

# WESLEY WINDOW

APRIL 2, 2026

## WORSHIP SERVICES

APRIL 5, 2026  
EASTER SUNDAY

**Sunrise**  
6:30AM

Wesley Gardens  
Greg Hatfield

Scripture  
Matthew 28:1-10

**Traditional**  
8:30, 9:30 & 11:00AM

Sanctuary  
Greg Porterfield

Scripture  
John 20:1-18

**Modern**  
9:30 & 11:00AM  
Celebration Space  
Aaron Talbott

Scripture  
Matthew 28:1-10

Watch live at  
[www.wesleyumc.net](http://www.wesleyumc.net)

Livestream on  
YouTube & Facebook

Video will be available  
to view afterwards.



**WESLEY  
CHURCH**

## Easter at Wesley

ADAPTIVE SERVICE  
& EGG HUNT



## SPRING BREAK NOTES

OFFICE HOURS APRIL 6-10  
WILL BE 9AM-1PM.

THE WESLEY WINDOW WILL  
NOT BE PUBLISHED APRIL 9.

# Easter

SUNDAY

6:30AM  
Sunrise | Wesley Gardens

8:30AM | 9:30AM | 11:00AM  
Traditional | Sanctuary

9:30AM | 11:00AM  
Modern | Celebration Space



He Is Risen!

## IMPORTANT EASTER NOTES

**PARKING:** Easter is our most heavily attended service of the year. Please keep the following in mind as you come to church. Our mission is for everyone to safely enter and exit efficiently.

- Stay alert for parking attendants and follow their directions.
- We will have two golf cart shuttles in operation.
- Drop-off Zone is under the portico.
- PLEASE don't back into your spaces - it halts traffic on both sides.
- If you are volunteering or are otherwise part of the worship services, try to park in the first two rows.

**CHILDREN:** We will offer Nursery through Kindergarten programming as usual on the Kidz Hall. Worship bags will be available for elementary children, who are encouraged to attend worship services with their families.

**LENT CANS:** Remember to bring your Lent offering cans to worship on Sunday!

## OUR PRAYERS

Kara Alexander	Mike Fielder	Kelli Reville
Charlene Alexander	Archie Fisher	Charlie Rockwell
Lisa Arnold	Kimberly Floyd	Abby Roney
John Bradley	Susan Gilbert	Clinton Roth
Betty Tanner	Dot Gleason	Margaret Rutledge
Brady	Grady Hunter	Dennis Scheyer
Delaine Brown	Debra Inghram	Sandy Segrist
Diane Cawood	C. Eddy Ivey Jr.	George Shealy
Kimberly D. Cliett	Pat Jameson	Chuck Smith
Bonnie Devereaux	Anne Jeffers	Amber South
Jan Devereaux	Lily Jeffers	Heather South
Cindy Dick	Olivia King	Donnie Strong
Mary Linda Doxzen	Wanda Lee	Lessie Thomas
Gene Draisey	Angie Livingston	Catherine Usry
Taylor Dupree	Audrey McGuire	Ruth Ann Waller
Dolores Eckles	Glenda Metts	Bill Waples
Brian Ellefson	Aiden & Liam	Avery Wilkinson
Amy Eubanks	Moulton	Bonnie Wilson
Sue Faircloth	Carol Morse	Josephine Workosky
	Alicia Reeves	
	Dierdre Reeves	

## OUR DAILY BREAD

"As for me, God forbid that I should boast about anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ."  
- Galatians 6:14

**What glory is there in the cross? It was an instrument of torture and shame. Why did Paul glory in it? He gloried in it because the most selfless act ever performed by men or angels took place upon it. He saw - emanating from that rough, unartistic beam upon which the Son of God had been crucified - the radiant hope of the world, the end of the believer's bondage to sin, and the love of God shed abroad in the hearts of men. A lone man dying on a cross did more to restore our lost harmony with God, humankind and ourselves, than the combined genius and power of earth's might. With our finite limitations, we cannot fully comprehend the mystery of Christ's atonement. We only know that all who come to the cross in simple, trusting faith lose all their guilty stains and find peace with God .**

Like the Apostle Paul, Father, help me to glory in the cross of Jesus and more fully understand the tremendous meaning it has for me as a believer and for all who would come to its foot and kneel. Amen.

