

THE MESSENGER



“God Keeps Moving”

It is hard for me to believe, but we are beginning our fourth season of Lent together. What a joy! As many of you already know, I love Lent. Many years ago, in my own personal faith journey, Lent moved from being that season before Easter to a much-needed time of personal reflection and spiritual formation. During Lent, I especially experience the movement of God in my life as I intentionally spend additional time in the practice of various spiritual disciplines. One of the things I love about God is that God is always on the move. When we are open to the leading of the Holy Spirit in our lives and in the life of the church, we can sense that movement while growing closer to God.

Our theme for Lent this year is “The Movement of God.” Through the incarnation, God came to live among humanity. Jesus, God in human form, did not limit the places he would go or the people he would encounter. Jesus met people where they were – both in their physical location and in their faith journey. Jesus made it clear that he would not hunker down in a safe place to avoid people or just be with the same small number of individuals. Jesus calls all who follow him to do the same. Individually and as the body of Christ, the Church, we are to be on the move meeting new people.

Because this congregation is committed to meeting people where they are, we have a vibrant live streaming ministry of our 10:00 a.m. worship service on the Suburban campus. On average, we now have over thirty individuals every week in a variety of states who join us for worship via live streaming. Each week I have office hours at various Panera locations so that I can meet people from our church and the community in a convenient, comfortable location. Through the use of technology, we have individuals who join from various locations around the country for small group studies and committee meetings. We do these things to model Jesus’ commitment to meet people where they are, physically and spiritually.

In worship and Sunday School classes throughout Lent we will follow Jesus’ movements from his time of facing temptation in the desert to his crucifixion on a cross. I invite you to move throughout the season of Lent with us by being in worship each week and by participating in one of the many Lenten small group studies. I will be leading a study on “Simon Peter” on Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m. at the Suburban Campus. On Sunday evenings beginning March 17 at 5:00 on the Suburban Campus I will lead the Lenten study “24 Hours That

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Suburban Campus
 27650 Center Ridge Road • Westlake, Ohio 44145
 (440) 871-3088 • westlakeumc.org
 Sunday Worship at 8:15, 10:00 and 11:28 a.m.



Simpson Metro West Campus
 8519 Clark Ave • Cleveland, Ohio 44102
 (440) 871-3088 • westlakeumc.org/simpson
 Sunday Worship at 10:45 a.m.



News and Committee Reports

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Changed the World. Rev. Paige will also lead this study at our Simpson Metro West Campus each Wednesday morning at 11:00 beginning March 13.

I encourage you to be a part of a holy, Spirit-moving Lent. Practicing spiritual disciplines, participating in the Sacraments, attending worship, and being part of a small group is who we are as United Methodists. God is always moving and will meet you wherever you are on your spiritual journey!

Grace and Peace,
Rev. Mollie

Mark Your Calendar ALL CHURCH BREAKFAST

Palm Sunday, April 14, 2019

8:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Fellowship Hall – Suburban Campus

Featuring Belgian waffles with toppings, eggs, meats, fruit and beverages. Suggested donation \$6.00. Proceeds will go to support local mission projects. Everyone is welcome. Hosted by the Men's Group



MEMBERSHIP INQUIRY

Sunday, March 24 from 4-5pm

Meet with Rev Mollie for an informal discussion about what membership at Westlake UMC is about. There is time for questions and answers. A date to join the church will be selected at the meeting.

Please RSVP to Ellie Peiffer at faithformation@westlakeumc.org and indicate if you will need childcare.

ONE CHURCH IN TWO LOCATIONS Ash Wednesday Services:

Simpson Metro West Campus at noon
Suburban Campus at 7 pm

ONE CHURCH IN TWO LOCATIONS Update

We continue to work on the goals and objectives set forth during the process of bringing together Westlake UMC and the former Simpson UMC, now the Simpson Metro West campus.

One of our objectives was to begin working with the city and other community organizations to serve the Simpson neighborhood. Over the past couple of months, I've met with, Jasmin Santana, the ward 14 councilwoman. In our discussion, she shared that the area around Simpson is one she definitely wants to get to know better. She is also aware that the neighborhood has not gotten a lot of attention over the past several years – something won't come as a surprise to members of our Simpson Metro West Campus. As a result of that conversation, we will be hosting community conversations with her during May, June and July.

