



**West Grove**  
**United Methodist Church**  
A STEPHEN MINISTRY CONGREGATION



**Our Vision** : **ENCOUNTER, EMPOWER AND ENGAGE**  
*Our community to be followers of Christ.*



**Rosetta Sherwood Hull (1865-1951)**

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# SUNDAY, APRIL 26<sup>th</sup>, 9:27 AM. WORSHIP SERVICE

<b><u>PRELUDE</u></b>		Betsy Smith
<b>*<u>PROCESSIONAL PRAISE</u></b>	“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms ”	UMH No. 133/Together
<b><u>WELCOME</u></b>		Pastor DJ
<b><u>ENGAGE MINISTRY</u></b>		Pastor DJ
<b>*<u>PEACE</u></b>		Together
<b>*<u>PRAISE</u></b>	“Praise”	PraiseWorks
<b><u>PASTORAL PRAYER</u></b>	The Lord’s Prayer	Pastor DJ
<b><u>INVITATION TO OFFERING</u></b>		Pastor DJ
<b><u>OFFERTORY</u></b>	“Send Me”	PraiseWorks
<b>*<u>PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERING</u></b>		Pastor DJ
	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH No. 95/ Together
<b><u>SCRIPTURE READING</u></b>	Joshua 1:9	Pastor Shirley
<b><u>ANTHEM</u></b>	“Fear Not, I Am With You” By Lloyd Larson, words from Isaiah 41:10 and 40:31	Chancel Choir
<b><u>MESSAGE</u></b>	Faith that Changed a Nation: Methodist Legacy of Korean Church “Rosetta Sherwood Hull”	Pastor DJ
<b>*<u>PRAISE</u></b>	“Fear Not”	PraiseWorks
<b>*<u>MISSION</u></b>		Pastor DJ
<b>*<u>CHORAL BENEDICTION</u></b>	“God Be With You Till We Meet Again” Words by Jeremiah E. Rankin, 1880, music by William G. Tomer, 1880	Betsy Smith
<b><u>POSTLUDE</u></b>		Betsy Smith

Please join us in the Lobby/Narthex for a time of fellowship.

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**\*STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE / BOLD PRINT = SAY IN UNISON.**

## SCRIPTURE READING: JOSHUA 1:9

**“Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.”**

### **OLIVIA AND HER FAMILY COULD USE OUR HELP**

One of our CMO preschoolers, Olivia a 3 yr. old, is battling Acute Myeloid Leukemia and is scheduled for a bone marrow transplant. WGUMC is planning an Ice Cream Social to raise funds for her family in these very trying times. May 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:00—7:30 pm. Along with your participation, donations of ice cream cones (both sugar and cake cones) and topping are needed to make this fund raiser a success. Come enjoy an ice cream cone and help Olivia’s family too!!!

### **HOOKS, NEEDLES AND KNOTS, OH MY!**

UWF Knitting/Crocheting Circle. meets every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday, 9:30 am. in conference room. Join us on May 1<sup>st</sup>. Contact Shirley Daddario for more information. [shirleydad@verizon.net](mailto:shirleydad@verizon.net)

### **NEW GATHERING - DIVORCE GROUP MEETING**

WGUMC has started a new group for those divorced or separated. “Divorce Care” will meet in the church library the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm. Next meeting is May 6<sup>th</sup>. **Please contact MaryAlice Miller at [maryalicekmiller@gmail.com](mailto:maryalicekmiller@gmail.com)**, for further information.

### **SEE HOW YOU CAN HELP MAKE THIS YEARS RUMMAGE SALE A SUCCESS!**

**TODAY, Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>**, after worship service, until Thursday, April 30<sup>th</sup> during office hours, we will be accepting donations for the sale. Items such as books, gently used clothes, housewares, small furniture, purses, jewelry etc. are accepted. **Mark your calendar for the sale on Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 to 2:00 and Saturday May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9:00 to Noon. Help make our sale a success and support our community!**

**The bake table is in need of volunteers to provide baked goods on the days of the sale. Also needed are small bottles of water to offer for sale. Contact Fran Miller at: [jmille8698@verizon.net](mailto:jmille8698@verizon.net)**

### **APRIL’S FOOD PANTRY ITEM OF THE MONTH:**



For the month of April, we are asking for donations of hand soap. Thank you for putting your donations in the labeled bin in the lobby, on the table in the food pantry room or on the blue rack outside the front door.

Your generosity never goes unnoticed!

## COMMUNITY GARDEN 2026

Spring is here and we invite you all to join in our community garden. No commitment to heavy lifting or long hours required, any time you can give is a blessing. Contact Judy Gambill at 610-389-7242 or [jl456@epix.net](mailto:jl456@epix.net)

Got a green thumb? Join with WGUMC to Grow, Cultivate and share vegetables for our Community. For more information contact Pastor DJ Choi at [pastor@westgroveumc.org](mailto:pastor@westgroveumc.org)

## SUNDAY BRUNCH POTLUCK

**Fellowship together on Sunday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> after the worship service by joining in on a Sunday Morning Brunch Potluck. Sign up sheet is located in the Narthex.**

## UWF WOMEN'S TEA

Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm is Tea Time! Let's gather! Bring your dear friend(s) and honor the women who mean so much to us! Enjoy tea, treats, and much more! Sign up in the narthex and contact Shirley Daddario with questions at [shirleydad@verizon.net](mailto:shirleydad@verizon.net).

