



***Celebrating 153 Years 1868 - 2021***

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June 13, 2021

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL JUNE 14-18**

Many of us have fond memories of Vacation Bible School. Lots of somewhat silly songs, Elmer's glue and popsicle stick crafts, ice cream, recreation, learning Bible stories, memorizing Bible verses, and learning about how much Jesus loves us. Mostly what I remember were the wonderful people who took their time to put up with a bunch of screaming, excited, over-sugared children. Tomorrow we will begin Vacation Bible School with around 150 children and fifty plus volunteers. We can still use extra hands if you have a free day. A special thanks to all of you who are helping and to the parents who are committed to having your children there. We pray they will leave the week knowing more about the love of God found in Jesus and what it means to follow him. Remember our staff, volunteers, and children in your prayers during this special week at Wesley Gardens Retreat Center.

**WORSHIP AT WESLEY GARDENS TONIGHT**

This evening at 5:30 p.m. we will continue our Sunday Evening Worship in the chapel at Wesley Gardens Retreat Center. We are so blessed to have this amazing property as a place for rest, recreation, fellowship, and worship. We hope you and your family will take advantage of this wonderful retreat to come play, make friends, and worship. Come out early and bring your children to play on the playground, walk on the trails, or swim off the dock and then join us for worship and dinner. There is always a nursery for children during the worship time.

*Ben*

# MORNING WORSHIP

SUNDAY, JUNE 13, 2021

8:45 & 11:00 A.M.

*Third Sunday after Pentecost*

## Welcome and Announcements

Ben Martin

*Welcome to worship. Thank you for joining us. Please remember to silence your cell phones and refrain from flash photography during the service. We pray this hour will be a meaningful and grace-filled encounter with God through music, word, and fellowship.*

**Nursery & Children's Worship:** *If needed, the nursery for infants to 3 years old is located on the first floor, and Children's Worship for ages 3 to 3rd Grade is located on the second floor. Please drop off children at the Wayne Street door for temperature checks.*

**Please register your attendance one of two ways:** *Complete the Attendance Roster (navy, rectangle pad) found in each pew or use the Remind app. For Remind, if you are a Wesley member or regular attendee, text @wmumc316 to phone number 81010 to join the Worship Service Attendance thread. If you have already joined, you will receive a text message each Sunday morning reminding you to text the total number of household members worshipping and the service you are attending or if viewing online. If this is your first time using Remind, you may be asked to complete your name, phone number, and select "parent.") If you are visiting, please complete the Attendance Roster or text your name and total number of attendees to Rev. Ben Martin, 912-547-1835.*

**Offering:** *To tithe, text wesleymumc to 77977 or place your offering in the offering/tithe box located at the main Sanctuary entrance. Online giving is also available on our website, wesleymonumental.org*

**Prayer Requests:** *Please email your prayer requests to Rev. Ben Martin, ben@wesleymonumental.org*

## Opening Voluntary

Morning Has Broken

arr. Diane Bish

## Lighting of the Candles (11:00)

The Acolytes

## Introit (11:00)

Gustav Holst

O God beyond all praising, we worship You today  
and sing the love amazing that songs cannot repay;  
for we can only wonder at every gift You send,  
at blessings without number and mercies without end:  
We lift our hearts before You and wait upon Your Word,  
we honor and adore you, our great and mighty Lord.

- Michael Perry (1982)

\* **Hymn No. 60** I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath OLD 113th

\* **Affirmation of Faith** The Apostles' Creed James P. Owens

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;  
the third day He rose from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit;  
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.

\* **Gloria Patri** GREATOREX

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Amen.

**Baptismal Covenant** (11:00)

Charles Westfield Kuykendall  
son of Carrie and Matt Kuykendall

*Congregational Response:*

With love and thanksgiving we welcome Charlie as a member  
of God's family and Wesley Monumental United Methodist  
Church. By God's grace we will do all in our power to increase his  
faith, confirm his hope, and perfect him in love that he may grow  
into a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ who walks in the way that  
leads to life.

**Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer**

James P. Owens

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.  
Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory;  
For ever. Amen.

**Voluntary** (8:45)

arr. Jim Hammerly

Peace in the Midst of the Storm

**Anthem** (11:00)

Daddy Sang Bass  
Marc Chesanow, bass  
Bruce Spradley, guitar

arr. Kirby Shaw

Daddy sang bass, mama sang tenor,  
me and little brother would join right in there.  
Singin' seems to help a troubled soul.  
One of these days and it won't be long,  
I'll rejoin them in a song.  
I'm gonna join the family circle at the throne.  
The circle won't be broken,  
By and by Lord, by and by.  
Daddy sang bass, mama sang tenor  
Me and little brother would join right in there  
In the sky Lord, in the sky.