Additionally, we've welcomed Mario Clopton-Zymler as the worship leader and pianist for Sunday worship. Alongside this addition to our community, we have made some improvements to the sound system, installing a new sound board from the Suburban Campus. Bob Myers, a Westlake member with a background in sound engineering, is partnering with Ed Giersz to continue to adjust and improve the sound in worship.

Thanks to Mario, we are also excited to host the Spellman College Glee club during their spring tour. They will perform at our Simpson Metro West campus on March 13 at 7 pm.

Church Family Focus



MARY BOLGER, a member of WUMC and mother of Maria Tanner and Susan Smith, passed away on February 3rd. A memorial service to celebrate her life was held on February 9th at Westlake United Methodist Church.



STERLING LOUIS, a long time member of WUMC and father of Linda McCormick, passed away on February 3rd. A memorial service to celebrate his life was held on February 9th at Westlake United Methodist Church.

ALTAR FLOWERS

AT THE SUBURBAN CAMPUS

Many thanks to those who help to beautify our Altar with the purchase of flowers. Altar flowers honor, celebrate or remember a special person or event.



If you would like to donate flowers for the altar on Sundays, please complete the Altar flower form found in the lobby. You may place the form & payment in the collection plate or turn into the office. Please note that available dates will be posted in the lobby. The office will arrange to have them ordered and delivered. (\$35 per Sunday).

Please contact the office with any questions.

Coffee Time Fellowship



AT THE SUBURBAN CAMPUS

Many thanks to all who support coffee hour financially throughout the programming year. Your donation supports a time to welcome guests and deepen Christian friendships.

OUR COFFEE HOUR FELLOWSHIP IS NOT FREE

Sponsorships are available for our weekly coffee hours following Worship on Sundays. If you would be interested in sponsoring coffee hour, please complete the Coffee hour form found in the lobby. Please note that available dates will be posted in the lobby. You may place the form & payment in the collection plate or turn into the office. (\$35 per Sunday)

Please contact the office with any questions.

Compassion & Congregational Care

Save the Date FOR THE DANIEL PLAN 12 MONTH POST ASSESSMENT!

Saturday March 23, with times between 8am – 12noon

It's been a year since our church members first started adapting the healthy habits of the Daniel Plan. The Cleveland Clinic will be back to give participants real time results on your major health markers. Anyone who participated in the very first biometric assessment in February 2018 is eligible to participate in this free & confidential assessment.

Please sign up for your assessment time slot by Sunday, March 4 at <https://goo.gl/forms/OoesZ6lgDKAPXJwi1>

INDIVIDUAL PRAYER TIME & COMMUNION With Prayer Partners



**SUNDAYS 9 – 9:30 AM
OR 11 – 11:30 AM**

AT THE SUBURBAN CAMPUS

Stephen Ministers are available every Sunday morning in Room 207 (new location) from 9 – 9:30 a.m. and also 11 – 11:30 a.m. to offer a quiet, reflective time for individual prayer and communion. We also have sets of prayer beads available for you during this time.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Compassion & Congregational Care (cont.)

**MEDICARE MESSAGE:
Medicare Costs for 2019**

Medicare costs have changed for 2019. Here are the changes to Medicare Premiums, Deductibles and Cost-Sharing Amounts.

Part A (Hospital Insurance) Deductible is \$1,364/benefit period.*

**The Part A deductible is incurred when you are admitted to the hospital (be aware, if you are in the hospital under Observation (this means not admitted) your costs are incurred under Part B).*

Part A Skilled Nursing Facility Copayment is \$-0- for days 1 to 20, Medicare covers 100%; \$170.50/day for days 21-100.

Part A Premium* \$-0- if you've worked more than 10 years. ** \$240/month if worked 7.5 to 10 years and \$437/month for those with fewer than 7.5 years

- ** Most people do not pay a monthly premium because they have (or a spouse Has) 40 quarters of Medicare covered employment (meaning they worked a job where they paid into Medicare).

Part B (Medical Insurance) the Annual Deductible is \$185.

