



Wesley Park Weekly

August 12, 2018

Date	Event	Birthdays	Anniversaries
Monday, August 13	Finance, 7 PM	Annabelle Fischer Landon Terry Brad Hepp	
Tuesday, August 14	Congregational Care, 2:30 PM SPRC, 6:30 PM	Marsha Soest	Earl & Sally Morrow
Wednesday, August 15	Womens Prayer Group 10:00 AM Square Dancing 6:30 PM		Tim & Tabi Fischer
Thursday, August 16	Praise Team! 5:00 PM	Tena Podein	
Friday, August 17	Family Camp	Jessica Schick	Jerry & Pamela Hoag Artie & Kristie Howland
Saturday, August 18		Collin Chambers	
Sunday, August 19	Foundations Service, 9:15 AM Youth Group, 9:30 AM Fellowship, 10:30 AM IMPACT, 11 AM	Tom Young Aubrianna Gast	

Memorial Garden Bricks

Purchase and dedicate a Memorial Garden brick for someone. Suggested cost is \$50. Applications for Paver Stone Engraving are at the Welcome Desk.

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Pastor's Page

May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. May the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace, both now and forevermore.
Numbers 6:24-26

- ☼ On Tuesday, August 7 I had the opportunity to offer blessings to the children who brought their bikes to the Wyoming Take Back the Night event at Oriole Park. It was a good time in the rain to also remember our baptisms.
- ☼ Today at Wesley Park we have the opportunity to bless Anna Spencer, who is beginning a new chapter in her life as a teacher at Godfrey Lee Elementary School.
- ☼ Thursday, August 23 all of us will be included in the Blessing of the Cars. Classic Cars will begin the weekend Metro Cruise in our parking lot from 5 to 7 pm.
- ☼ The Blessing of the Backpacks will be Sunday, August 26. All students are invited to bring their backpacks to worship at the 11 am IMPACT Worship & Service to be blessed, and all teachers and school support persons will be blessed.
- ☼ Remember to bring Diapers for the Food Truck. The diapers will be blessed on the first Sunday of the month, September 2. The time of blessing while serving at the Food Truck is Thursday, September 6 from 5 to 7 pm.
- ☼ New members and baptisms will hold additional opportunities for blessing, on September 16 and October 21.
- ☼ The next Family Promise week of blessing will be September 23-30.
- ☼ The Blessing of the Animals will be Sunday, September 30 at the conclusion of our Season of Creation series.

Be blessed, and be a blessing, every day!

Randee R. H. H.

The Prayers of Our Hearts

Jim Gustafson - Prayers of healing for Joanne from her second surgery on her left knee. Her right knee is also very painful.

Nancy Carpenter - Thank you to everyone who came to support Marlow in "The Music Man". It really means so much to all of us.

Barb DeCan - So thankful for a wonderful church family and your continued support.

Bill & Vicky VanDalsen - Evie is doing well in Cincinnati. Next surgery is scheduled for August 10. Evie's family is with her until she can come home on August 28th.

Thank you so much for all your prayers and support.

Kathy DenHollander - Today is my brother's birthday. My sister, Iris, comes to visit for a week. What a fabulous day! Please pray for members of the dance group. Some of them have health issues.

Terry & Pat Essex - Prayers for the Ward family during the loss and funeral for Beverly.

Gary Hodges - Thank you for the prayers. MRI for Deb was ok. Prayers answered!

Michael Crankson - Prayers for Diane Crankson.

Senior Saints

Senior Saints will be having their monthly luncheon on August 21st. This month will be a potluck and they will be showing the movie "I Can Only Imagine". Mark your communication cards with "Senior Saints" if you plan on attending.

Blessing of the Cars

We have the blessing of the cars for the 28th Street Metro Cruise coming up on August 23rd from 5 pm to 7 pm in our parking lot. Please contact the office (616-988-6738, tabi@wesleypark.org) if you would like some more information on how you can get involved.

Blue Bags Ministry Share Offering

100% Ministry Shares Challenge

Received To Date:

\$17,782

(32 Weeks Completed)

Remaining Balance Needed:

\$33,554

(20 Weeks Remaining)

Offered last week: **\$998**

School Supplies

The Wesley Park United Methodist Women is collecting school supplies again this year for Oriole Park. You can drop all school supplies off to the church office during office hours or on Sunday at the information desk. The following is what they are in need of:

- Disinfectant wipes *
- Facial tissues*
- Giant size glue sticks (Elmers)
- Pencil boxes
- Square sticky notes
- Staplers
- Whiteboard cleaner
- Whiteboard markers (thin)

Baptism/Membership Class

Pastor Dean is forming a Baptism/Membership class. Please contact the office (616-988-6738, tabi@wesleypark.org) if you are interested in joining the class or have some questions about the class.

Diapers Needed

We are looking for donations of diapers (various sizes) to hand out at the food truck the first Thursday of the month. You can bring them to the IMPACT service the first Sunday of the month or drop them off to the church office anytime.