



WUMC Ramspiration

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

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*

Sue Anderson
Carol Andre
Kim Ardoin
Nancy Bougeois
Renee Bouzigard
Marion Bowman
Alee Breaux
Tony Breaux
Candice Brumfield
Beth Brungaurd
Morria Boyington
Jason Cable
Rhonda Dartez
David D'Antoni
Rob Ellender
Alvis Fontenot

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

The Family of
Ron Breaux, Mr. Ledet, May Gray
and Juanita Arabie



WORDS OF MEDITATION

“Yesterday is but a dream,
Tomorrow is only a vision.

But today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness,
and every tomorrow a vision of hope.”

— Kālidāsa, *The Complete Works of Kalidasa*, Vol. 1: Poems



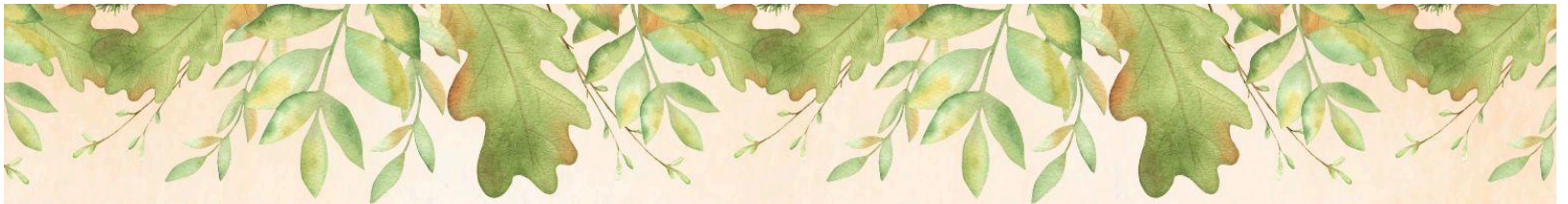
PRACTICE

Pray over the descriptions of Westlake United Methodist Church from various members of the congregation. While praying, ask God to lay on your heart where our church needs to grow and change.

REFLECTION Ezekial 12:21 - 13:2, Habakkuk 2:1-5
Ezekiel and Habakkuk both remind us that God does not leave us without direction, even when the path ahead is unclear. Sometimes we may become discouraged when we cannot yet see how God's promises will unfold, but God invites us to remain attentive and faithful. Habakkuk takes a posture of waiting and watching, trusting that a word will come at the right time. Ezekiel challenges us to distinguish between what is truly from God and what is simply the product of our own assumptions or desires. Together, these passages remind us that moving forward faithfully requires both patience and discernment. God prepares us to look beyond where we are now and to imagine what could be possible when we listen for God's guidance. As we seek God's direction, we are invited to trust the process and take the next faithful step when the way becomes clear.

DISCUSSION

1. What was the most exciting thing you heard in worship last week about why people love their church?
2. What does it mean to you to "wait and watch" for God's direction rather than immediately trying to create our own path?
3. What might God be inviting us to notice that we have overlooked because we are focused on where we think we should be going?



***WUMC would like to thank the following for
making back-to-school so special for one of our
food pantry families. These kids will have a
great first day because of your kindness.***

Rev. Lauren
Jo Parker
Lou Ingels
Paula Hudson
Sandra Schatz
Sheree Broussard
Cathy Hicks
Rhonda Sullivan
Shelly McCloud

Amore Heck
Bonnie Thornton
Linda McCloud
Alice Fanta
Bert Giffin
Sharon Barnhill
Thomas Parker
Jeff Hickson
Ashlyn Armentor



August Birthdays

PATTI CHARLES 8/2

DWAIN SCHATZ 8/5

BECKY ROLLINS 8/22

ALEE BREAX 8/25

DALE LUTTRELL 8/27

TROY FISHER 8/28

TRACY CLARK 8/30

Blessed



2026-2027
Teachers and Students

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

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

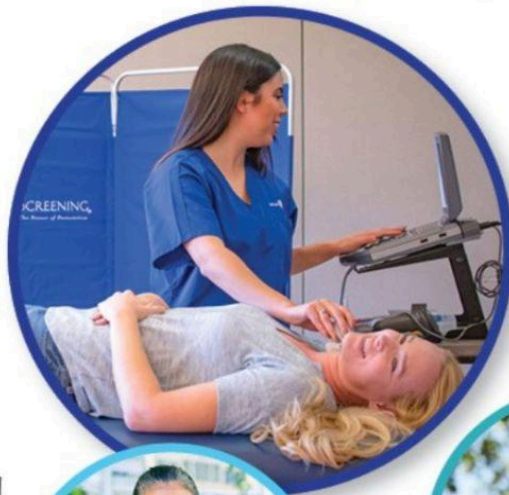
Call to schedule an appointment
near you! **800-324-9458**
and use code: **HABC001**



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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

704 Johnson Street, Westlake,
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. 

Truck Day with Westlake UMC & CPSO



Don't miss out!
Truck Day, 2nd
Tuesday, every
month.



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!

<https://www.facebook.com/westlakelaumc>