Road, Camp Hill. Show -times are 2:30 and 6:30 on the 9th; 6:30 on the 11th; 12:55 on the 13th. The cost per ticket is \$12.50. Call the theatre for tickets at: (717) 920-9350, or go on-line at their website.

**Youth Group and Awana Club** meet Wednesday, 6:30 – 8:00 pm—Youth Group for kids in grades 6 – 12, Awana Club for grades K – 5, and children, age 3 or older. Food, friendship, Bible lessons, games and more for the children!!

**The Youth Group Is Planning a Skating Event at Twin Ponds West,** 200 Lambs Gap Road, Mechanicsburg, Sunday, March 10th, 2 to 4 pm skating, stop at Subway, and back to church by 5:30 pm. Cost for youth group members \$5 per person; all others \$15 per person. Sign up in narthex if interested.



### LET US SEE JESUS

We would see Jesus—for the shadows lengthen  
Across the little landscape of our life;  
We would see Jesus—our weak faith to strengthen  
For the last weariness, the final strife.

We would see Jesus—for life's hand hath rested  
With its dark touch on weary heart and brow;  
And though our souls have many billows breasted,  
Others are rising in the distance now.

We would see Jesus—the great Rock-foundation  
Whereon our feet were set through sovereign grace;  
Nor life nor death, with all their agitation,  
Can thence remove us, if we see His face.

We would see Jesus—other lights are paling,  
Which for long years we have rejoiced to see;  
The blessings of our pilgrimage are failing:  
We would not mourn them, for we go to Thee.

We would see Jesus—this is all we're needing;  
Strength, joy and willingness come with the sight;  
We would see Jesus—dying, risen, pleading—  
Then welcome day, and farewell mortal night!

—Anna B. Warner