

**GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE**

**WELCOME**

**PRELUDE**

**THE LIGHT ENTERS OUR WORSHIP**

**CHORAL INTROIT**

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

**\* HYMN PARADE**

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

**HEARING & PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD**

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

**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:*** Nickie Miller

***Organist:*** Anna Judkins

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

***Director of Faith Formation:*** Ellie Peiffer

***Agape Ringers:*** Denise Hoover, Barbara Lorence, Duane Miller,  
Nicolette Miller, Merritt Neely, Barbara Siwik



## *Holy Week Schedule*

**March 29**

3:00pm Eggstravaganza

**April 2**

6:00pm Soup Supper & Holy Thursday Worship

**April 3**

7:00pm Good Friday Cantata  
WUMC Choir & Chamber Ensemble

**April 5**

7:04am Community Sunrise Easter Worship  
Evergreen Cemetery

10:00am Easter Sunday Worship  
WUMC

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## The Week Ahead March 29 – April 4

### SUNDAY, MARCH 29

**8:45 am**

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

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

**11:15 am**

Bell Practice

**3:00 pm**

Eggstravaganza

# Eggstravaganza!

Family Easter Party



### MONDAY, MARCH 30

**7:00 pm**

Mission Team Meeting (*Zoom*)

### TUESDAY, MARCH 31

**9:00 am**

Zoom Coffee Hour

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

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

**10:00 am**

Food Pantry (*North Ridge*)

**4:45 pm**

Organ Lessons (*Sanctuary*)

### THURSDAY, APRIL 2

**10:00 am**

Pastor's Bible Study (*Zoom*)

**4:00 pm**

Voice Lessons (*Sanctuary*)

**6:00 pm**

Soup Supper & Worship (*Fellowship Hall*)

### FRIDAY, APRIL 3

**11:00 am**

LGBT Food Pantry (*LGBT Center*)

In My Place:  
A Good Friday Cantata  
Friday, April 3, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

Submit your prayer requests at

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

#### 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

### **ALL CHURCH TOWN HALL - SUNDAY APRIL 12 AT 11:15AM**

All are invited to the sanctuary or to the livestream webpage at 11:15 to hear updates about the church's mission and finances. Leaders will share stories of celebration and future steps, as the church continues to live and love like Jesus through community worship, spiritual growth, and missionary service.

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### **PIZZA WITH THE PASTOR - SUNDAY, APRIL 19 AT 11:30AM IN ROOM 100**

Are you considering making a deeper commitment to following Jesus with Westlake UMC? Pastor Abby invites you to bring your questions and learn more about WUMC membership over lunch in Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to the office and let us know if you need childcare at: [westlakeumc@westlakeumc.org](mailto:westlakeumc@westlakeumc.org)

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

Our Easter Mission Offering will be given to the special GCFB fund for the West Side Community Resource Center (Lorain Ave. at W. 98th). This CRC, like the current East Side one, 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. Special Easter offering envelopes can be found in the lobby or in the pews on Easter Sunday. Go to [greaterclevelandfoodbank.org](http://greaterclevelandfoodbank.org)

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### **TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME!**

We are pleased to share that the Chancel Choir (and friends!) have been invited to sing at the Cleveland Guardians game on Friday, June 12th. Our group seats are in section 131 for \$36 per electronic ticket - more than 50% off the regular pricing! Singers & supporters are both welcome! Please reach out to Chris Neely or Lynne in our church office for ordering. **Last day to order - Monday, May 4th**

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### **CRUISIN' WESTLAKE - WEDNESDAY JUNE 3 FROM 5-8PM**

Join at "Cruisin' Westlake" Great cars, great music, great food, and fun for the whole family. Bring your ride and your friends. Awards, door prizes, and much more. Food and beverages available for purchase while DJ Jack Hopp spins the tunes. Questions/comments? Contact: Bob Myers at 216-701-2064 or [Rdmyers2@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Rdmyers2@sbcglobal.net). Rain date: Wednesday, June 17

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### **PRIDE MARCH SATURDAY JUNE 6 AT 11 AM**

Save the Date! Join with other United Methodists in a visible demonstration of the church, celebrating LGBTQ+ community and voicing equitable and just treatment for all people.

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### **MEMORIAL BRICK ORDERS FOR SUMMER OF 2026!**

Memorial Bricks for the Memorial Garden, located at the front of the building, can be ordered anytime throughout the year. We are currently ordering for summer installation. To order, please complete the Memorial Brick form and attached a check payable to Westlake UMC by **Sunday, May 3 2026**. Forms are located in the church lobby or online at [westlakeumc.org](http://westlakeumc.org) under forms.

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### **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)

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### **KIDS MINISTRY COLLECTING DISTILLED WATER JUGS ONLY**

Please donate clean & dry distilled water jugs to help us build an igloo for Snowball Mountain VBS! Put them in the bins in Fellowship hall. FYI, we are no longer taking milk jugs. Thanks!