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GOD

YOU PLUS GOD CAN BE MORE
THAN ENOUGH.

WEST LAWN UMC
SEPTEMBER 6, 2026

WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP (8AM & 11AM)

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN (UMH #75 - "All People That on Earth Do Dwell")

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed

PRAYERS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN (TFWS #2068 - "I Love You, Lord")

OFFERTORY

Adult Choir (8AM)

"The Gift of Love" (Hal Hopson)

Christopher Rodgers - piano (11AM)

"How Great Thou Art" (Yohan Kim)

SCRIPTURE Matthew 14:13-21 (NIV)

Carolyn Weller (8AM)/Karen Garverich (11AM)

HYMN (UMH #640 - "Take Our Bread")

"You Plus God" Pastor Tom Ebersole

HYMN (UMH #671 - "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing")

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP (9:30AM)

Worship Team
Jayme Raffauf, Director

"Raise A Hallelujah"

(Bethel Music)

"Yes And Amen"

(Jesus Culture)

"King Of Kings"

(Hillsong Worship)

"I've Witnessed It"

(Passion)

"Trust In God"

(Elevation Worship)

WORSHIP LEADER:

Kelly Rismiller

New in the Pew?

If you are visiting West Lawn today, in person or virtually, let us know by texting "Hello" to 610-672-7347.

New Visitors: Bring your "Visitor Card" (found in the pew racks) to the Welcome Center to trade in for a gift!



At our Welcome Center:

- Prayer Page
- Monthly Newsletter
- Announcement Flyers
- Information on Classes and Groups

Looking For:

- A Seat in Worship
- Nursery
- Classrooms
- Mother's Nursing Room
- Prayer Room
- Restrooms

Greeters are happy to help you.



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OUR PRAYERS

Healing

- Healing from cancer; strength and courage for the fight
- Recognition, commitment, recovery from addiction
- Peace and healing from mental and physical illness
- Those impacted by accidents and falls
- Family members affected by death and illness

Encouragement & Support

- Safe, healthy pregnancies and deliveries
- Homeless, hungry, and abused people
- Those waiting for: diagnosis, biopsy, treatment, surgery
- For all to have a stronger and trusting connection with God
- Discernment and healing for broken family communication
- Those in need of guidance

Praise & Gratitude

- For our many blessings
- Good medical news
- Making progress in rehabilitation
- Family and life milestones

The World

- Leaders of the World
- Safety and peace for our armed forces and their families
- Safety for law enforcement officers and county and township leaders
- Those impacted by natural disasters

We Keep in Our Prayers

Names are updated weekly based on prayer cards, online submissions, and updates shared with our staff.

Karen, Eileen, Bob, Carter, Cathy, Jennifer, Patricia, Martha, John, Amy,
Michael, Ruthie, Jacob, Jenn, Hannah, Aaron, Aidan, Craig, Tim, Lisa, Andy,
Kaylee, Jeff, Eileen, Linda

How to Engage with WLUMC Prayer Ministries:



WEBSITE

Under the WORSHIP/PRAYER REQUEST tab



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Under the GET CARE/PRAYER tab



CALL PRAYER CHAIN

Mabel Reighley/610-678-5141



TEXT PRAYER CHAIN

Dan Allan/610-804-7739

**Notify a pastor or the office if you or a loved one is hospitalized or entering rehab.*

THIRD GRADE LEARNING TO USE MY BIBLE

*Sunday, September 13-October 18,
9:30AM*

Weekly classes beginning September 13 until October 18. This course is designed to help our third grade students prepare to receive their Bibles, which West Lawn will present on October 18 during the 9:30AM worship service. Please register online.

GRIEFSHARE

*Pat Goshert/610-858-4839
pgoshert@westlawnumc.org*

Griefshare takes place every Wednesday at 1:30PM from now until December 2. To register, please go to Griefshare.org, or contact Pastor Pat.

GIRLS' GETAWAY

*Kelly Rismiller/610-507-9141
kelly@westlawnumc.org*

All West Lawn women, ages 21 and up, are invited to get away this fall for a weekend of relaxation, friendship, and self-care! Save the date to join your West Lawn family and friends November 6–8 at the Traber Center near Pottstown, PA.

