

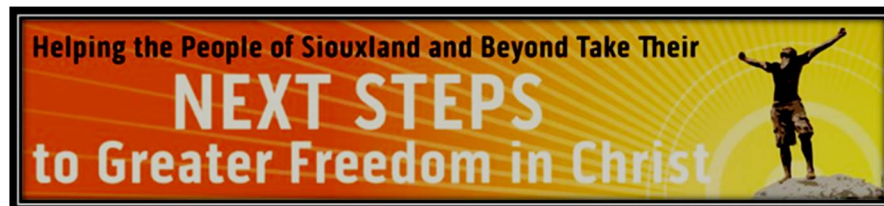


Wesley Global Methodist Church
3700 Indian Hills Drive
Sioux City, Iowa 51104

Address Service Requested

Wesley Wings

February 2024



Welcome to
Wesley Global Methodist Church

9:00 AM Traditional Service
10:00 AM Fellowship time
11:00 AM Inspiration Service

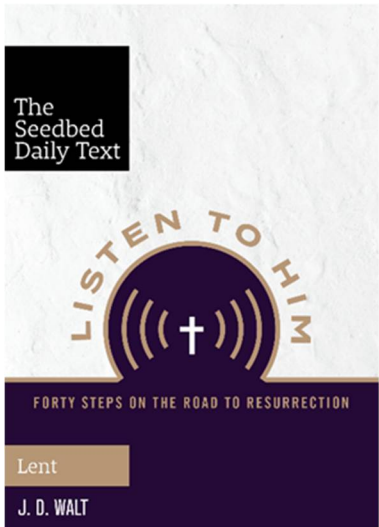
Communion is served on the first
Sunday of every month.



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“The season of Lent is an ancient practice of the church, traditionally engaged to prepare men and women for baptism on the day of Easter. The word comes from an old English word, lencten, which means, “spring,” and connects with the notion of lengthening days. One of the key practices of Lent is fasting. Sundays, however, are always feast days. Properly speaking, the six Sundays of Lent are not counted in the forty days. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and continues through Holy Saturday. Ash Wednesday is a preparatory rite of passage, a solemn occasion for repentance and faith; it is ideal for focusing attention and clarifying intention.” – From, “Listen to Him” by J.D. Walt



The quote above is from a 40-day Lenten devotional that we have available now in the entry way to our worship space at Wesley. It’s FREE and the daily readings are deeply nourishing yet simple and short enough to savor one bite at a time, to sustain each step at a time, for our 40-day weekday journey (plus Sunday “Feast Day” readings). The readings begin on Fat Tuesday, February 13 and will end on Easter Sunday, March 31. Please consider joining one of our Lenten small groups, Sundays at 10am or Wednesday nights at 6:30pm as we reflect together on what it means to “Listen to Him”.

Yes, it’s that time of year ALREADY! The question is, are we ready to attune our ears to His voice as we refocus on death to life realities - meditating on the cross of Christ with a spring-time anticipation of Easter Hope? I hope so, and I trust so, that God has already begun speaking now into your current circumstances. Listen to Him!

Begin your journey of Lenten anticipated hope by joining us for a special **Ash Wednesday Service: “In the Garden” on February 14, 6:30pm.** We will meditate on the words of the famous hymn that sings: “I’d stay in the garden with Him...Though the night around me be falling... But He bids me go; through the voice of woe... His voice to me is calling.” We will receive the “Imposition of Ashes” as we prepare our hearts and heads to hear that voice that penetrates the darkness of winter and springs with eternal hope in the Garden of His Resurrection.

Blessings,

Pastor Todd

February Worship Schedule



Ways to Worship at Wesley:

Join us on Sundays:

9:00 AM Traditional Service
10:00 AM Fellowship time
11:00 AM Inspiration Service

You may join us live on our Facebook page on Sundays at 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM.

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"I tell you,
there is
rejoicing in
the presence
of the angels of
God over one
sinner who
repents."

