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: 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

Kids: Downstairs Nursery - 5th grade - Various Teachers

Youth: Downstairs Grades 6-12 - Pastor Mason Sebian

Other opportunities to connect & learn

Awana: Age 3-Grade 6, Thursdays at 6:00pm (only during the school year) 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

Kingdom Come: 1 and 2 Thessalonians

"Assurance!"

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 NIV



Important Contacts Women's Group: Michelle Vargason 570-596-4557 Men's Group: Randy Vargason 607-329-3575 Best Years (Sr. Adult) Ministry: Marilyn McClelland 570-297-4087 **AWANA Children's Ministry:** Pastor Mason Sebian msebian@mpweslevan.org **Children & Youth:** Pastor Mason Sebian msebian@mpwesleyan.org **Facility Reservations:** Lori Hoose 585-944-6088 churchoose@gmail.com **Board Members:** Vice Chair: Paul Sheeley Maggie Lane Aaron Sheelev Steve Moody Whitney Sheeley Ashley Pruyne Fred Simpson Karen Ockasi Randy Vargason Facilities Team: Linda Hoose Craig Sheeley Fred Simpson Randy Pruyne Sam Terry



April 27, 2025

Kingdom Come: 1 and 2 Thessalonians

"God's Strength!"

Amy Falke



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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 one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?

2. What is the difference between a God-rescued life and a God-directed life?

Read 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13 and Colossians 3:5-14. What does it mean to be blameless and holy?

3. What is the greatest motivation for you to live as Christ calls you? Does thinking about eternity and God's return help you?

Announcements:

Youth Dinner Tonight

Teens Grades 6-12 join us tonight for dinner from 6:00-7:30pm. There's nothing to bring but your appetite and your friends!

"Believing God!" New Ladies Bible Study

A new evening study for the ladies will begin tonight, April 27th at 6:00pm at Falke's. See Amy Falke if you have any questions about this Beth Moore study.

Mother's Day Brunch

A 10:00am dish-to-share brunch is planned for the ladies on Saturday, May 10th. Those planning to attend are asked to submit pics of you with your moms, grams, children, etc prior to the event. All ladies are welcome. RSVP to Michelle Vargason today if you would like to be included. There is a sign-up sheet in the entryway. Please think about who you will invite.

Annual Church Check-Up

The QR code provided here can be used to access our church survey. It's short, easy and anonymous, with only a couple questions to answer. We'd love to get your feedback. Those not

able to use the QR code can find the survey at: https://forms.gle/HYDcgGsosxX6GWcQ9

Softball This Spring

If you're interested in playing softball with the church league this spring, please leave your info on the sign-up sheet in the entryway. Seth Robbins is your contact for this year's team.

National Day of Prayer

Next Thursday, May 1st, is the date for this year's National Day of Prayer. Please join us in praying for God's grace and strength to surround those doing his work and helping His people. There is a sign-up sheet in the entryway for those who would like to pray during a specific time. Times have been broken up into 15-minute increments for the sake of convenience, but please feel free to claim a larger section of the day or night as seems appropriate for your schedule. See Lori Hoose for more details.

Save-The-Date:

Sunday, May 18th is the date set for this year's Annual Church Meeting. Church members are encouraged to attend, but this meeting is open to all. See Pastor Jeff for more details.

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>

Tonight

4/27

Students Meet for Dinner 6:00pm at the church

Believing God! Study 6:00pm at Falke's

Thursday

5/01

Ladies Morning Bible Study 10:00am at the church

National Day of Prayer Ceremony 12:00pm at the courthouse, Towanda

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Birthdays & Anniversary

April

27-Jake & Rochelle Schreppel 28-Rochelle Schreppel 28-Fitzy Barden 28-Rob and Terri Karlewicz 29-Eli Moody

May

1- Steve Semkowicz 2-Carl McClelland 3-Bailee Schreppel 4-Dave Paul 5-Al Teeter 7-Maya Moody 8-Janet MacWhinnie 9-Ray MacWhinnie 10-Carl & Marilyn McClelland 10-Caleb Terry 11-Stacie Simpson 13-Sela Beeman

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

Current Facility Reservations

Thursdays at 10am Ladies Bible Study

May 10: Mother's Day Brunch 10-12:30pm May 18: Annual Church Meeting 12:15pm June 1: Dessert Auction 12-2:30pm June 20-21: Fay Picnic tables (10)

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