MEN'S RETREAT

*Pastor Chris Hardy
Chris@westlawnumc.org*

Join Pastor Chris, retreat co-leader, and Andy Hoffert, retreat worship leader, for Power Down: A Weekend of Rest and Renewal, October 2–4 at Pocono Plateau. We'll trade screen time for campfire time and make room for rest, worship, meaningful conversation, recreation, and plenty of free time.

SPLENDORS OF ITALY INFORMATIONAL MEETING

*Sunday, September 20, 12:30PM
Room 109, Education Building
Pastor Chris Hardy
chris@westlawnumc.org*

Explore Italy with Pastor Chris in 2027! Join Pastor Chris Hardy for the Splendors of Italy experience, a 10-day journey departing from Philadelphia on October 12, 2027. Together, we'll explore God's creation through Italy's breathtaking landscapes. Want to learn more? Join Pastor Chris for an informational meeting on Sunday, September 20.

COMMUNITY PICKLEBALL

*West Lawn Community Center
Mondays 1-3PM
Thursdays 9-11AM*

Pickleball will continue in the fall in our Community Center with a new schedule! Beginning September 10, these sessions will be held on Mondays from 1-3PM and Thursdays from 9-11AM. All are welcome!

BELIZE MISSION TRIP INFORMATIONAL MEETING

*Sunday, September 6, 12:30PM
Room 109, Education Building
Pastor Chris Hardy
chris@westlawnumc.org*

Pastor Chris will be leading an international mission trip to Belize, departing February 20, 2027, in partnership with Praying Pelican Missions. There are many opportunities for different skills and individuals to serve. Join us for an informational meeting on September 6.

WEST LAWN YARD SALE

Saturday, September 19, 8AM-2PM
Kelly Rismiller/610-507-9141
kelly@westlawnumc.org

Held in conjunction with the West Lawn Community Yard Sale, our church is hosting a parking lot yard sale. To participate, reserve your parking space and table in advance. Proceeds benefit Women's Ministry. To reserve your spot, visit the event on our website.

COFFEE WITH THE PASTORS

Sunday, September 27, 12:30PM
HeBrews Cafe

Are you interested in becoming a member at West Lawn UMC or just want to know more about our church? Join the pastors on September 27 at 12:30PM in HeBrews Cafe for Coffee with the Pastors.

KIDS CLUB & TWEEN GROUP/KIDS CLUB JR.

Grades 2-5 Kids: Sunday September 13, 6:30-7:30PM, Community Center

Sunday nights at West Lawn are all about friends, faith, and fun! Twice a month, kids come together for games, challenges, snacks, crafts, and meaningful lessons that help faith come to life. Don't miss the fun!

Kids Club Jr., for kindergarten and grade 1 children, has its own seasonal premiere on Wednesday, September 23, 6:30-7:30PM in Rooms 204-206. Parents are invited to stay in Room 112 during the Kids Club Jr. gathering time. For both events, register online.

Interested in placing flowers on the altar?



Contact the office for more information.

UPCOMING EVENTS



- September 6 Belize Mission Meeting
- September 11-12 Help Build Hope
- September 13 Kids & Youth Kickoff Night
- September 19 West Lawn Yard Sale
- September 20 Splendors of Italy Meeting
- September 23 Kids Club Jr. Kickoff
- September 27 Coffee With the Pastors

PASTORS

Tom Ebersole - Lead Pastor
Chris Hardy - Associate Pastor
Pat Goshert - Congregational Care
Sherry Lantz - Visitation Pastor
Nick Camacho - Spanish Ministries

2026 SUMMARY as of 9/6/2026

In-Person Worship	330
Online Worship	97
Sunday School	109
Tithes & Offerings for week	\$19,852
Monthly Income to Date	\$121,904
Monthly Income Goal	\$135,705
Budget Income to Date	\$841,170
Budget Goal (12 months)	\$1,411,340

