

# Wesley United Methodist Church

Worship Sundays 9 AM

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## June 28, 2026

### +PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*Jackie Z.*

Almighty God, generation to generation, you have remained faithful to your covenant. You show up, in the midst of our life's circumstances, and you bestow on us the fullness of your abundance. May the tithes and offerings that we lay before you be signs of our commitment to putting our whole trust in your grace. Use them (and us) to fulfill your great purpose for all the world. Amen.

### PRAYER HYMN

*Surely the Presence of the Lord (x2)*

UMH # 328

### JOYS & CONCERNS

### +JUNE BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS | BIRTHDAY SONG

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, forever. Amen.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Pastor Doug*

### +CLOSING HYMN

*I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me*

TFWS # 2153

### +BENEDICTION

*Pastor Doug*

### POSTLUDE

*Close to Thee*

*Sharwin G.*



# 5th Sunday after Pentecost

+Indicates that all are invited to stand in body or spirit.  
Congregation is invited to respond as indicated by **Bold Print**

**PRELUDE** *Hour of Worship | It Is Well with My Soul | Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life*

**GREETING & WELCOME** *Pastor Doug*

## BREAKTHROUGH SIGHTINGS

**BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER (UNISON)** *Pastor Doug*  
**God, we do not know what to do, but You do. Open our hearts, eyes, and minds to You. Amen.**

**CENTERING TIME** *We Believe in One True God* *Sharwin G.*

**+CALL TO WORSHIP** *Jackie Z.*

Jackie: Out of the safe, familiarity of home; out of life's rugged, desert spaces,

**All: God calls us to journey together, following where the Lord is leading.**

Jackie: Whether we're feeling confident, or we struggle to find a way forward,

**All: God is here with us, offering assurance and giving us all that we need.**

Jackie: Even now, God's Spirit is creating, making us part of something greater,

**All: helping us to turn our whole selves over to the One who gives us life.**

**+OPENING HYMN** *God, Whose Love is Reigning o'er Us* *UMH # 100*

**+OPENING PRAYER (UNISON):** *Jackie Z.*

**God of Love, as we gaze upon the universe, we cannot help but be in awe of your greatness. Through the sights, sounds and sensations around us, it is clear your wonder and majesty are on display. We know that you are with us, present in every moment of our lives. You are aware of the challenges we face, and you call us, in the midst of it all, to entrust ourselves (and all we hold dear) to you. But, too often, we do not want to let go. We are afraid things won't turn out the way we hope; we're reluctant to give up the illusion of control. And so, we hold back instead of leaning on your grace. Forgive us, O God! Break through the barriers we have built to hide away our most vulnerable selves. Loosen the death-grip with which we have tried to lay hands on those passing things in our lives. Free us to be more bold and courageous, confident that as we place our dreams and desires in your care, you will bring them to your abundant fruition. In the name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.**

## +SILENT PRAYER

## +SHARING THE PEACE

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** *Pastor Doug*

**SCRIPTURE READING** *Genesis 22:1-14* *Jackie Z.*

After these events, God tested Abraham and said to him, "Abraham!" Abraham answered, "I'm here."<sup>2</sup> God said, "Take your son, your only son whom you love, Isaac, and go to the land of Moriah. Offer him up as an entirely burned offering there on one of the mountains that I will show you."<sup>3</sup> Abraham got up early in the morning, harnessed his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, together with his son Isaac. He split the wood for the entirely burned offering, set out, and went to the place God had described to him.<sup>4</sup> On the third day, Abraham looked up and saw the place at a distance.<sup>5</sup> Abraham said to his servants, "Stay here with the donkey. The boy and I will walk up there, worship, and then come back to you."<sup>6</sup> Abraham took the wood for the entirely burned offering and laid it on his son Isaac. He took the fire and the knife in his hand, and the two of them walked on together.<sup>7</sup> Isaac said to his father Abraham, "My father?" Abraham said, "I'm here, my son." Isaac said, "Here is the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb for the entirely burned offering?"<sup>8</sup> Abraham said, "The lamb for the entirely burned offering? God will see to it, my son." The two of them walked on together.<sup>9</sup> They arrived at the place God had described to him. Abraham built an altar there and arranged the wood on it. He tied up his son Isaac and laid him on the altar on top of the wood.<sup>10</sup> Then Abraham stretched out his hand and took the knife to kill his son as a sacrifice.<sup>11</sup> But the LORD's messenger called out to Abraham from heaven, "Abraham? Abraham?" Abraham said, "I'm here."<sup>12</sup> The messenger said, "Don't stretch out your hand against the young man, and don't do anything to him. I now know that you revere God and didn't hold back your son, your only son, from me."<sup>13</sup> Abraham looked up and saw a single ram caught by its horns in the dense underbrush. Abraham went over, took the ram, and offered it as an entirely burned offering instead of his son.<sup>14</sup> Abraham named that place "the LORD sees." That is the reason people today say, "On this mountain the LORD is seen."