Part B Coinsurance is 20% for most services; of the amount Medicare approves as allowable.

Part B Premium \$135.50 / month

The premium is tiered based on income; see medicare.gov for Part B cost chart. And, for those with limited income their rate may be less when their increase in Social Security benefits is or has been less than the increased Part B premium.

As always, if you have questions about your Medicare, please call me OR OSHIIP 1-800-686-1578.

Patricia Whited Stineman MSIG, CSA Medicare Counselor, OSHIIP certified; mobile 440 781-1383

**MEDICARE MESSAGE:
*New for 2019!***

Medicare Advantage Open Enrollment Period

From January 1st thru March 31st each year, if you are enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan you have the opportunity to make a one-time change during this period to switch to another Advantage plan or go back to Original Medicare with or without a stand-alone Part D plan. The change will take place the first of the following month. **Understand your Medicare options; seek assistance from an OSHIIP certified counselor.**

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS TEAM



As our wellness journey continues at WUMC, the Health and Wellness Team is planning monthly opportunities for our congregation to experience ways to incorporate healthy options into our lives. Watch for monthly wellness programs in future communications with topics like *proper use of medications and their disposal, cultivating self-awareness and mindfulness practices, local resources to connect with as we age, youth drug and alcohol concerns, easy to enter walking groups.* Please contact gretty.myers@gmail.com with your ideas!

Easter Necessity Baskets
FOR OHIO GUIDESTONE

Collecting donations starting March 17th.

Ohio Guidestone delivers Easter Necessity Baskets to families in need with the help of partnering basket supplier groups, like us. We need your time, help, and donations.

CLEANING SUPPLIES:

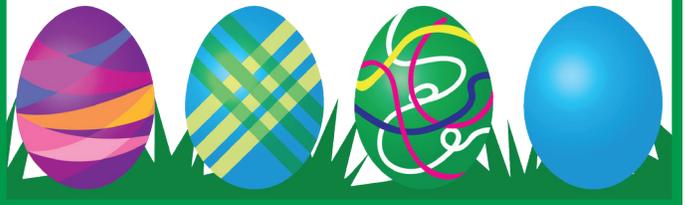
- Liquid cleaners
- Mop Bucket
- Broom, dustpan
- Sponges (soft & abrasive)
- Paper towels
- Trash bags
- Handheld scrub brush
- Toilet bowl brush
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Other

PERSONAL CARE ITEMS:

- Babies:**
- Diapers
 - Wipes
 - Formula
 - Bottles
 - Toys
 - Blankets
- Teens:**
- Toiletries for girls
 - Toiletries for boys

Donations can be placed in the bins in Fellowship Hall and lobby starting March 17th.

Monetary Donations may be made out to WUMC. Please note for Ohio Guidestone Baskets.



Mission Opportunities & Updates

SIMPSON METRO WEST *Community Meal*

Sunday, March 3 | 4:30 p.m.

Simpson MW is having their Community meal on Sunday, March 3 at 4:30 p.m. Come join in fellowship, share a meal, and help with clean up. Simpson Metro West is located at 8519 Clark Ave.

Reminder!

Please submit plans for any mission or fundraising project at WUMC to Mission Team by the first Tuesday of the month prior to start. This is not for approval, but to ensure there isn't duplication or overlapping of projects, and we may be able to help.

Going on a mission trip? Submit a mission funding request to Mission@westlakeumc.org (which can be found on the WUMC website under FAQ & Forms).

We are looking for trained leaders. If you are interested, please contact the Mission Team chair, Kay Martin at kcbrightm@aol.com

TWICE BLESSED FREE STORE AT NEHEMIAH MISSION HAVE A FEW HOURS TO HELP?



Volunteers are always needed on Mondays, 10:00-1:00 to help sort and restock the store at 6515 Bridge Ave. Donations can be left in the large wood box in Fellowship Hall. Updated list of requested donations are posted there. Large donations can be taken directly to Rocky River UMC, 19414 Detroit Rd, Rocky River. Items MUST be in season! Housewares, men's clothing and shoes and toiletries are especially needed- toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, etc.



Don't miss your chance to get an authentic Cambodian Krama and support UMC mission in Cambodia

Available in March on Sunday mornings starting 3/10, for a suggested donation of \$10.00.

