



8:45 a.m. Traditional Service 9:45 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:00 a.m. Life Groups 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Service

Sunday, December 7, 2025

Monday through Thursday 9 a.m.—4 p.m.

Closed for Lunch 12—1 p.m.

Friday and Holidays Office Closed

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Church Office Hours

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For a list of all staff, please visit wellingtonmethodist.com/staff

Today's Scripture: Matthew 3:1-12

Sermon: Prepare the Way

Serving Forms

If you did not fill out the survey form for various ways to serve, please get one on the Overflow Table and fill it out. You can also scan the QR code for a digital form. Thank you for serving together at WMC!

We are especially looking for volunteers to serve on the Welcome team as users and greeters for both services, but especially at the 11:00 a.m. service. Use the form to connect with us.

Estimate of Giving Card

Thank you to all who have turned in an Estimate of Giving Card! Turning in a card will allow the church leadership to make better decisions in how we can plan for ministry in the year ahead. You can pick one up on the table in the Overflow, or scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin.

If you want to change your automatic withdrawal (ACH) from your bank account for the coming year, please stop by the office and update your authorization form. Additionally, if you want to start an ACH for your tithe, we can help with that as well.

Wednesday Dinner

This week's meal is hosted by the Dinner Committee. They will be serving hamburger casserole, green beans, french bread, salad, and desserts. **Wednesday, December 10** will be the last day for all Wednesday activities until January 7.

A Note From the Family of Lincoln Rose

The family of Lincoln Rose wish to thank all who offered prayers and thoughts for him as he went through his surgery and recovery. These prayers were heard, felt, and appreciated. He continues to improve and we are thankful and hopeful that Lincoln's health will continue so that he can be a normal 10 year old boy.

Giving Electronically

Use our church app or scan the QR code on the back page to give online. If you gave online, feel free to place one of the "I Gave Online" cards into the offering plates as a physical gesture of your offering.

Attendance— November 30, 2025				
8:45 a.m. Service	98	11:00 a.m. Servi	ce 241	
Financial Report — November 30, 2025				
	Directed Giving	\$ 1,090		
	General Fund	\$ 7,870		
	Weekly Goal	\$ 8,288		

To Know Christ and Make Christ Known

Events you won't want to miss this Christmas season!

December 7th—4:00 p.m. Christmas Concert

December 13th—4:15 p.m. Wellington Community Christmas Parade

December 14th—11:00 a.m. KCC Christmas Program

December 21st—4:00 p.m. Christmas Caroling

December 24th—5:00 & 7:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Services

December 28th—10:00 a.m. Combined Service & Potluck

December 28th—1:00-6:00 p.m. Community Church Open House

Christmas Concert

December 7th—4:00 p.m.

Come join us **today** for wonderful music and fellowship on at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Wellington Community Christmas Parade

December 13th—4:15 p.m.

Join us as we walk in the Wellington Community Christmas Parade, Saturday, December 13th. Meet at the church at 4:15 p.m. to participate!

Salvation Army Bell Ringers

If you're looking for a way to bless those in need this holiday season, consider signing up to ring the Salvation Army bell at Dillons or Walmart. You can sign up online through the Wellington Free Will Baptist Church link by scanning the QR code on the back of the bulletin.

Zimbabwe Missions Trip

June 18-30, 2026

Join a missions team focusing in building clean water wells, strengthening local churches through Gospel centered outreach. Cost is \$3,000 per person with many opportunities for fundraising. Sign up deadline January 30, 2026 — See Matt Pryce for more details.

 $\label{lem:mission_model} \mbox{Mission trip informational meeting: Monday, December 15, 7:15-8:00p.m.} \\ \mbox{Fellowship Hall.}$

Communion

All who seek to draw near to Christ are welcome to receive Communion. Gluten-free elements are available at the front. Children are welcome to participate; those not yet receiving Communion may come forward for a pastoral blessing. If you would like to place your faith in Jesus, you are invited to come to the altar for prayer with the Pastor.

A Look Into the Week...

Sunday, December 7

7:30 a.m. Prayer Gathering—Chapel 9:45 a.m. Fellowship—Priscilla Circle 10:00 a.m. Life Groups

Monday, December 8

6:00 p.m. Visitation Team Meeting 7:00 p.m. Leadership Board

Wednesday, December 10

11:00 p.m. Care & Share Meeting

3:30 p.m. KCC

5:15 p.m. Wednesday Dinner

6:00 p.m. Grief Share

6:15 p.m. Glory Bees

6:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship

6:30 p.m. Youth Group

7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study

Thursday, December 11

6:00 a.m. Men's Group

Saturday, December 13

4:15 p.m. Wellington Christmas Parade

Sunday, December 14

7:30 a.m. Prayer Gathering—Chapel 9:45 a.m. Fellowship— Leadership Board

Birthdays

Liam Ewing	Dec 7
Joslyn Heersche	Dec 8
Jeff Heersche	Dec 9
Ross Norris	Dec 9
Ava Erber	Dec 10
Shirley Huddleston	Dec 11
Loretta Anderson	Dec 11
Colton Day	Dec 11
Carol Hadorn	Dec 12
Russell Zeka	Dec 12

Prayer Concerns

Marsha Escandon, Ed LeValley, Karen Rowe, Eliza Conwell, Connie McArthur, Helen White, Donna Campbell, Rob Baird, Karl Sipes, Terry Hays, (Marsha Erickson's grandson, brother), Paulette Ewing, Richard Garland Clark (Richie Clark's dad), Cari Stufflebeam, Mikala Bagambe, Colby Fair, Frank Gerberding, and Sherri Theurer.

Prayer requests

Share any prayer requests by texting "Pray" to 833-838-0430.

Prayer Team Leader: Robin Norris prayerteam@wellingtonmethodist.com

Family Prayers

Each week we are covering our church families in prayer. This week we are praying for Connie McArthur; Terri Driskell; Irene Armstrong; and Bruce & Mary K. Ewing.

CONNECT WITH US



In the Military

Air Force: James McDonald, Dustin Fisher, Cody Hutchison, David Pope, Jr.,

Devin Moody

Army: Casey Dry, Justin Stewart **Army Reserve:** Ryan Miller

Army National Guard: Jason Simons,

David Erickson

Marines: Craig Collings, Jake Hutchison, Robert Hobbs

Navy: Michael Hatfield, Joseph

Hatfield, Chance Hamel