



**WESLEY MEMORIAL UMC
UPDATE ON ACTIVITIES &
PRAYER CONCERNS
March 13, 2019**

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All members of the **Church Leadership Council**, please note that we will have a meeting this evening, Wednesday, March 13, at 6:00pm.

As always we joyfully and gratefully welcome **Michael Rodgers** to our worship service on Sunday, March 17th as he leads us in song!

This Lent, join us for a **Journey to New Life**. As we gather in worship through the season of preparation leading up to Easter, we will consider what it takes to experience new life in all its fullness. The journey will take us from the challenges of surrender, to the necessity of change, to the sacrifice of discipleship, to new life in Christ! Invite your friends and family to join you in this journey each Sunday morning at 10:30am!

A meeting of the **SPR Committee** is scheduled for Wednesday evening, March 20th, at 6:00pm in the Bishop Hunt Room.

We encourage you to come prepared to give generously to the **Fifth Sunday Offering for Holston Home for Children** on March 31st.

On Sunday, March 31, at 4pm, we have an opportunity to **gather in worship with United Methodists and others from all around the eastern parts of Chattanooga and Hamilton Co.** This special joint worship service is being held at Eastdale Village Community UMC (1403 Tunnel Blvd.) and includes leadership by Willie Kitchens and the Gospel Praise Team, the St. Elmo UMC Choir, and a sermon by Rev. Charlotte Williams. This is a great opportunity to get to know our fellow Christians and to celebrate unity in diversity as we worship our great God. Make plans to be there!

This year, we will celebrate this church's first 75 years, even as we look to the next 75 years and all that God has in store for us. The centerpiece of our celebration will be our **75th Anniversary worship service and luncheon on Palm Sunday, April 14, 2019**. The highlights of the service will be a sermon from our own Bishop Dindy Taylor, and special music by Michael Rodgers. There is so much to celebrate! I hope you all will begin now to spread the word about our 75th Anniversary Celebration and invite all who have ever been impacted by this church to come and worship with us on April 14!

The **Kids on the Block** offices are now housed in our basement. We are pleased to be the new home for the puppets and their staff. At various times throughout the year, they have events or fundraising opportunities requiring volunteers and would welcome members of Wesley to be involved as new volunteers!

The **Giving Statements for 2018** are now available. If you would like a copy of your statement you can log in at onrealm.org and print it off or call the church office and we will be happy to mail a copy to you.

A **2019 Flower Calendar** is posted on the bulletin board for those who would like to provide altar flowers during the year.

Give online! You can support the ministries of Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church by Credit Card, Debit Card, or E-check. Visit wesley memorial-chatt.org to give!



Current Prayer Concerns

Harold Hendrixson, Mary Rook, Pat Sauer (Mother of Ken), Dan Coleman , Lou Perkins (Sister-in-law of Naomi Hay), Adna James (Friend of Helen Hendrixson), Kathy Mansfield, Floy Wang, Diane Rasor, Jill Daven (Friend of Nancy Broom), Summer Cox (Friend of Charlie Hargis), Carolyn Knox, Pam Brooks, Marcia Lee, Ben Matherly, Jennifer Trent, Marjorie Webb, Betty Ellington (Mother of Phil Ellington), Eduardo Mendez (Nephew of Joy Billings), Susan Lavan (Friend of Pam Varnell)



ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

March 10, 2019

Morning Worship	60
Sunday School	35
Offering	\$ 4,260.00