Supply is limited! All proceeds will go to missions in Cambodia.

A krama is a sturdy traditional Cambodian garment with many uses, including as a scarf, bandanna, to cover the face, for decorative purposes, and as a hammock for children. It is worn by men, women and children. Most typical kramas contain a gingham pattern of some sort. It is the Cambodian national symbol.

WESTSIDE COMMUNITY HOUSE MEAL *March volunteers needed*

We are continuing to provide a community meal for the parenting program at Westside Community House on every the third Tuesday of the month.

We are currently looking for groups who can provide a complete meal for 50-60 people for March and May.

Menu suggestions and amounts are available. Please talk to your group or church team and prayerful consider supporting this very worthwhile program.

***We are looking for an individual to help arrange monthly sign-ups. Please contact Kay Martin to help or with any questions.**



BE SURE TO LIKE OUR WUMC FACEBOOK PAGE FOR THE LATEST NEWS AND EVENTS! [CLICK HERE](#)

Community Meals



THANK YOU to all the groups who have provided meals to Westside Community House this year.

Mission Opportunities & Updates (cont.)

DO YOU WANT TO BE A PART OF THE THIRD ANNUAL WUMC ADULT MISSION TRIP?

Wednesday, June 26 – Saturday, June 29

Blue Rose Mission in Mansfield, Ohio
for a half-week work mission.

Open to anyone age 12 (under 18 with parent) and up.

If you are interested in this event, or can help lead, please contact Kay Martin, Mission Chair, or email Mission@westlakeumc.org

DID YOU KNOW?

Our Simpson Metro West campus also holds a food pantry that serves around 80 families each month. The food pantry is held on the last Wednesday of the month—this month it is March 27th.



We are also be collecting large reusable shopping bags to help carry the groceries. They can be put in the blue wagon in the lobby along with any food donations .

Small Groups & Spiritual Growth

THE DANIEL PLAN
GOD'S PRESCRIPTION FOR YOUR HEALTH

**JOIN US for the
The Daniel Plan 5 Essentials!**

It's not too late to start this journey or continue walking the path to a healthy, transformed life.

There are several options to join a small group focusing on more of the Daniel Plan health benefits. These sessions begin again in January.

Please contact Gretty Myers gretty.myers@gmail.com if you would like to participate in one of the classes below.

SMALL GROUP MEETING OPTIONS

Sundays at 9 a.m. – Room 107
Mondays at 7 p.m. – Library
Tuesdays at 4 p.m. – Room 106/107
Wednesdays at 7 p.m. – Room 205



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Westlake United Methodist Women
GENERAL MEETING – FELLOWSHIP HALL SC
THURSDAY, MARCH 14TH | 10:30 AM

All women of the church are invited to join this friendly, mission-focused group. **The meeting begins at 10:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall at the Suburban Campus.** Lunch will begin at 12:00 noon. Bring your sandwich and our hostesses will provide dessert and beverage.

The program at 1:00 p.m. will be "Ohio Indian History" presented by John Pekaric.

DO EVERYTHING IN LOVE

1 CORINTHIANS 16 : 14

Small Groups & Spiritual Growth (cont.)

A Purposeful Lent...

THE 40 DAY JOURNEY TO EASTER

The 40 days of Lent begin on Ash Wednesday, March 6th with darkness and lead us to the resurrection joy of Easter Sunday. This 6 week period is an opportunity for Christians to intentionally focus on their spiritual being and growing closer to God, Jesus and the Holy Spirit. You don't have to give something up to grow closer to Christ. What practice might you embrace for 40 days? Here are some ideas to inspire you!

PRAYER WALKING – incorporate pray into a walk or jog. Read tips on how to invite God on your walk or pick up a set of prayer beads to help keep your prayers directed. Stop in the prayer room on Sunday to find resources.

MEDITATION – Are you curious about the spiritual and scientific benefits of this ancient practice? Pick up a copy of “One Breath at a Time: A Skeptic’s Guide to Christian Meditation” by J. Dana Trent and let it guide you into meaningful meditation. Books are \$12 available in the prayer room 207.

