

**WESLEY'S REMINDER AND HIGHLIGHTS**  
**WE LOOKING AHEAD**

**Attention:** Any one interested in becoming an **Usher**, please see **Chris Jones**.

**Outreach and Witness Ministry** will continuously in contact with our sick and shut-in members to ensure their needs are being met.

**The Temple Take Out Ministry of Wesley UMC** invites seniors 62 or older (who meet low income guidelines), caregivers, homebound persons, persons with mental or physical limitations, homeless persons to an afternoon meal on the second Sunday of each month. If interested, please call Mary D. Hill at 843-212-3504 and provide your name, address and telephone number.

**United Woman In Faith Bible Study** will be held on Monday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. **Bible Study Book is Old Testament Characters by Peter Scazzero**. Lesson 6:- **Elijah: Knowing God's Power**-- Join Zoom Meeting:  
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87367910051?pwd=anBBcGl3WkFnQ2FWcThvTUlvTk5oUT09>: -: Meeting ID: 873 6791 0051- **Passcode:** UMC271

**Wesley's Mini Community Food Box Is Up and Running.**  
**Please spread the word.** (take what you need-- Leave what you can)-- **The Food Box:** Located on the left side of driveway as you enter the church area.

**Learn How to Reduce Propetry Taxes and Resolve Heirs' Property**, Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup> from 10am-12pm- Wesley United Methodist Church, 2718 River Road, Johns Island, SC 29455. Open to the Public; FREE Pastries & Coffee.

**Upcoming Holiday Events and Rehearsals**

**Tuesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>- Choir Rehearsal for Cantata at 6pm**

**Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup>-Rehearsal/Cantata for Youth & Children-12 noon**

**Sunday, December 18<sup>th</sup>-Christmas Cantata (Worship Service-10 am).**

**Sunday, December 25, 2022- Worship Service-10am**

**Saturday, December 31<sup>st</sup>-Johns Island Parish presents New Years Eve Service-10:30 pm- (Host Church- New Webster UM Church, 4755 Bears Bluff Road, Wadmalaw Island, SC, Rev. Patti Gordon, Pastor). and Wesley United Methodist Church--Crossover Messenger—Rev. Doris Bright-Wesley United Methodist Church, 2718 River Road, Johns Island.**

**Sunday, January 1, 2023- Worship Service -10am**

**Trustee Chairperson:**  
**Mrs. Vernell Brown**  
**843-559-3801**

**Trustee on Duty**  
**Mr. Glenn Robinson**

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**Health Ministry**

**Ms. April Cruz. RN**

**Ms. Evonne Legare, CNA**  
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**Wesley United Methodist Church**

**2718 River Road**  
**Johns Island, SC 29455**



**Motto**

“The church on the Island  
where everybody is somebody and  
“GOD IS ALL”

**Mission**

“Wesley United Methodist Church’s mission is to make Disciples of Christ by being a Christ-centered beacon to all people.”

**Vision**

“The vision of Wesley is to teach, educate, and advocate in the areas, of spiritual growth, literacy, social justice, and relationship building to promote discipleship in the building of the kingdom of God.”

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Bishop Jonathan Holston, Resident Bishop

Rev. Dr. Sandra Stevens Poirer,

District Superintendent

**Rev. Doris Bright, Pastor**

**WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Advent Color/ Purple/Blue  
 Sunday, Deember 4, 2022  
 Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.  
 Worship Leader: Mrs. Evelyn Brown  
 Director of Music: Mrs. Carrie Brown  
 Drummer: Mr. Darius Brown

**~We Gather to Worship God~**

Processional  
 Lighting of Candles  
 Greeting:.....Rev. Doris Bright  
 Call to Worship:  
 Leader: Get ready, people of God! The time of hope and peace is at hand.  
**People: We are called to action rather than reaction.**  
 Leader: Open your hearts to God’s word and God’s will.  
**People: Help us to be workers for God rather than observers.**  
 Leader: Come, draw near to God in faith.  
**People: Let us prepare our hearts to receive the wondrous gifts of God. AMEN.**  
 \*Opening Selection.....Wesley’s Ensemble  
 Morning Prayer.....Mrs. Evelyn Brown  
 Response.....Wesley’s Ensemble  
 Affirmation of Faith..... *The Apostles’ Creed* ..... UMH #881  
 Gloria Patria..... UMH #71  
 Announcements

**~The Offertory (It’s Giving Time)~**

Offering Baskets will not pass. Please leave your tithes and offerings in the back of Sanctuary when entering or leaving.

The Dedication of Tithes and Offering.....UMH#588  
 \*All Things come of Thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.

