

WUMC **Kamspiration**

We are Collecting Socks for Potter's House and the Lord's Place, Please see baskets in the Sanctuary and Office.

***Sunday, 8/9, Blessing of the Backpacks
and Lunch Bunch at Novroskys***

**Back to School Youth Lock In Friday 8/21,
let us know if you'd like to help, or if you
have a youth that would like to attend.**

**August Mobile Market, Sat. 8/22,
set up 8am, shop 10am-12pm**

8/24 Finance Meeting 4pm

***8/27 Book Club, The Wedding Veil, Kristy
Woodson Harvey, 1205 Garden Dr.***

PRAYER *Request*

Kim Ardoin
Nancy Bougeois
Renee Bouzigard
Marion Bowman
Alee Breaux
Tony Breaux
Candice Brumfield
Beth Brungaard
Morria Boyington
Rhonda Dartez
Randall Dinger
Rob Ellender
Alvis Fontenot
Deborah Gauthreaux

Jim Gibson
Wilda Gintz
LaKisha Hayes
Shirley Hoben
Lou Ingels
Pam Lectingberg
Sandy, Richard Morgan
Hunter Robinson
Becky Rollins
Donald Schatz
Stacy Trahan
Josh Turnage
Jonathan Williams
Barry Zerangue



WORDS OF MEDITATION

“Vision is the art of seeing
things invisible.”

— **Jonathan Swift**



PRACTICE

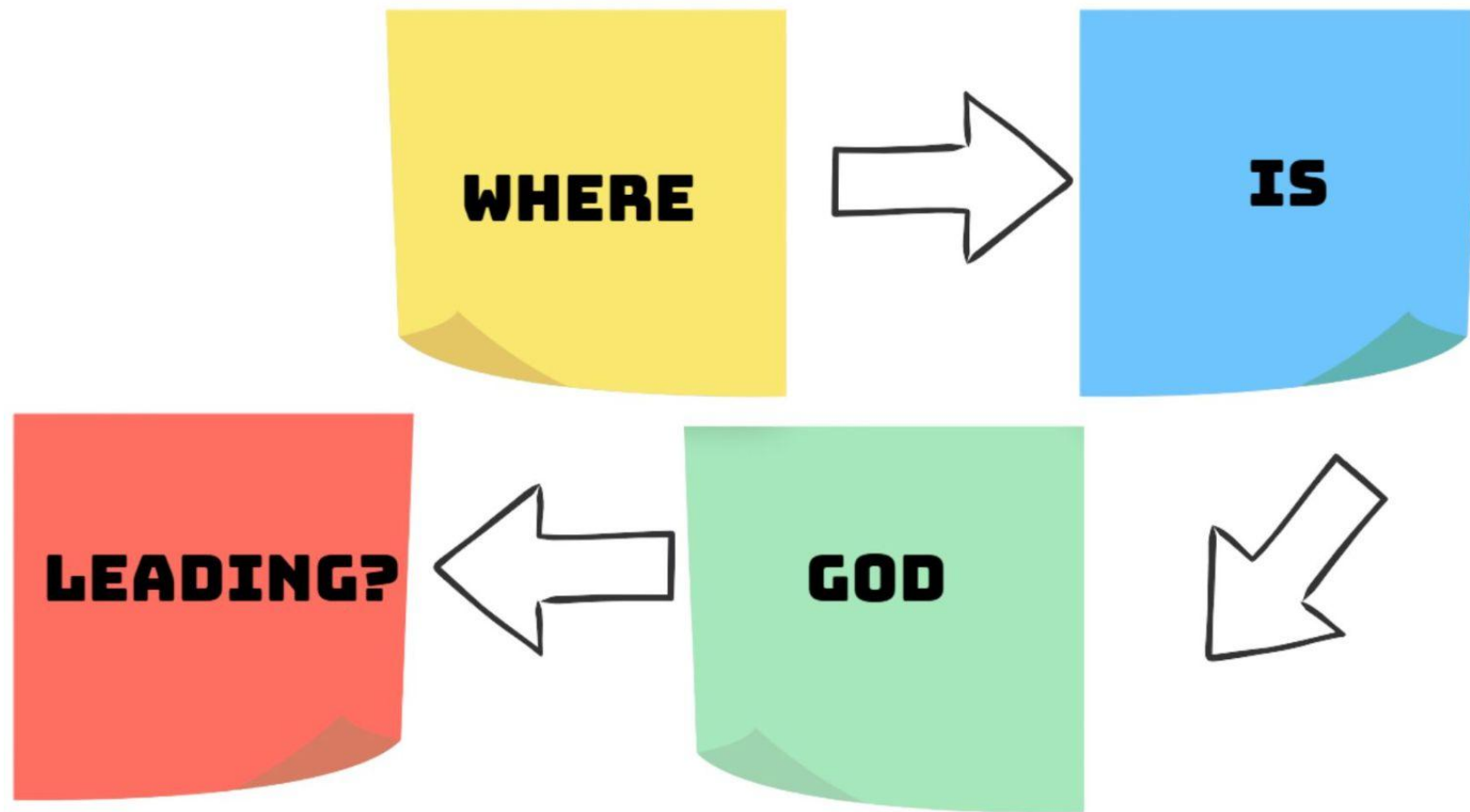
Plant a seed in the materials provided at church on Sunday. Over the next several weeks, care for that plant. Watch how care and attention to this seed will impact you. Pray how you can be changed like the seed.

