



**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**March 8, 2026 10:00 a. m.**

*\* please rise in body or spirit*

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**GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE**

**WELCOME**

**PRELUDE**

**THE LIGHT ENTERS OUR WORSHIP**

**CHORAL INTROIT**

**\* CALL TO WORSHIP \*\***

**\* HYMN -- Please hold up connection cards so ushers can receive them --**

**\* OPENING PRAYER (in unison) \*\*\***

**HEARING & PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD**

**TIME WITH CHILDREN**

**GOSPEL LESSON**

**SERMON**

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

**COMMUNITY TIME**

**CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**WORSHIPING WITH OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**

**\* DOXOLOGY**

**\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION (in unison) \*\*\*\***

**SENDING FORTH**

**\* HYMN**

**\* THE LIGHT LEADS US INTO SERVICE**

**\* BLESSING**

**\* CHORAL AMEN**

**\* POSTLUDE**



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✝ ***In Our Service Today:***

***Pastor:*** Rev. Abby Caseman

***Liturgist:*** Elaine Hermetet

***Organist:*** Anna Judkins

***Director of Music Ministries:*** Christopher Neely

***Time with Children:*** Pastor Abby Caseman

PERFORMANCE-  
SUNDAY, MARCH 22ND

-KIDS SPRING 2026 CANTATA-  
DURING 10AM WORSHIP



**THAT I MAY DWELL**

Walking with God all life long



**WAFFLE  
BREAKFAST**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 22ND**  
**9:15AM-9:55AM & AFTER  
WORSHIP UNTIL 11:45AM**  
SPONSORED BY THE MEN'S GROUP

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## The Week Ahead March 8– March 14

### SUNDAY, MARCH 8

**8:45 am**

Faith Matters/Kay Martin (*Zoom & Room 207*)

[kcbrighmartin@gmail.com](mailto:kcbrighmartin@gmail.com)

**9:00 am**

Deeper Dive (*Room 100*)

**9:30 am**

Communion (*Narthex*)

**10:00 am**

Classic Worship

**10:00 am**

Sunday Morning Kid's Ministries

- **Toddler/Preschool** (*Rooms 201*)
- **Grades K - 6** (*Begin in Worship, pick up in Rooms 100 & 102. Remain in worship on the 1st Sunday of each month.* )
- **Infant/Baby Childcare** - (*Room 203 is always open as a quiet room for parents and babies.*)

*For more information on Kids Ministries or to request childcare, please contact*

[faithformation@westlakeumc.org](mailto:faithformation@westlakeumc.org)

**11:05 am**

Kids Musical Practice

**11:15 am**

Bell Practice (*Sanctuary*)

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Submit your prayer requests at

[prayerrequests@westlakeumc.org](mailto:prayerrequests@westlakeumc.org)

### ATTENDANCE

Mar. 1 - Mar. 7

125

Includes All Platforms

### MONDAY, MARCH 9

**9:00 am**

Food Pantry/Truck Del/Bagging/Del

**12:30 pm**

Games & Such (*Fellowship Hall*)

### TUESDAY, MARCH 10

**9:00 am**

Zoom Coffee Hour

(Email [westlakeumc@westlakeumc.org](mailto:westlakeumc@westlakeumc.org))

**6:30 pm**

Men's Group (*Fellowship Hall*)

**7:00 pm**

Lenten Small Group (*Zoom*)

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

**9:00 am**

Food Pantry Delivery

**1:00 pm**

Small Group W/ Gretty (*Zoom & Room 207*)

**4:45 pm**

Organ Lessons (*Sanctuary*)

**6:30 pm**

Worship (*Fellowship Hall*)

### THURSDAY, MARCH 12

**10:00 am**

Pastor's Bible Study (*Zoom*)

**4:00 pm**

Voice Lessons (*Sanctuary*)

**7:00 pm**

Choir Practice (*Sanctuary*)

### FRIDAY, MARCH 13

**1:30 pm**

Farrell Foundation

(*Fellowship Hall & Room 100*)

### FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

Collecting Personal Items:

**Liquid Hand Soap**

**Deodorant**

**Individual Bar Soap**

**Toothpaste & Toothbrush**

**Reusable Bags (large size)**

Financial support of our food ministry is always welcomed!

[foodministry@westlakeumc.org](mailto:foodministry@westlakeumc.org)

## Upcoming Events

### **EASTER OFFERING - GREATER CLEVELAND FOOD BANK**

Our Easter Offering will be given to the special GCFB fund to establish a new West Side Community Resource Center (Lorain Ave. at W. 98th). The new CRC, like the current East Side CRC, will offer a free Healthy Choice food market and a resource center, to connect neighbors with food assistance and other services, such as housing, health care, and employment. For more information about GCFB and the CRC go to [greaterclevelandfoodbank.org](http://greaterclevelandfoodbank.org)

### **EASTER PLANTS /SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - ORDERS DUE MARCH 22**

Easter Plants are available for purchase to beautify the sanctuary for Easter morning. The purchase price of a plant includes a donation to the WUMC Scholarship Fund. You may also contribute additionally to the Scholarship Fund, or in place of a plant order. Order at <https://forms.gle/YwyuijytYDRyXC9A6> or use the form in the bulletin to designate your gift so it can be listed in the Easter morning bulletin insert.

### **EASTER CARD MINISTRY - MONDAY, MARCH 18 AT 6:30PM IN ROOM 207**

Join in Room 207 on Wednesday, March 18th at 6:30 pm as we make beautiful hand-crafted Easter cards for our extended WUMC families! All supplies, beverages, and a sweet treat will be provided. Let's get creative and share the love of Christ together!

### **WUMC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - APPLICATIONS DUE MARCH 22, 2026**

High school seniors continuing their education are invited to apply for a WUMC Scholarship. Download the application at <https://westlakeumc.org/faq-forms/forms/>. Questions, contact Scholarship Chair, Bridget Royce at [bridget.n.royce@gmail.com](mailto:bridget.n.royce@gmail.com).

### **EGGSTRAVAGANZA COMMUNITY EASTER PARTY IS SUNDAY, MARCH 29**

We're sharing the story of Jesus with the community and everyone can help!

- Sign Up to serve at the event...still spots to fill: <https://tinyurl.com/Eggstravaganza26>
- Help put out yard signs on Sunday 3/22 or Monday 3/23
- Donate clean, corrugated egg containers. Dozen egg containers only & no Styrofoam please.
- Invite friends & neighbors to the party! **Please RSVP attendance here:** <https://forms.gle/P3Gx99hiqY9YGYGH6>

### **LENTEN SMALL GROUP STUDIES UNDERWAY**

- **Let Peace Reign; Love, Justice & Dignity in God's Kingdom**  
Tues. at 7pm begins Feb 24 (Zoom) or Wed. at 1pm begins Feb 25 (Hybrid)
- **Encountering Jesus**  
Thursdays at 10am on Zoom Beginning February 19

Email the office at [westlakeumc@westlakeumc.org](mailto:westlakeumc@westlakeumc.org) to sign up & receive the Zoom Link.

### **SNOWBALL MOUNTAIN CHALLENGE VBS IS JUNE 15-19TH FROM 9AM - 12PM**

Register your kids age 4- rising 5th grade for a week of Olympic sized fun in a winter setting this summer. More info/register: [stladislas.org/vbs](http://stladislas.org/vbs)