**~Proclamation and Response/We Listen for God’s Word~**

The Lessons from the Holy Scriptures:  
 Old Testament..... Isaiah 11:1-10  
 \*New Testament:..... Matthew 3:1-12  
 Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**People: Thanks be to God.**  
 Selection.....Wesley’ Ensemble  
 The Message.....God’s Great Power .....Rev. Doris Bright  
 Ephesian 1:19  
 Invitational/Altar Call .....Wesley’s Ensemble

**We Celebrate at the Table**.....Holy Communion..... UMH pp.12-15

**~We are Sent Forth to Serve~**

\*Song of Sending Forth  
 \*Go Forth with Light  
 \*Benediction.....Rev. Doris Bright  
 \*Please stand as you are able

We welcome you  
 You to worship today! Our deepest desire is that you have come to encounter the living, loving God and find yourself knowing God’s great love for you.  
 Our ushers and greeters are available to meet your needs during worship service and answer any questions you may have.  
 We are glad that you are here today!  
 Welcome

**~ Together We Do More~**  
 Please remember in Our Prayers This Week:

**Sick & Shut Ins & Homebounds**

Sis. Pearline Brown	Bro. Robert Fields.Jr. Harvest Health & Rehab.	Sis. Sadie Gethers Bro. Eddie Hammond
Bro. Eugene Johnson	Bro. Wilbur LaRoche	Bro. Alonzo Pinckney
Sis. Ella Richardson	Bro. William Saunders	Bro. Paul Simmons Roper Hospital

**Prayers Goes to:**

Sis. Emma Brown	Bro. Henry Brown Sis. Louise Buncum	Sis. Karen Campbell Sis. Aprl Cruz
Bro. James Drye	Bro. Abraham Fields	Sis. Marna Fields-Stanley
Sis. Mary Frasier	Bro. Jack Fyall	Sis. Josephine Geddis Sis. Janie Ruth Givens
Sis. Eartha Goodwin	Bro.. Edward Grant Bro. James Grant	Bro. Lewis Grant
Sis Quintella Grant	Sis. Marjorie Hammond	Bro. Abraham Jenkins Sr.
Sis. Betty Ann Legare	Bro. Ervin Legare	Bro. Fred Legare Bro. Pierre Legare
Bro. Richard Legare	Sis. Shouvantae Legare Sis. Vermelle Legare	Sis. Viola Legare
Bro. Julius Mackey	Bro. Anthony Rivers Sr	Sis. Joesphine Robinson
Sis. Emily Simmons	Sis. Caroline Weaver	Sis. Joell Wigfall Sis. Albertha Wise

**~ Weekly Givings ~**

We are generous givers.- Thank You!  
 Online Giving:- [www.wesleyumcjohnsisland.org](http://www.wesleyumcjohnsisland.org)  
 In Person @ Wesley UMC  
 Mail To Wesley UMC  
 PO Box 72-Johns Island, SC 29457

**~Tithing Chart~**

Weekly Income Chart - Will you take a step up?												
Weekly Income	1.5%	1.75%	1.0%	0%	8%	7%	4%	5%	4%	3%	2%	1%
\$200	\$30.00	\$34.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
\$300	\$45.00	\$51.00	\$30.00	\$27.00	\$24.00	\$21.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$9.00	\$6.00	\$3.00
\$400	\$60.00	\$68.00	\$40.00	\$36.00	\$32.00	\$28.00	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	\$4.00
\$500	\$75.00	\$84.00	\$50.00	\$45.00	\$40.00	\$35.00	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
\$600	\$90.00	\$102.00	\$60.00	\$54.00	\$48.00	\$42.00	\$36.00	\$30.00	\$24.00	\$18.00	\$12.00	\$6.00
\$700	\$105.00	\$119.00	\$70.00	\$63.00	\$56.00	\$49.00	\$42.00	\$35.00	\$28.00	\$21.00	\$14.00	\$7.00
\$800	\$120.00	\$136.00	\$80.00	\$72.00	\$64.00	\$56.00	\$48.00	\$40.00	\$32.00	\$24.00	\$16.00	\$8.00
\$900	\$135.00	\$153.00	\$90.00	\$81.00	\$72.00	\$63.00	\$54.00	\$45.00	\$36.00	\$27.00	\$18.00	\$9.00
\$1,000	\$150.00	\$170.00	\$100.00	\$90.00	\$80.00	\$70.00	\$60.00	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$30.00	\$20.00	\$10.00
\$1,100	\$165.00	\$187.00	\$110.00	\$99.00	\$88.00	\$77.00	\$66.00	\$55.00	\$44.00	\$33.00	\$22.00	\$11.00
\$2,000	\$300.00	\$340.00	\$200.00	\$180.00	\$160.00	\$140.00	\$120.00	\$100.00	\$80.00	\$60.00	\$40.00	\$20.00
\$3,000	\$450.00	\$510.00	\$300.00	\$270.00	\$240.00	\$210.00	\$180.00	\$150.00	\$120.00	\$90.00	\$60.00	\$30.00

**Prayer Request Form**

We are pleased to join you in prayer for specific needs.  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please pray for: \_\_\_\_\_

*Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God” – Phillipians 4:6, New Revised Standard Verison.*