EXAMEN – the Examen is a short time of reflection done at the end of the day (try it while brushing your teeth or before you turn out the lights). In this practice, you reflect on where you felt God’s presence or action in your day and give thanks for it. You also consider times in the day that you wished for more of God’s presence and turn it over to God. You can journal your thoughts if helpful. Pick up an explanation of the Examen practice in the Prayer Room 207.

JOURNALING – record your prayers, your Examen or other prompts. Attend the Lenten Journaling workshop on Saturday mornings at 9:30-11:30 on March 30, April 6 and April 13.

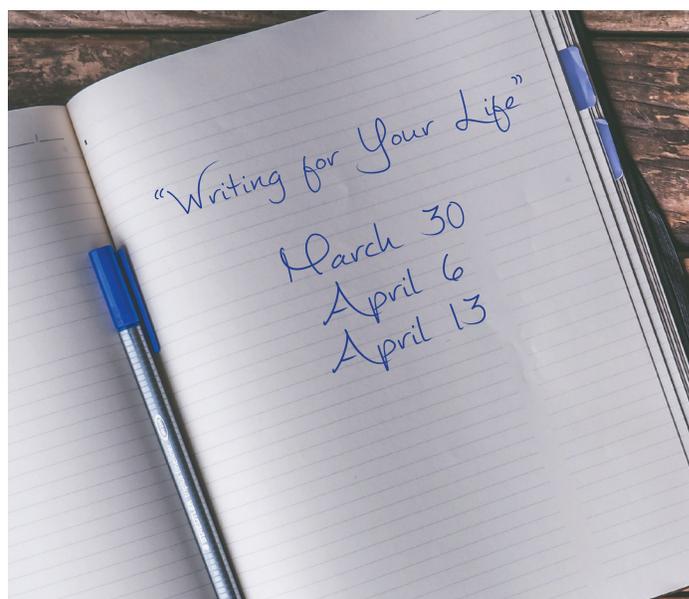
DANIEL PLAN LENTEN TUNE-UP GROUP – Focus on a healthy body, mind and soul with a Daniel Plan group. The group will use videos from the Daniel Plan Essentials. No previous experience is required. Watch the weekly announcements for meeting times.

MEDITATIVE JOURNALING FOR LENT

The Health and Wellness Team has had many requests from our congregation to help us all find ways to slow down through meditation and other easy to enter practices to encourage and enhance our health and wellness. Please join us on 3 consecutive Saturday mornings starting March 30 and ending on April 13 for “Writing for Your Life”, a journaling class led by Mike Reiling, M. Ed. of River’s Edge. These 2 hr. sessions will invite you to explore for the first time or for the nth time the benefits of putting thoughts and feelings - our lives- onto paper.

We’ll be meeting at WUMC Suburban Campus from 9:30 - 11:30 on Saturdays 3/30, 4/6 and 4/13. A free will offering will be taken each week as a thank you to our generous facilitator. Youth and adults are all welcome!

Please sign up on the bulletin in our church lobby. Gretty Myers is happy to answer any questions - gretty.myers@gmail.com



Kid's Ministry News



THE EASTER STORY SCAVENGER HUNT & EGG DYE

Sunday, April 14 - 3-4:30pm

Drop in anytime as a family to search for clues to the Easter story throughout the church. Bring a dozen hard boiled eggs to color eggs at various stations and enjoy refreshments. This event is open to the community so bring a friend!



THANKS FOR SUPPORTING THE KIDS VALENTINE BAKE SALE

The Sunday school kids extend a huge "thank you" to the congregation for supporting their bake sale in such a big way. They raised over \$825 for their Mission:Possible UMCOR kit making projects! Special thanks to all the parents who assisted and Mrs. Janet Hanacek, Miss Ali Steele and the 4th & 5th grade class for organizing.



MISSION: POSSIBLE *Update*

Families gathered to learn about what it might be like to live in a disaster area as they attempted simple activities without power and water. The kids assembled 30 school supply kits that will be sent out to children in areas of most need by the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR). Mission: Possible will meet again in May to tackle our biggest project yet...Flood Buckets!!! Stay tuned for ways you can support the kids as they learn to be the hands and feet of Jesus caring for others.