- Carl Perkins (1968)

\* **Scripture** (Pew Bible, pg. 165) Deuteronomy 8

**Sermon** "COVID Lessons Part 1: Remember" Ben Martin

\* **Hymn** No. 731 Glorious Things of Thee are Spoken AUSTRIA

**Benediction** Ben Martin

**Closing Response** Gustav Holst

Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring,  
that we who know Your favor may serve You as our king;  
and whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill,  
we'll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless You still:  
to marvel at Your beauty and glory in your ways,  
and make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise.

- Michael Perry (1982)

## **Closing Voluntary**

arr. Clay Christiansen

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

- \* *Please stand as you are able.*  
*Following the service, please take your bulletins, masks, and all belongings with you.*  
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### **Usher Roses**

The roses worn by the ushers today are given in loving memory of Bob Farrow by his children and grandchildren.

### **Coffee Service**

We have resumed serving coffee in the Fellowship Hall before Sunday School. If you would like a cup, please stop by.

### **Messenger Brigade**

The Messenger Brigade will meet this Thursday, June 17 at 10:00 a.m. in Oliver Hall Room 310. Extra hands are always needed to fold, seal and label the newsletters (over 650 copies!) in preparation for mailing.

### **A Patriotic Concert Supporting Savannah's At-Risk Veterans**

Sunday, July 4 at 5:00 p.m. in the Wesley Monumental Sanctuary. Featuring the music of Scott Joplin, John Phillip Sousa, and others. Enjoy music by the Coastal Winds Woodwind Quintet (featuring Ellie Goforth, Kristi Kiene, Sarah Spradley, Darrell Goforth and Raymond Patricio) and Monica Dekle on the Pipe Organ. A love offering will be taken to support CSAH Tiny Houses for Homeless Vets at the Cove at Dundee and Team Savannah 4 Veterans who give at-risk veterans hands-on assistance.

### **Family-Style Meals**

Each week, Suzanna King offers a family-style meal for pick up between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Fridays at the church. The menu is available each week on the Wesley Monumental Instagram and Facebook pages or you can text Suzanna, 912-508-9558, and she will send you the information. The meal feeds approximately 6 people and ranges in price from \$25 to \$35 depending on the meal. Past meals have included: Baked Ziti, BBQ Pork and Salad, Beef Stroganoff, Chicken Pot Pie, Curry Chicken Salad, Mexican Lasagna, Tomato Basil Bisque, just to name a few. Questions? Please text Suzanna.

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### **Assisting in Worship Today - 8:45 Service**

**Children's Worship:** Charli Weeks, Haley Herrington

**Greeters:** Lori Miller

**Ushers:** Jeff Miller

**Partners in Prayer:** Ellie Tardif

### **11:00 Service**

**Acolyte:** Caroline Kraeuter

**Children's Worship:** Charli Weeks, Haley Herrington

**Greeters:** Barbara & Johnny Phelps

**Ushers:** Brian West, Drew Wilkes, Glen Willard, Allen Williams

**Partners in Prayer:** Annelle McDuffee

**Monica Dekle, Director of Music and Organist**  
**Fritz Noack (1935-2021)**

It is with great sadness that we learned that Fritz Noack passed away on June 3. Fritz founded Noack Organ more than 60 years ago as a young German immigrant to the US. At its helm he became one of the leading figures of the organ revival movement that influenced the American organ building scene during the second half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The 160 instruments built under his direction can be found as close as the workshop's town of Georgetown, Massachusetts to as far away as Japan. Wesley Monumental's organ was Fritz's 100<sup>th</sup> organ, Opus 100. Fritz retired from full time organ building at the age of 80, but his heart was still very much in it. The Noack team is honored to carry on his legacy and passion for the craft.

**Jennifer Thompson, Congregational Life**  
**Merry Makers – The Mighty Eighth - Wednesday, July 7**

Come go with the Merry Makers for a docent-led tour of *The Mighty Eighth Air Force Museum* in Pooler. This amazing museum honors the Eighth Air Force which was activated in 1942. The museum features over 90,000 square feet of exhibits, interactive displays, historical artifacts, and a magnificent collection of aviation art. For those riding the church van (which has seats with a center aisle), we will meet at the church at 8:45 a.m. We can accommodate 15 people on the van. Those seats will be available to the first 15 people who let Jennifer Thompson know that they need one. Those who want to drive can follow the van or meet us in the museum lobby at 9:30 a.m. The cost of the trip is \$25 for the museum tour and lunch. Please sign up for the trip by Monday, June 28 by emailing Jennifer Thompson (jennifert@wesleymonumental.org) or calling the church office.

