

Winter Weather Reminders

Winter has arrived and with it comes winter weather. We have a beautiful campus at Northwest, but the hill often gets quite dangerous in the snow and ice. With that in mind, we want to remind you how we will communicate any closures due to winter weather.



Worship and other large events:

In the event we need to cancel worship, that information will be communicated on Facebook, Instagram, email, the One Call Now phone service, and a notification through the Church Center App. Large events will utilize all of these except the One Call Now phone call.

Weekday closures:

The church building will be closed for the entire day if Upper Arlington, Hilliard, and/or Dublin schools are closed. This includes the office and all day and evening activities. A weekday closure will be communicated via email and social media. Staff will be available via email; the general church email address is info@nwumc.com. During office hours, you can reach some staff members via phone at 614-451-2825.

In the event that the snow happens later in the day, a decision will be made and communicated directly to the groups impacted.

If you have questions about whether the building is open, we recommend calling (614-451-2825) and confirming prior to coming to the building. In all cases, we ask that you prioritize your safety and stay home when the weather calls for it.

Communications

There are a number of methods of communication listed above. Here is how you sign up for each form of communication:

- Email: visit nwumc.com/connect and scroll to the bottom of the page for the email signup form. You will receive 2 emails each week (Northwest Happenings and Sunday Worship information), as well as time-sensitive announcements like building closures.
- One Call Now: Contact the church office (info@nwumc.com or 614-451-2825) to be added to the One Call Now list. In addition to time-sensitive announcements, we send a weekly phone call on Saturday mornings.
- Social Media: Our Facebook page can be found at facebook.com/nwumc and our Instagram handle is [@nwumccolumbus](https://www.instagram.com/nwumccolumbus).
- Church Center: We use the Church Center App to stay connected. Find the app in your phone's app store, then find our church to get started. You can also access Church Center on a computer at nwumc.churchcenter.com.

Questions?

The website is always open at nwumc.com, or you can contact us at info@nwumc.com or 614-451-2825.