# Welcome

#### Options for children during service Nursery – Up to Age 3: Meets downstairs, Room #7 Video of Service Provided

Jr. Church - K through Grade 4: Meets downstairs 2nd-4th Sundays 1st & 5th Sundays are Family Sundays Kids remain in worship center on Family Sundays (Worship Bags are available to kids every week)

Sunday opportunities to connect & learn

Sundays Jan - June: 10:00am - 10:45am

Adults: Small Groups-Ground Level Rm # 11 Center: Odd Topics - Matt Hoose Rm# 13: Various Topics - Paul Sheeley Rm# 10: Exploring The Scriptures - Steve Beers

> Downstairs Nursery - 5th grade - Various Teachers

Youth: Downstairs Grades 6-12 - Pastor Mason Sebian

#### Other opportunities to connect & learn

Kids:

Awana:	Age 3-Grade 6, Thursdays at 6:00pm at MPWC
Youth:	Grades 6-12: Sundays at 6:00pm (watch announcements in bulletin for other details) at MPWC

**Best Years Ministries:** Age 55+: various events (watch announcements in bulletin for details)

# **Next Week**

# **Grieving With God:** Our Response To Brokenness

# The End Of Ourselves!

Lamentations 5:1-22 NIV



## **Important Contacts**

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# February 23, 2025

# **Grieving With God:** Our Response to Brokenness

# "Cleansing!"

# **Pastor Jeff Falke**



# Mount Pisgah Wesleyan Church

A place to be loved, known, & cared for

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# Mt. Pisgah Wesleyan A Place to Be!

### **Be Welcome!**

Be our guest and consider being part of the family. We approach the culture with the same welcoming attitude that Jesus has with us.

## **Believe!**

Mt. Pisgah is a great place to learn about the God of the Bible and what it means to follow Jesus Christ. We offer Sunday School Classes and small groups for all ages. Our services are biblically grounded and spirit-led.

## **Belong!**

We have many life groups and other activities for you to join that will help you feel like you're a part of the church family. Also, eventually we will invite you to consider becoming a member of Mt. Pisgah Wesleyan.

### Become!

Be a part of leadership at Mt. Pisgah. Teach a class, lead a small group, be an elder or a board member. Become what God is calling you to be.

### **Be Generous!**

We believe that being generous is about more than giving money and/or resources away. Living a generous life is one that is outward-focused, thinking of others first, and letting God teach us how to be responsible with what he has given us.

# **Sermon Discussion Questions**

1. What is something you received or acquired for a specific purpose, but now is used every day?

2. According to the author, who or what caused all this devastation?

3. What are possible idols you have in your life that you may need cleansing from?

# **Announcements:**

### **Student Dinner Tonight**

This Sunday's dinner for the youth will be Italian-themed and catered by Olive Garden. Bring your appetite and join us for this familystyle meal at 6:00pm. See Pastor Mason for details.

### **Old Jail Museum Tour**

The Best Years Fellowship will be visiting Towanda Historical Society's old jail museum on Wednesday, March 5th, with lunch after. Anyone wanting to car pool should be at the church by 9:45am. Those wishing to drive alone should arrive to the 109 Pine Street, Towanda address for the museum prior to the 10:30am tour. A sign-up sheet is available. See Marilyn McClelland for more info.

### Ash Wednesday Service

A special Ash Wednesday service on March 5th will help the Lenten season come alive for many of us at MPWC. Everyone is invited to take part in the service, happening at 7:00pm. See Amy Falke for more details.

#### **Lenten Devotionals Are Here**

The church is making 40-Day devotionals available to anyone who would like one this year. Make sure you pick up your FREE copy in the entryway this Sunday. We'll also have a daily bible reading handout for each of the 40 days in the lenten season ready soon.

#### **Easter Baptisms**

Easter Sunday, April 20th, we'll be celebrating new baptisms together. See Pastor Jeff if you're interested in taking this important next step in your faith journey.

#### **Veteran's Memorial On The Green**

If you'd like to know more about installation of a Veterans Memorial on The Green in East Smithfield this year, or if you'd like an application for inclusion of a name on the memorial, please reach out to the township office before the deadline of March 1st at (570) 596-7770 or email them at smithfieldtwp@yahoo.com

### FREE Directories Available In The Entryway

Please send in your announcements for this bulletin by Thursday each week to: <u>bulletin@mpwesleyan.org</u>

## <u>This Week at a Glance</u>

Tonigh	<b>it</b> Student Dinner 6:00pm at the church	2/23
Thursd	<b>lay</b> AWANA 5:50pm at the church	2/27
Friday	Pickleball 6:00pm at the church	2/28

## **Birthdays & Anniversary**

#### February

26-Marla Nowacoski 27-Joel Talladav

#### March

1- Gauge Lowry 3-Jase Sheeley 5-Levi Scott 8-Megan Grant 8-Valerie Simpson 10-Anne Harkness 11-Delaney Kenyon 16-Lydia Ward 16-Will Trout 18-Emilie Robbins 19-Paul Sargeant 19-Ethan Lane 20-Aaden Sheeley 23-Gary Ward 24-Samara Pruyne

\*To suggest additions or changes to our birthday & anniversary list please email bulletin@mpwesleyan.org

#### **Current Facility Reservations**

Wednesdays 6-7:30 ES Little League in Gym Fridays 6-8pm Pickleball in Gym

Feb 23: Student Gathering/Dinner 6pm Feb 26: ESLL 6pm Feb 28: Pickleball 6pm Mar. 5: Ash Wednesday Service 7pm

For more info or to reserve the facility, contact Lori Hoose. See *Important Contacts* for more info on the back of this bulletin.