**SERMON** **"God Will See It"** *Pastor Doug*  
*Turning it all over to the One who is forever faithful*

**HYMN** *If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee* *UMH # 142*

**COMMUNITY PRAYER** *Jackie Z.*

**OFFERTORY** *Beams of Heaven as I Go*

**+DOXOLOGY** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* *UMH # 95*

This week's YouTube link for Sunday—

<https://www.youtube.com/live/0JKgQawQe6k>

**LET'S PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS!**

**If you have a joy or concern let us know!** [wumcoffice@wesleyhopeconnection.org](mailto:wumcoffice@wesleyhopeconnection.org)

**JOYS:** those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week (see announcement page). Share with us your joys so we may celebrate together and glorify our Lord for your blessings!

- For the joy of sharing time with friends old and new, at Port Edwards and Marshfield: Wesley.
- For **Orin H.** having enjoyed Badger Boys State, making friends and experiencing new things.
- For the success of the second annual homecoming at **Powers Bluff County Park** on June 20.

**CONCERNS:**

- For **Megan** (*niece of Karalee L.*) whose biopsy test to determine diagnosis is on Mon. (June 22).
- For **Steph** and her medical team at UW Hospital during her heart surgery on Thurs. (June 25).
- For **Whitney** (*sister of Chuck L.*), dealing with heart issues and also ongoing cancer treatment.
- For **Maribeth L.-S.** (*member of PEUMC*), who just got out of the hospital, dealing with heart issues.
- For Calla (newborn daughter of Deb and Joel T.'s nephew), looking at possible surgery in a few months for heart issues.

**HOMEBOUND:** Dorothy D. Shirley S. Ardis A. Marge K.

**OTHERS**

- For those who father, offering care and support for their own children or for those who are like children to them.
- For those who grieve, missing a father or a child, or a relationship that wasn't what it should have been.
- For those whom fathering is complicated, heartbreaking, or incomplete.

**This week, we saw God "breaking through"...**

- ...in our outdoor worship with all these beautiful people. (*Rose W.*)
- ...in all those who gathered to celebrate my mother's life last week. (*Rachel L.*)
- ...in wildlife seen over the past few weeks—a deer with a fawn, a black bear, a ground squirrel with eight babies. (*Nolan H.*)

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## JUNE'S NOISY Can

### Marshfield Area Respite Care Center

Marshfield Area Respite Center (MARCC) is a peaceful and serene social daycare program for participants who have Alzheimer's, Parkinson's or Dementia and their caregivers every weekday from 10am-4pm. MARCC is located right here at Wesley UMC! While the participants are attending MARCC, their caregivers have personal time to keep appointments, shop, go out to lunch, spend time friends, or get some much needed rest. The program is funded through daily charges, United Way funding, donations, memorials, and gifts. No individual is denied participation because of need for funding. If you are interested in learning more about MARCC, visit their website- [www.marshfieldrespite.org](http://www.marshfieldrespite.org).



**June 14:** Joel T.

**June 19:** Orin H.

**June 25:** Dale W.



### UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS...

**July 5:** Craig J.

## PUB THEOLOGY with Good Shepherd Lutheran

**Wednesday, July 1 @ 6 PM**

Scotty's Pizza | Pub Topic: Why do bad things happen?



Come for a time of fellowship as we explore our doubts and wonderings together. Engage with others, share perspectives, and grow through meaningful conversation and learning.

## SOS UPCOMING VOLUNTEER SHIFTS

The next opportunity to serve at Soup or Socks is

Monday, July 6th, Wednesday, July 8th and Friday, July 10th.

Please see Jackie if you're able to volunteer.

*New volunteers are always welcomed!*



## HUB CITY DAYS

Please consider signing up to volunteer at Hub City Days on **Saturday, July 25!**

Three volunteer shifts are available: 11:00 AM–1:00 PM, 1:00–3:00 PM, and 3:00–5:00 PM. We hope to have at least four volunteers for each shift, though additional helpers are always welcome. You would be assisting guests, monitoring trash cans, and taking bags to dumpsters as needed.

Sign-up sheets are available in the Fellowship Hall.

Join us as we connect with our community beyond the church walls!

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## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

REACHING UP TO WORSHIP GOD | REACHING OUT TO SERVE OTHERS | REACHING IN TO GROW TOGETHER