**Nelle Bordeaux, Outreach and New Members**  
**Ice Cream Social at Urban Hope**

Sign up to help scoop ice cream for Urban Hope children, Wednesday, June 23, at 1:00 p.m. at Urban Hope. Please bring your favorite ice cream topping and sign up in advance with Nelle, tbordeaux@prodigy.net.

**Groceries for Wesley Community Center**

Most needed this week is peanut butter (large size).

**Charli Weeks, Director of Children's Ministry**  
**Summer Fun Daze**

Summer Fun Daze registration forms were emailed to families with children in kindergarten – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. This year's camp will be held the week of July 26 – 30 at the Wesley Gardens Retreat Center. Our theme is MISSION POSSIBLE. We'll be traveling the world to hear how amazing people are obeying Jesus' words to, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to everyone, everywhere." Email charli@wesleymonumental.org if you have questions.

**James P. Owens, Director of Student Ministries**

*Youth (Grades 6th-12th)*

**Boats Wanted!**

Do you have a boat? The youth group is looking for one or two boats that can pull kids in tubes for a water fun day at Wesley Gardens on June 20. We will be swimming and tubing from 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Please see James P. Owens if you want to help.

**Youth Sunday School Teachers Needed**

We are looking for one or two individuals or couples to teach Youth Sunday school on a rotational basis, teaching about twice a month. Our youth group is easy-going, fun, and full of stories....and it's the only Sunday school class with its own rubber chicken!

**Youthworks Mission Trip to Birmingham, AL, July 18-23**

We are planning a mission trip with Youthworks, July 18-23, to Birmingham, AL, where we will work with needy children and families. If you have been on one of our Youthworks trips in the past, you now how great they are! Email James P. Owens, james@wesleymonumental.org for more information.



**A Record of Our Faithfulness**

Sunday Attendance: (6/6/21)	
8:45 AM Worship	82
11:00 AM Worship	160
Online Worship Views	94
<b>Total Worship</b>	<b>336</b>
Nursery	13
Children's Worship	19
Sunday School	126

**Finances: (6/6/21)**

Total Budget for the Year .....	\$1,983,419.00
Actual Revenues Year-to-Date .....	\$885,026.49
Actual Expenses Year-to-Date .....	\$828,281.44

**CHURCH STAFF**

Rev. Ben Martin.....Senior Pastor	Tom Anderson.....Financial Manager
Rev. Nelle Bordeaux.....Outreach and New Members	Daphne Burrows.....Administrative Assistant, Reception
Rev. Jennifer Thompson.....Congregational Life	Jennifer Brookins.....Administrative Assistant to Pastoral Staff, Media Communications
Dr. Monica Dekle.....Director of Music and Organist	Suzanna King.....Director of Hospitality
Skip Watts.....Music Assistant	Nathaniel Legree.....Custodian
Rev. James P. Owens...Director of Student Ministries	Betty Dudley..... Housekeeper
Charli Weeks.....Director of Children's Ministry	Micah Sprünger..... Wesley Gardens Property Manager
Haley Herrington.....Children's Ministry Assistant	Kenneth Hayes..... Wesley Gardens Groundskeeper/Maintenance
Jimmy Flowers.....Church Administrator	



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To assist with our website, publications and social media; please email your Wesley photos to [wesleymonumentalphotos@gmail.com](mailto:wesleymonumentalphotos@gmail.com). All photos are appreciated and do not need to be recent, "throwback" pictures encouraged!"

# Wesley Monumental United Methodist Church

June 13, 2021

## Sermon Extended

Monday	Deuteronomy 8	Is there any experience that significantly impacted my life that I've largely forgotten about?
Tuesday	James 4:13-16	Where am I planning for the future without considering God?
Wednesday	Matthew 6:25-34	How can I better live in the present moment?
Thursday	Psalms 118:24	Pray this verse every morning for the next week.
Friday	Genesis 1:31-2:3, Mark 2:23-28	How can I better practice Sabbath as a time of remembering, reflection, rest, and renewal?

### Sermon Notes

#### As a Praying Church...

We ask you to bless our children and volunteers at Vacation Bible School. Let all draw closer to You.

#### Daily Chronological Bible Readings for 2021

Please sign up with Nelle, [tbordeaux@prodigy.net](mailto:tbordeaux@prodigy.net), to read the entire Bible; all are welcome.

Sunday, June 13	Ecclesiastes 7-12
Monday, June 14	1 Kings 10-11; 2 Chronicles 9; Proverbs 30-31
Tuesday, June 15	1 Kings 12; 2 Chronicles 10
Wednesday, June 16	1 Kings 13-14; 2 Chronicles 11-12
Thursday, June 17	Catch-Up Day
Friday, June 18	1 Kings 15:1-24; 2 Chronicles 13-16
Saturday, June 19	1 Kings 15:25-16:34; 2 Chronicles 17
Sunday, June 20	1 Kings 17-19

### Guest Sign-In Form

Guests - pretty please with sugar on top - fill out form and place in offering box located by the door.