Save The Dates FOR SUMMER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

June 17 - 21

Simpson Metro West Campus VBS

July 15- 19

Westlake Ecumenical VBS at Dover UCC

There are 2 opportunities to participate in VBS this summer and each program has a different theme/curriculum.

Watch for more information coming soon!

WHAT ARE THE KIDS LEARNING ABOUT IN SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS MONTH?

February's Sunday School Lessons and Scripture References touch on important stories of the faith in the Old and New Testaments:

MARCH 3

The Transfiguration - Luke 9:28-36

MARCH 10

Tempted - Luke 4:1-13

MARCH 17

God's Promise to Abraham - Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

MARCH 24

Parable of the Fig Tree - Luke 13:1-9

MARCH 31

The Prodigal Son - Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE SIGNUP:

Please sign up kids 5th grade through 12th grade to serve as an acolyte in the 10am Sunday worship at the Suburban Campus. Acolytes should report to the narthex at 9:50am to robe and receive any special instructions for the day.

Sign up via link: <http://bit.ly/WUMCAcolyte>

Youth News

WUMC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION DEADLINE IS MARCH 15

Attention High School Seniors! We welcome our college bound high school seniors to apply for a College Scholarship sponsored and funded by Westlake UMC. The scholarship recognizes their growth in discipleship and contributions in Christian service to the church, the community and beyond.

For more information, contact Ellie Peiffer at faithformation@westlakeumc.org.

To apply, download the application from the website at westlakeumc.org/forms and submit by Friday, March 15.

MISSION TRIP FUNDRAISER

The Youth Spaghetti Dinner is March 30th from 5 pm to 7:30pm!

Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for kids. We will offer a Daniel Plan friendly meal for \$1 extra. Tickets will be for sale on Sunday mornings March 10 to 24 or you can sign up online at: <http://bit.ly/WUMCSpaghetti>



MISSION TRIP PLANNING MEETING

MARCH 10TH

Westlake UMC will host the meeting which will bring together youth and adults going on the trip to plan and prepare for our July 7-13 trip to Cass Community Social Services in Detroit. Those planning to attend the trip are asked to bring a \$25 deposit to secure their spot by this meeting.

Youth Group Outing to PlayCLE

Tired of being trapped indoors this winter? Come burn off some energy with your friends on the zipline, climbing walls, and a ropes course! Tickets are \$20. We will carpool from the church and play from 6-8pm. You will need to fill out a waiver for each person attending - <https://playcle.centeredgeonline.com/waivers>

Children age 6 and under are free with a paying adult.

RSVP by lunch on Sunday, March 3rd at <http://bit.ly/WUMCPlayCLE>

Parents, can you help drive? Let us know!

Suburban Campus March Youth Group Schedule

MARCH 3 - Youth Group Outing to PlayCLE

MARCH 10 - Mission Trip Planning

MARCH 17 - Regular Youth Group

MARCH 24 - Regular Youth Group

MARCH 30 - Spaghetti Dinner

MARCH 31 - No Youth Group

SMW Campus March Youth Group Schedule

MARCH 6 - Ash Wednesday – we will meet for dinner and got to SC for the Ash Wednesday Service

MARCH 13 - Regular Youth Group

MARCH 10 - Mission Trip Planning

MARCH 20 - Regular Youth Group

MARCH 27 - Food Pantry Day

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ,
the new creation has come;
The old has gone, the new is here!

2 CORINTHIANS 5:17

Financial Information

Instead of an envelope with a check or cash on Sunday, there are two other ways you can make contributions to the General Operating Fund for Westlake UMC:



DIRECT DEPOSIT: Scheduled automatic transfers from your checking account to the WUMC account. Please contact Raphe Neapolitan, Finance Manager for the form needed at finance@westlakeumc.org



ONLINE GIVING: Use your credit card via our website at westlakeumc.org. In the lower left corner of the home page you will see a button for Online Giving — near “Live Streaming” — You do not have to login to contribute, but can create profile if desired. This can be a one-time contribution or regularly scheduled contributions.