- billygraham.org

## SUMMER SCHEDULE

1-5 JUNE	RAINFOREST FALLS VBS PRE K4 - 5 <sup>TH</sup> 9:30AM-12:30PM
16-18 JUNE	DINO/SCIENCE CAMP PRE K4 - 5 <sup>TH</sup> 9:00AM-1:00PM
23-25 JUNE	ART/SUPERHERO CAMP PRE K4 - 5 <sup>TH</sup> 9:00AM-1:00PM
7-9 JULY	SUMMER TIME FUN CAMP PRE K4 - 5 <sup>TH</sup> 9:00AM-1:00PM
13-17 JULY	GROW DAY CAMP ELEMENTARY 9:00AM-5:30PM

  
**EARLY BIRD SPECIAL FOR 9-1 CAMPS**  
**MARCH 29-APRIL 4**  
EARLY = \$75  
REGULAR = \$90



[www.wesleyumc.net/summer](http://www.wesleyumc.net/summer)

## FOUNDATIONS

For new visitors & current members - explore the foundations of our faith & how to grow from there!

APRIL 19, APRIL 26, MAY 3  
9:30AM CONFERENCE ROOM

leslie@wesleyumc.net



## OUR PRESENCE - MARCH 29

8:30 Traditional	123	9:30 Modern	88
11:00 Traditional	446	11:00 Modern	120
Jr. Church	46	2:00 Adaptive	50
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>873</b>

## OUR GIFTS

• Operating:	\$	24,713
• Received Through This Week:	\$	548,502
• Budgeted Through This Week:	\$	640,630

## FLOWERS IN WORSHIP

The altar flowers April 5 are placed in loving memory of  
**Kay Gilliard**  
from Fred Gilliard,  
Kirk, Mitzi & Ellie Gilliard,  
Mimi G. Sorrells & Ben Sorrells

## GALATIANS 6:14

BUT GOD FORBID THAT I SHOULD  
BOAST EXCEPT IN THE CROSS  
OF OUR LORD JESUS  
CHRIST, BY WHOM THE WORLD  
HAS BEEN CRUCIFIED  
TO ME, AND I TO THE WORLD.



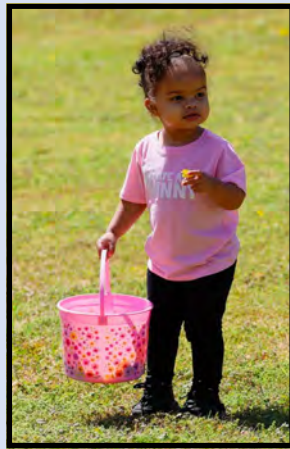
## COLUMBIA COUNTY CARES APRIL FOOD & SUPPLY COLLECTION

**SUGAR      DETERGENT**  
**DOG & CAT FOOD**

If you can donate any non-perishable foods and household staples, place them in the Mission Cart in the Biscuit Area.

# Easter at Wesley

## ADAPTIVE WORSHIP & EGG HUNTS



## The Bloom Room

Thursday, April 23, 6:30-8pm

Wesley Women's Ministry invites all ladies high-school age and up to join us for worship, an encouraging message, games and light refreshments.

RSVP by April 20



Bring a \$10-\$15 small, empty cosmetic bag - we'll be assembling "Bloom Bags" filled with self-care items to encourage women in our community.

Help us remind someone that she is seen, valued and cared for by purchasing an item from our Amazon gift list! These items will be used to fill our Bloom Bags.

### Give. Bless. BLOOM



Purchase directly from the list & have it delivered to 825 North Belair Road, Evans, GA 30809



THANKS FOR HELPING PLANT SEEDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT & KINDNESS!