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**This Week at Wesley**

**Sunday, June 13**

- 8:45 AM    **Worship Service, SNC**
- 9:45 AM    **Sunday School**
- 10:00 AM   **VBS Training, EB 205**
- 11:00 AM   **Worship Service, SNC**
- 3:00 PM    **Youth Group, WG**
- 5:00 PM    **Youth Choir, WG Chapel**
- 5:30 PM    **Worship Service, WG Chapel**
- 6:15 PM    **Dinner, Main House**

**Monday, June 14**

**Vacation Bible School, WG**

- 3:00 PM    **Staff Mtg, OH 310**
- 7:00 PM    **Grief Share, Zoom**

**Tuesday, June 15**

**Vacation Bible School, WG**

- 7:00 AM    **Men's Bible Study, Holland Hse**
- 5:30 PM    **Board of Trustees, Zoom**

**Wednesday, June 16**

**Vacation Bible School, WG**

- 11:00 AM   **Bible Study w/Ben,  
OH 310/Zoom**
- 7:15 PM    **Chancel Choir Rehearsal,  
EB 4th Flr**

**Thursday, June 17**

**Vacation Bible School, WG**

- 10:00 AM   **Messenger Brigade, OH 310**
- 12:30 PM   **Downtown Bible Study, Zoom**
- 1:30 PM    **Coastal Winds Rehearsal, SNC**

**Friday, June 18**

**Vacation Bible School, WG**

**Pastor on Call This Week**

Ben Martin .....912-547-1835

**In Our Prayers....**

Joe Gold, Olin Bockes, Mark Lanier (son of Ellison Lanier), Ronald Duell (father of Melinda Sorter), Louis Burnsed (brother of Marilyn Hitt), Bob Owens (father of Kim Keaton), Frances Hughes (friend of Marilyn Holleman), Matthew Yost, Diane Coleman (friend of Carmine Cowart), Shirley Roberts, Carla Corn (mother of Sarah Shelby), Doug Stutzman, Brian Allen, Clif Cooper, Katherine Burton (niece of Cindy Burton), Sara Francis Thrasher (grand-mother of Reanna Hamilton), Martha Mills (grand-mother of T.J. Hollis), Alyssa Jones (grand-daughter of Rusty Holt), Jerry Comunate (brother-in-law of Cynthia Willett), Mario Delfiaco (brother of Cynthia Willett), Jennifer Hodges, Jared Holt (son of Rusty Holt), Barbara Burnett, Ken McDuffee (son of Annelle McDuffee), Joe Cain, Kim Rahn, Bob Harman, Ella Ealy (granddaughter of Carolyn Roth), The family of Meaghan Wylie, Claire Hayes, Bryan Bost, Ryan Davis, Andrew Brown (great nephew of Gaye Reese), Debby Warner, Adam Corey, Rita Gietzen (sister of Joyce Cole), Earl Goodwin (brother of Beth Adrich), Alison White (niece of Linda Sapp), John Martin, Sr., Martha and Erv Sloan, Fenton McEvoy, Randy Warner, Janice Dukeman (daughter of Erv Sloan), Chuck Brown (brother of Gail Rountree), Grace Crosby Utomo (friend of Jean Remley)

**At Home/Extended Care**

Cecil Abarr, Bella Grace Bartels, Richard Bartels, Harriet Bland, Grace Boches, Virginia Davis, Ann Ernst, Roz Evans, Ann Lott, Peggy Murphy, Ellie Tardif, Bill Taylor, George Vail, Lois Wooten

**Military Serving Abroad/Stateside**

Doug Snelling, Derek Mills, Matt and Melinda Allen, Jason Childers, Daniel Ealy, Clint Guild, Yates Holleman, Joshua Laws, Austin New, Jerred Pyles, Charles Smock, Chris Watson

**Sunday Night Supper & Worship at Wesley Gardens Retreat**  
 5:30 Worship in the Chapel  
 6:15 Dinner in the Main House

**June 13, 2021**  
 Preaching: Ben Martin  
 Menu: Fried Chicken,  
 Potato Salad, Fruit

**June 20, 2021**  
 Preaching: Jennifer Thompson  
 Menu: TBD

If you plan to eat dinner on June 20, please email [daphne@wesleymonumental.org](mailto:daphne@wesleymonumental.org) by 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 15, so we will know how much food to prepare. No set cost for dinner; donations accepted.

*In Sympathy....*

The Ganas and Aiken Families on the death of *Doris Spruill*, mother of Susan Ganas, grandmother of Catie Ganas Aiken

The Thomas Family on the death of *Carla Thomas*, wife of Tom