

Worship Schedule

Quiet Worship 8:30 am

Welcome		Randy Kilbride
UMH #420	<i>Breathe on Me, Breath of God</i>	All verses
Unison Prayer		
Scripture	Luke 7:36-50	
Message	Go In Peace	Pastor Kim
UMH #572	<i>Pass It On</i>	All verses
Benediction		

Praise Worship 9:30 am

Welcome		Randy Kilbride
Worship Songs	<i>Holy Is The Lord</i> <i>Same God</i> <i>Cornerstone</i>	
Scripture	Luke 7:36-50	
Message	Go In Peace	Pastor Kim
Worship Song	<i>Reckless Love</i>	
Closing Song	<i>Holy Is The Lord</i>	
Blessing		

Traditional Worship 11:00 am

Welcome		Diane Firis
Prelude	<i>Spirit of the Living God</i>	Brenda Adley
UMH #420	<i>Breathe on Me, Breath of God</i>	All verses
Baptism		
Unison Prayer		
Offering	<i>America/Let There Be Peace</i>	
Scripture	Luke 7:36-50	Beth Hoff
Choir Anthem	<i>Written in Red</i>	
Message	Go In Peace	Pastor Kim
UMH #572	<i>Pass It On</i>	All verses
Benediction		
Postlude	<i>Every Time I Feel the Spirit</i>	

Welcome

If you are a guest, please complete the information card found in the pew or scan this QR Code. We would love to keep in touch. To learn more about our church, check out our website at wadsworthumc.com.



Announcements

Summer Worship – We will continue with three services this summer.

Ministry Moments in May Throughout this month, we will hear from a few of our ministry teams. Molly Adams from the Green Team will share about the school supply collection, Jeff Chester will share about the recent mission trip to Black Mountain, NC, and Tracy Susong/Joanne Manning will update us on the community garden. God is at work!

SAVE THE DATES for these all-church Summer Events!

Sunday, June 14	Picnic at the Akron Zoo
Sunday, July 19	Sundaes on Sunday, (Ice cream social with light lunch after church)
Saturday, August 8	7:05 p.m. Akron Rubber Ducks game with fireworks

Akron Zoo – Summer Outreach – June 14 - Fun for everyone!

Invite a friend, pack your lunch and meet at the Akron Zoo by 1:00 p.m. Jen Beck will be handing out bracelets at the entrance. We will have a special animal encounter at 2:00 p.m. at the pavilion. Then, families can explore the zoo. The pavilion is close to the zoo entrance, and if you prefer, you can stay there and socialize with others throughout the day. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Details are below:

- discounted tickets are \$11.00/person and include parking
- sign-up in the lobby designating the number coming
- make checks payable to the church
- deadline for sign-up is May 31
- direct questions to Jen Beck at 330-904-0980 or at jbeck@wadsworthumc.com

Small Groups

Hiking Group continues today at 2:00 p.m.

May 24: Rivendell Nature Preserve, Seville

May 31: Oenslager Nature Center, Wadsworth

June 7: Hubbard Valley Park, Seville

June 14: William Robertson Nature Preserve, Rittman

June 21: No hike

June 28: Chippewa Rail Trail, Medina

Meet at trailheads prior to 2:00pm. Leader: Anne Anderson

Senior Connection – June 3 – 1:00-3:00 p.m. in fellowship hall. Our speaker will be Teresa Berrey, Director of Marian's Closet. Come and find out about the impact that Marian's Closet is having on our community. Leader: Hazel Hyde

Parent Meet-up – June 9 - 6:00 p.m. in room 205. This group will read Immerse Messiah over the next eight months. Please see Jennifer Satink if interested.

Children and Youth

Christian Youth Fellowship (CYF) camp is June 28 – July 3 at Malone University for students entering 9th grade in the fall thru age 20.

CYF (Christian Youth Fellowship) is one great week featuring worship, prayer, faith study and fun activities, where the aim is to build authentic Christian community. Thanks to the generosity of our congregation, the reduced cost is \$150 per student. To register, go <https://eastohiocamps.campbrainregistration.com/> Click on Senior High CYF, sign your child up and pay the \$40 deposit. The remaining balance can be paid two weeks prior to camp. Email tim@wadsworthumc.com and/or visit mycyf.com for more information.

Caring and Thanks

Altar flowers are dedicated to the glory of God and given by Carolyn and Bill Krochta in loving memory of their family.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Barbara Goshia who passed away on May 10, 2026. Please visit the website of Auble-Hilliard-Rospert Funeral Home for details.

Congratulations to Linda and Meru Maharaj on their baptisms today.

Missions

Give NEW LIFE to Used School Supplies

Around the world, many children do not have access to basic school supplies. In Honduras, students are often grateful to have a single notebook or pencil. We can help! Our Green Team is partnering with Midwest Mission to collect gently used school supplies to give them a second life helping students in Honduras learn. Please see the flyer on the offering table for accepted items. Collection boxes will be available in the upper and lower lobbies through May 31.

Peace with Justice Special Sunday Offering May 31 - These funds will be used to support programs and ministries that advocate for peace and social justice, both locally and internationally. Send your donation to the church office marked "Peace" on the memo line.

Mission Giving Team – As a result of your generous giving in April, we were able to make donations to several non-profit organizations. Please see the insert for a detailed list of those we assisted. With grateful appreciation, Your Mission Giving Team

What's Happening This Week

Sunday, May 24

8:30, 9:30 & 11:00am Worship Services
 9:30am Adult Sunday Schools, 109, 209 / 10:45am Sunday School, 109
 9:30 & 11:00am Nursery & Children's Sunday School, 102-106
 02:00pm Hike, Rivendell Nature Preserve, Seville
 02:00pm WHS Commencement
 06:00pm Women's AA Meeting, CH

Monday May 25 – Memorial Day Office closed

Tuesday May 26
 09:30am Quilting Group, 109
 10:00am Prayer Team, LIB
 10:30am Homeschool Planning Mtg., CH
 10:30am Homeschool, 203
 12:00pm Funeral Luncheon, FH, KIT

Wednesday May 27
 07:15am Men's Study Grp, offsite
 07:00pm Chancel Choir, SANCT
 07:00pm AA Meeting, CH

Saturday May 30
 06:00pm AA Meeting, CH

Sunday May 31
 08:30, 09:30, 11 am, Worship
 02:00pm Hike, Oenslager Nature Center
 06:00pm Women's AA Meeting, CH

CH= Carriage House
 FH = Fellowship Hall
 LIB = Library
 OR = Orange Room
 SANCT = Sanctuary
 VR = Various Rooms

Our Vision
my people. my place. my joy.



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