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### Psalm 23, for Prayer Walking

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.  
He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters;  
he restores my soul. He leads me in right paths for his name's sake.  
Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I fear no evil;  
for you are with me; your rod and your staff—they comfort me.  
You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;  
you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me  
all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord  
my whole life long.



Prayer Walking



# Wesley Park United Methodist Church

4th Sunday after Pentecost



June 17,  
2018

## IMPACT Worship & Service

Prayer walking is praying on site with insight. Walk. Pray.  
Pay attention to God. Pray the Psalms.  
Share with others your prayer experiences.  
Grab a name tag and a cup of coffee  
and let's make a difference in the world!  
You are welcome here!

### Scripture Focus for the Day

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going."



### IMPACT Project Focus

Our focus for June is Prayer Walking. We will learn to move while we pray, and pay attention to the God we experience all around us.

### Kids on a Mission

Kids are welcome to stay in worship. A kid-friendly space is provided in the Family Life Center. We also have a staffed nursery.

Kids on a Mission is an age-appropriate space where kids get involved in making a difference in the lives of others. Any who want to be a part of Kids on a Mission can work on the project of the day following the Children's Blessing.

### Service Order for June 17, 2018

- ❖ Gathering and Welcome
- ⊗ *Good, Good Father*
- ⊗ *This Is My Father's World*
- ❖ Children's Blessing
- ❖ Extravagant Generosity
  - ◆ Prayer
- ⊗ *Sons and Daughters*
- ❖ Scripture (John 14), Message
- ❖ Engaging the Gospel
  - ◆ Prayer walk the Family Promise space
- ⊗ *He Didn't Have to Be*
- ❖ Blessing
- ⊗ *Go In Peace*

### Prayer Walking for Father's Day

1. Where can you go to remind you of your father figure?
2. What can you carry with you (photo, keepsake) to help connect you with your father figure?
3. How can you prepare to walk in prayer and reflect on your father figure (scripture, journaling, breathing)?
4. Who will you contact to pray for you while you are on your prayer walk, and to reflect with you afterwards?
5. When will you begin?

### Go In Peace, Song of Blessing

Go in peace, go in kindness, go in love, go in faith.  
Leave the day, the day behind us, Day is done, go in grace.  
Let us go into the dark not afraid, not alone.  
Let us hope by some good pleasure safely to arrive at home.  
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### Next Week:

June 24 will be an opportunity to practice prayer walking in our neighborhood. Wear something comfortable. Weather permitting we will take a walk and then reflect together on the ways we experienced God in our prayers.

### Extravagant Generosity

- Giving is an opportunity, not an obligation.
- Place your Communication Card and any offering in the offering plate during the service.
- Easy online giving: <http://www.easytithes.com/wesleypark>
- Or Text to Give: 616-213-0707