Luke 15:10



A Lenten sermon series, based on the mountain top affirmation of Jesus, when He was transfigured before a few of his disciples and the heavenly voice of God the Father spoke clearly concerning the identity of God the Son when he thundered, "This is my Son, my Chosen One, listen to Him!" (Luke 9:35). Join us each Sunday of Lent as we journey to the cross, meditating on Luke 9 – 24. May our collective hearts, minds, and spirits be attuned to the voice of Him who speaks to the core of our souls in anticipation of life to the full in confirmed faith – from the redemptive work of Christ on the cross to the joy embraced in communion with the Risen Savior in celebration of the empty tomb.

February 18	When You Are Beyond Words	Luke 9:18-36
February 25	When You Struggle to Pray	Luke 11:1-13
March 3	When You Need a Good Story	Luke 15
March 10	When Questioning Your Values	Luke 16
March 17	When Discerning Direction	Luke 18 – 19:10
March 24	When Facing Life and Death Issues	Luke 19:28-48
March 31	When Struggling for Hope	Luke 24

God and my Girlfriends
FEBRUARY 18TH AT 1:30.

We will be making fleece blankets.
They will be going to the Rosencrance women
and children's program.



SAVE THE DATE!

**March 10
4:30pm**

**ALL-CHURCH
BUNCO**



42,035.00 has been donated so far on our disaffiliation costs.

Thank you to everyone who has donated so far.

Please consider a special gift for Wesley's expenses related to the disaffiliation.

Our Life Together

Prayers and Concerns:

Prayers for Healing

- Pray for Lori Betsworth as she undergoes cancer treatments.
- Pray for Bonnie Porsch who is in the hospital recovering from a fall. She soon will be going to Holy Spirit for skilled care as she recovers.
- Pray for Pam Wurster who has been diagnosed with breast cancer, but thankfully it was caught very early. She will have surgery on March 13.
- Pray for Nancy Bishop who is recovering from back surgery and is experiencing
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- Pray for Don Byerly who has an upcoming appointment in Omaha.
- Pray for Joe Bauerly as anticipates back surgery on Monday, February 5 in Omaha.

Prayers in Deaths

- Pray for Pat Northon and the family as they mourn the loss of Fran who passed away on Wednesday, January 24. Services will take place sometime in the spring.
- Pray for Mary Campbell and family as they mourn the loss of Mary's cousin, Janice Meeks, who passed away on Thursday, January 25.
- Pray for all who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

Continuing Prayers

- Pray for Stephanie Hokanson as she continues to deal with health problems.
- Pray for Marie Clegg who is dealing with ongoing health problems.
- Pray for Steve Sharp who has been diagnosed with lung cancer. He will have surgery soon.
- Pray for Tom Calhoun, brother-in-law of Bonnie Porsch, who is battling cancer.
- Pray for Dan Mace, son of Caroline Mace as his four year battle with cancer continues.

Joy
John Eppolito has recovered and is back home.



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* **Items for the Bulletins need to be in by Wednesday morning of** *
* **each week.** *
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New Church Directory

During December, we started taking photographs for a new church directory. Unlike past years, when a professional photography service was used to take and sell photo packages, we are taking the pictures and preparing the pages ourselves for printing by a local service. Not only does this expedite the process, but also cuts down on the cost.

If you have not had your picture taken yet, please call the church office to make an appointment with one of the volunteers. If you have a recent photo you would like to use, please send it to the church office at wesleysiouxcity @gmail.com. Please list all family members, so that we have the correct spelling of all names.

We do not have pictures from the last directory, so new ones will need to be taken or submitted. Sorry for the inconvenience

Special Prayer Requests

- Pray for our country that God may be brought to the center.
- Pray for members of the military.
- Pray for our pastor, our church, and our denomination.










Souper Bowl 2024

Looking for something to warm you up all while helping a local organization? Come out to TLC’s Souper Bowl on Sunday, Feb 11 at 12-1:30 pm for delicious soups, bread and desserts!

Free will donations will go to the local Sleep in Heavenly Peace Chapter, and organization that provides beds to children and families in need.

Want some soup to enjoy during the big game? Take your soup to go!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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