Westlake United Methodist Church
Income and Expense Statement (UNAUDITED)
 OPERATING FUND 01, January 2019

	Current Period	Year to Date	Prior Year YTD	Prior Year	Year to Date	Annual Budget
					Budget	
INCOME						
CONTRIBUTION INCOME	\$48,067.95	\$48,067.95	\$37,038.38	\$37,038.38	\$50,608.75	\$637,004.96
TOTAL INCOME	48,067.95	48,067.95	37,038.38	37,038.38	50,608.75	637,004.96
EXPENSES						
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE						
STAFF PARISH EXPENSE	\$23,946.65	\$23,946.65	\$23,101.61	\$23,101.61	\$28,303.95	\$355,377.34
OFFICE EXPENSE	1,750.98	1,750.98	1,029.29	1,029.29	1,226.67	16,760.00
FINANCE TEAM EXPENSE	2,978.23	2,978.23	158.45	158.45	410.00	5,300.00
FACILITIES EXPENSE	14,102.84	14,102.84	7,412.01	7,412.01	11,004.51	123,190.01
Subtotal Expenses	42,778.70	42,778.70	31,701.36	31,701.36	40,945.13	500,627.35
MINISTRY EXPENSE						
MUSIC EXPENSE	0.00	0.00	25.48	25.48	291.67	3,200.00
WORSHIP EXPENSE	663.42	663.42	378.25	378.25	895.00	10,176.00
EDUCATION EXPENSE	226.56	226.56	458.71	458.71	1,565.00	19,790.00
OUTREACH EXPENSE	740.28	740.28	728.22	728.22	1,525.00	15,605.00
CONNECTIONAL GIVING	6,110.17	6,110.17	6,050.25	6,050.25	6,953.75	83,445.00
Subtotal Ministry Expense	7,740.43	7,740.43	7,640.91	7,640.91	11,230.42	132,216.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	50,519.13	50,519.13	39,342.27	39,342.27	52,175.55	632,843.35
EXCESS INCOME/EXPENSES	-\$2,451.18	-\$2,451.18	-\$2,303.89	-\$2,303.89	-\$1,566.80	\$4,161.61



YOU CAN JOIN WESTLAKE UMC AT THE 10:00AM SERVICE WITH LIVE STREAMING FROM OUR SUBURBAN CAMPUS.**



Traveling? Can't make it to church on a Sunday morning? Worship with us via our website: westlakeumc.org for the 10:00 service. You will see the link to the broadcast in the lower left corner of the home screen. You are also invited to register your attendance, send prayer requests, and/or make contributions online.

***Please note that due to copyright & licensing restrictions, not all music or multimedia presentations may be broadcast.*

MARCH 2019



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
3 9am Daniel Plan(106/7) 4pm Confirmation Class 4:30pm Comm Meal (SMW) SC Youth and Pledge 6pm	4 12:30pm ChristCare-EP (100) 7pm ChristCare-G/J/L (205) 7pm Daniel Plan-Library 7pm Finance Mtg. (207)	5 5:30pm Bread on Bridge Pancake Dinner/Worship (Nehemiah)	6 Ash Wednesday 11:30am Purl Girls (100) 1:30pm Arthritis Exer. (103) 12pm Ash Wed. Ser. (SMW) 6pm Blue Bus (SMW) 7pm Ash Wed. Ser. (SC) Youth Group/Worship 5:30 pm SMW	7 9am Bible Study (207) 10am UMW Board Mtg (105) 5:30pm Marijuana Anon(100) 7 pm ChristCare- DL(107) 7pm Choir Rehearsal	8 7am Men's Breakfast (Sammi's Deli) 3:30pm Theater Grp (FH) 5:30pm 3MB - (SMW)	9 6:30pm Alcohol Anon (SMW)
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Coming Up

- 3/13 Spellman College Glee Club, SMW (p. 2)
- 3/23 Daniel Plan 12 Month Post Assessment (p. 3)
- 3/24 Membership Inquiry (p. 2)
- 3/30 Youth Mission Trip Fundraiser (p. 9)
- 3/30 Meditative Journaling for Lent (p. 7)
- 4/14 All Church Breakfast on Palm Sunday (p. 2)
- 4/14 The Easter Story Scavenger Hunt & Egg Dye (p. 8)

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