Some photos courtesy of Hart Lane Photography

## COMING UP AT WESLEY

### SUNDAY, APRIL 5 EASTER SUNDAY

6:30a Sunrise Service  
8:30a Traditional Worship  
9:30a Traditional Worship  
9:30a Modern Worship  
11:00a Modern Worship  
11:00a Traditional Worship

### MONDAY, APRIL 6

1:00p Office Closes  
7:00p AA Meeting

### TUESDAY, APRIL 7

8:00a Men in Mission  
1:00p Office Closes

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8

1:00p Office Closes

### THURSDAY, APRIL 9

1:00p Office Closes  
2:00p Brandon Wilde  
Communion Service  
7:00p AA Meeting

### FRIDAY, APRIL 10

1:00p Office Closes

### SUNDAY, APRIL 12 THREE SERVICES ONLY

8:30a Traditional Worship  
9:30a Modern Worship  
11:00a Traditional Worship

### MONDAY, APRIL 13

7:00p AA Meeting  
7:00p Scout Troop 615

### TUESDAY, APRIL 14

8:00a Men in Mission  
11:30a Kidz Leaders  
Lunch Bunch  
5:00p Faith Care Clinic  
7:00p Scout Troop 1615

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15

10:00a Women's Bible Study  
6:00p Pastor's Bible Study  
6:00p Wesley Ringers  
7:00p Celebration Choir

### THURSDAY, APRIL 16

9:15a Moms Group  
12:00p Senior Adult Lunch  
7:00p AA Meeting

### SATURDAY, APRIL 18

8:30a Faith in Motion Run Club

# WESLEY YARD SALE

**\$43,900+**  
for missions!

Thanks to all who prayed, donated, volunteered or shopped the Spring Yard Sale! Y'all helped us set a record! Fall Yard Sale will be October 17, 2026!



## 3rd-12th Grade ACOLYTE TRAINING

Sunday, April 26  
12-12:30pm in the Sanctuary

Contact Summer Rhodes at  
sdbeckman@hotmail.com.

# FAITH In Motion



Run with us at Evans Towne Center  
Park on Saturdays at 8:30am.



Register Now!  
**Rainforest Falls  
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!**  
**JUNE 1-5**

[www.wesleyumc.net/wesley-kidz](http://www.wesleyumc.net/wesley-kidz)

### VBS Craft Supply Donations

Packing & masking tape	Foam board - DIY Insulation Kit - 14 in x 4 ft
Painter's tape (wide blue)	Great Stuff Expanding Foam Spray - cans
Plastic rectangle tablecloths - lime & dark green	Floral wire
Cardstock & tissue paper - various colors	Large Sharpie markers
Place in bins near worship areas by April 26	Hot glue gun sticks

## 2026-2027 Registration is Now Open

PlayCare | Pre-K | Kindergarten

Visit the preschool office for a registration packet & information!



[www.wesleyumc.net/wesley-preschool](http://www.wesleyumc.net/wesley-preschool)



# WESLEY CHURCH

Luke Amerson ext 207.....Modern Music Director  
Helen Bissell.....Senior Adult Outreach  
Laura Croft ext 210.....Preschool Director  
Michelle Dodson ext 221.....Evangelism/Program Secretary  
Amanda Ellis ext 203.....Finance Director  
Leslie England ext 214.....Connections Director  
Lauren Fackler.....Access Ministry Coordinator  
Molly Furse.....Children's Music Director  
Ellyn Gilbert ext 224.....Student Ministries Coordinator  
Jose Gonzales.....Custodian  
Mark Haddon ext 206.....Facilities Manager  
Greg Hatfield.....Hospital Pastor  
Joel Haywood.....Organist/Pianist  
Greg Porterfield ext 201.....Senior Pastor  
Makayla Rittwage ext 205.....Student Discipleship Coordinator  
Carol Shikle ext 211.....Assistant Family Ministry Director  
Kelley Sleeper ext 202.....Missions Assistant  
Justin Smith.....Custodian  
Aaron Talbott ext 213.....Family Pastor  
Jeff Wickell ext 225.....Music Ministries Director  
Hillary Williamson ext 220.....Care Director

For a complete listing of staff contact information, visit [wesleyumc.net](http://wesleyumc.net).

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