



# Vision Leak

Hello church,

As of my writing we are 5 days from knowing if I will continue to be your Pastor or not. This entire experience has been very difficult. Which got me thinking; what's the most important thing I could say if this is my last letter to you?

"...with all your heart." From the moment I stepped into this church I have been passionately trying to communicate the importance of giving Jesus your whole heart. I want nothing more than for each of you to grow in your faith in Christ, to mature in your faith in Christ, and to passionately share your faith in Christ with each other and the world around you. All of these things can seem incredibly challenging if our motives are not properly aligned.

The love of God is the ultimate motivation. When you love God with all your heart, then your entire life changes. How you relate to others and to the world around you becomes a playground of opportunity to share the love of God that you are constantly receiving.

I want you to love the Lord your God with all your heart. When that happens...watch out Waynesboro! Romans 8:37–39 "No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord."

with love,  
Pastor Herb

# Member's Moments



## May Birthdays

We love celebrating birthdays at our church! Each one is a chance to thank God for another year of life and to let our church family know how much they mean to us. Birthdays are a simple but special reminder that every person here is a blessing, and we enjoy celebrating together with joy and gratitude. Please help us recognize all our special **May** birthdays!

<b>Bob McCracken</b>	<b>5th</b>
<b>Sarah Hall</b>	<b>19th</b>
<b>Bev Hite</b>	<b>22nd</b>
<b>Margaret Gurkin</b>	<b>31st</b>

**Please submit birthdays on a  
connection card or email to  
[office@westwaynesboro.com](mailto:office@westwaynesboro.com).**





Whether you are just deciding to follow Christ or have been following Christ for years, if you have never been baptized, baptism is for you! If you would like to take this next step, come forward during the invitation at the end of the service, email [office@westwaynesboro.com](mailto:office@westwaynesboro.com), call the church office or indicate your desire on your connection card.

### Stay Connected!

Sermons, updates, newsletters and more can be found on [westwaynesboro.com](http://westwaynesboro.com)



### Have A Prayer Request?

As a church, we would love to join with you in lifting up your request or concern to our Great God! If you have a prayer request, you can call or email the office, or let us know on the back of your Connection Card. Note: If you would like it shared with the church, please check the box, "I would like this prayer request printed on the weekly prayer list."



### Ladies Bible Study

Thursdays at 10:30 AM- 12:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

**\*All Ladies invited!**



### Helping Hands Food Pantry

Our food pantry is open every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday from 9:30-11:30 AM. Donations can be placed in the bin, located by the restrooms.

**May need is mustard, mayonnaise, ketchup.**



### Caring Connections

**Will meet on Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00 PM @ Dani's Pizza.**

Questions? Contact Judy Forehand @ 540-241-0839.



We need some volunteers to sign up for ushers & communion preparation for 2026.

\*Please sign up at the Mickey Center.



### Prayer Meeting

**Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>**  
@ 10:30 AM & 5:30 PM



### Missions Team Meeting

**Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>**  
@ 7:00 PM



### Prayer Breakfast

**Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>**

Men will meet @ **Church** @ 8:00 AM.  
Ladies will meet @ Panera @ 9:00 AM.



### Faith Promise Mission Commitments

Thank you to everyone who made a Faith Promise Missions Commitment for 2026. Total committed is \$25,140.00!

### ONLINE & MOBILE GIVING AVAILABLE

We offer Gyve as an online or mobile giving option. You can give online through our website or by downloading the free Gyve App.

To download the App:

- Download Gyve from Google Play, the iTunes Store or scan the QR code.



## Serving in May:

**PREPARING COMMUNION**  
Bev Hite & Christy Hostetter

**USHERS**  
Jeff Gurkin

**GREETERS**  
Mary Moyer & Diana Kincaid

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**  
1st Sunday - Tina Critzer & Rodney Yankey

2nd Sunday - Tracy Dunlap  
3rd Sunday - Jessica Cruz  
4th Sunday - Kelly Gurkin  
5th Sunday-

**NURSERY**  
1st Sunday- Christy Hostetter  
2nd Sunday-Kaitlynn Garasimowicz  
3rd Sunday- Bev Hite  
4th Sunday- Christy Hostetter  
5th Sunday- Kaitlynn Garasimowicz

**COMMUNION SERVERS**  
Team 1: Mike Harlow, Joel Pugh

# May 2026

Sunday School 9:15 AM  
Worship 10:30 AM  
Office Hours  
Monday - Thursday 9-3 & Friday 9-12

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3 9:15 AM Spring Class 10:30 AM Worship 4:00 PM Congregational Meeting  	4	5 6:30 PM Deacon Team Meeting 	6 3:00 PM Elders Team Meeting 	7 10:30 AM Ladies Bible Study 6:30 PM Grief share Class  	8	9 8:00 AM Men's Prayer Breakfast 9:00 AM Ladies Prayer Breakfast 
10 9:15 AM Spring Class 10:30 AM Worship  	11 9:30 AM Food Pantry 	12	13 1:00 PM Caring Connections @ Dan's Pizza 	14 10:30 AM Ladies Bible Study 6:30 PM Grief share Class  	15	16
17 9:15 AM Spring Class 10:30 AM Worship 	18	19	20 10:30 AM Prayer Meetings 5:30 PM Prayer Meeting 	21 10:30 AM Ladies Bible Study 6:30 PM Grief share Class  	22	23
24 9:15 AM Spring Class 10:30 AM Worship 	25 Office Closed - Memorial Day 9:30 AM Food Pantry  	26 7:00 PM Missions Team Meeting 	27	28 10:30 AM Ladies Bible Study 6:30 PM Grief share Class  	29	30
31 9:15 AM Sunday School Small Groups 10:30 AM Worship						

## Newsletter Preferences

This newsletter can be picked up at the Mickey Center in the church lobby, viewed on the church website or received by email. To receive by email, contact the church office or indicate your desire on your Connection Card.