REFLECTION **Jeremiah 29:1-14; Habakkuk 2:1-5**

Jeremiah speaks to people living in exile who struggled to imagine a future beyond their present reality. Yet God invites them to build, plant, and live with confidence that their story is not over. Habakkuk reminds us that God's purposes often unfold over time, calling us to remain faithful even when we cannot yet see what lies ahead. While God continually invites us toward a future filled with purpose, God does not force our response. We are given the freedom to choose whether we will trust, listen, and take the next faithful step. As we respond to God's invitation, each act of faith becomes part of the unfolding work God is doing in and through us, revealing possibilities that once seemed beyond our reach.

DISCUSSION

1. What fears or doubts can keep us from taking the next faithful step God is inviting us to take?
2. How do you discern the difference between waiting faithfully and avoiding the next step God is calling you to take?
3. How can our church encourage one another to trust God's leading and actively participate in the future God is unfolding?
4. After reflecting on these passages, what is one faithful step we can take over the coming weeks and months to help move our church toward the future God is inviting us into?



**A SERMON SERIES
DURING
AUGUST**



**Methodist Women in the
Holiness Movement Study**

Wednesday 8.5.26 | 10 AM | Classroom A

FALL 2026 YOUTH

8/21

YOUTH LOCK-IN

9/6

S'MORE THAN A MISSION

10/18

PUMPKIN CARVING

11/1

PROGRESSIVE DINNER

11/13-15

COMMON GROUND RETREAT

12/13

CHRISTMAS PARTY

CLASSROOM ANNOUNCEMENT

Blessing of the Backpacks!!

This Sunday, August 9th

@10am

Bring your backpack, lunch
bag, or school tote!



LUNCH BUNCH 8/9

at Novrozsky's in Sulphur



Thursday, 8/20 Life Line Screening in the Pomeroy Center 8am-5pm Call the number below for appointments.

Special screening package for \$129 for our members includes:

- Carotid Artery Disease Screening
- Atrial Fibrillation Screening
- Peripheral Artery Disease Screening
- Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening

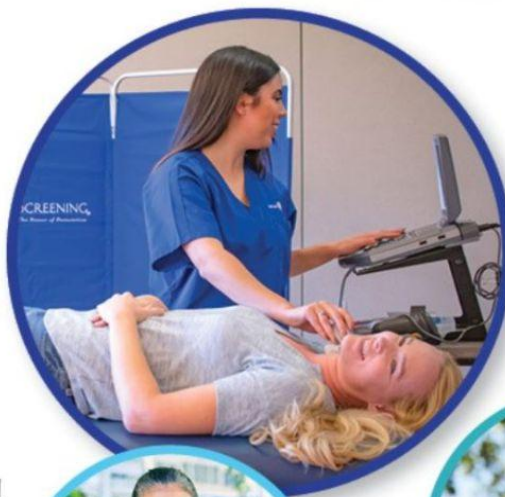
Call to schedule an appointment
near you! **800-324-9458**
and use code: **HABC001**



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SAVE THE DATE

Back to School

Lock In

August 21st

6PM - 8AM

**704 Johnson Street
Westlake, LA 70669**





MAKIN' GROCERIES

MOBILE MARKET

FRESH FOOD. FAIR PRICES. STRONGER COMMUNITIES. 

Makin' Groceries Mobile Market brings fresh, affordable groceries directly to your neighborhood! Our mission is simple: to increase access to healthy food and support the well-being of our communities.

Everyone is welcome!

 We believe good food should be accessible to all. 



FRESH PRODUCE

Quality fruits and vegetables



FAIR PRICES

Affordable options for every family



STRONGER COMMUNITIES

Working together for a healthier tomorrow



August 22, 2026



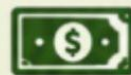
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM



Westlake United Methodist

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La 70669

WE ACCEPT



CASH



CREDIT/
DEBIT



SNAP/EBT

Multiple payment options
to make fresh food
accessible for everyone! 

Save the Date!

Tell your friends, family, and neighbors.
We look forward to seeing you there!  



SIGN UP FOR TEXT ALERTS!

Get market reminders,
schedule updates,
weather alerts, and
special promotions
sent straight to
your phone!



SCAN TO SIGN UP!

For more information, visit no-hunger.org/mobilemarket



 GOOD FOOD. GOOD PEOPLE. STRONGER TOGETHER. 



Hosted at the Wesley Center on **November 13th to 15th from starting at 6:30pm Friday**, this gathering is designed for all youth (6th grade through 12th grade) across the Louisiana Conference, offering a space for spiritual growth, connection, and meaningful conversation with youth around the Conference.

This retreat will have space for worship, small groups, fun and fellowship! Please join us! Cost is \$50 per person (youth and adults).

If you are interested, get with Rev. Lauren, or Crystal for the link to register.

**WATCH US ON FACEBOOK,
10 AM LIVE, OR CATCH UP
ANYTIME!**



**CLICK THE LINK BELOW FOR
THE MOST RECENT SERVICE.**

Enjoy Rev. Lauren's Sermon, Here's the link!

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