## TALENT SHOW & DESSERT NIGHT

Dance, sing, or tell jokes! Would you like to share your talents with fellow WGUM church friends? Join us on Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. for our **Talent Show and Dessert Night.**

Contact Andrew Herman for more details: [hermanandrew@yahoo.com](mailto:hermanandrew@yahoo.com)

## UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

(SEE PAGE FOR TIME AND LOCATION)

April 26<sup>th</sup> **Rummage Sale Collection/Set Up**

May 1<sup>st</sup> **RUMMAGE SALE/Hooks, Needles, Knots**

May 3<sup>rd</sup> **Brunch Pot Luck**

May 6<sup>th</sup> **Divorce Care**

May 8<sup>th</sup> **RAP**

May 14<sup>th</sup> **Thursday Bible Study**

May 16<sup>th</sup> **UWF Women's Tea**

April 28<sup>th</sup>

May 2<sup>nd</sup>

May 5<sup>th</sup>

May 7<sup>th</sup>

May 12<sup>th</sup>

May 15<sup>th</sup>

May 17<sup>th</sup>

**Yoga Class/Tuesday Bible Study**

**RUMMAGE SALE**

**Yoga Class/Tuesday Bible Study**

**Thursday Night Bible Study**

**Yoga Class/Tuesday Bible Study**

**Hooks, Needles & Knots, Oh My**

**Talent Show & Dessert Night**

# THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR AT WGUMC

## APRIL 26<sup>th</sup> Thru May 3<sup>rd</sup>

<b><u>SUNDAY:</u></b> April 26 <sup>n</sup>	8:15 - 9:15 am. 8:30 - 9:15 am. 9:30 - 10:30 am. 11:00 am- 2:00 pm.	Confirmation Class Sunday School Worship Service Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen)
<b><u>MONDAY:</u></b> April 27 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am.- 12 pm. 9:00 am.- 4:00 pm. 12:00 - 1:00 pm.	CMO (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16) Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen) CMO Lunch Bunch (9,13,14,15,16)
<b><u>TUESDAY:</u></b> April 28 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am.- 12 pm. 9:00 am. - 4:00 pm. Noon - 1:30 pm. 1:30 - 2:15 pm. 2:15 - 3:30 pm.	CMO (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16) Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen) CMO Smart Cookies Extended Day Yoga Class (Sanctuary) Praying the Psalms Bible Study (Library)
<b><u>WEDNESDAY:</u></b> April 29 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am.- 12 pm. 9:00 am. - 4:00 pm. Noon - 1:30 pm. 5:00 - 6:00 pm.	CMO (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16) Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen) CMO Lunch Bunch (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16) Food Pantry (Admin. Wing)
<b><u>THURSDAY:</u></b> April 30 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am.- 12 pm. 9:00 am, - 4:00 pm. Noon - 1:30 pm. 1:00 - 2:00 pm. 4:30 - 6:00 pm. 6:00 - 8:00 pm. 6:45 - 8:00 pm.	CMO (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16) Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen) CMO Smart Cookies Extended Day Food Pantry (Admin. Wing) Memory Bells Rehearsal Thursday Night Bible Study (Conference Room)) Choir Rehearsal
<b><u>FRIDAY:</u></b> May 1 <sup>st</sup>	9:00 am. - Noon 9:00 am. - 2:00 pm. 9:30 - 11:30 am. Noon - 1:15 pm.	CMO (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16) Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen) Hooks, Needles & Knots, Oh My (Conference Room) CMO Mini Makers (Rooms 9,13,14,15,16)
<b><u>SATURDAY:</u></b> May 2 <sup>nd</sup>	8:00 - 11:00 am. 9:00 am, - Noon 10:00 -11:30 am.	4-H Meeting (Library) Rummage Sale Set Up (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen) Daily Reflections (Rm. 8)

## MAY 3<sup>rd</sup>

<b><u>SUNDAY:</u></b> May 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8:30 - 9:15 am. 9:30 - 10:30 am. 11:00 - 1:00 pm.	Sunday School Worship Service Brunch Potluck (Narthex, Sanctuary, Kitchen)
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**Please be aware April will be out of the office starting April 20th through April 27th.**

## IN NEED OF PRAYER:

**The names of those in need of prayer can be found in the bulletin given out on Sunday mornings or by calling April Spencer whose contact information is listed below.**

### DO YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW NEED PRAYER?

**\*\*A member of the Prayer Ministry team will be available in the Prayer Room for anyone desiring prayer after the service. \*\***

**Prayer Requests:** Please do not leave requests on the prayer chain email.  
It is not monitored.

**Email:** April Spencer at office@westgroveumc.org or 610-869-9334.  
Your request will be shared with the prayer chain, and if you would like, it will be noted in the bulletin Prayer List. Requests will remain on the prayer chain for 4 weeks unless otherwise requested or updated.

**Prayer Team Members:** Susan Paisley, Sandi Hampton,  
Pam Howard, Carol McGinley.



### **God's Faithfulness ~ Your Stewardship**

*It is your tithes, offerings,  
and gifts that impact and  
change lives for Christ!*

### **Report from April 19<sup>th</sup> 2026**

**The following information will be available next week.**

General Offering April 19<sup>th</sup>  
Building Maintenance Fund:  
Attendance: 4/19 - 9:30:

**Food Pantry families:** on 4/22 & 4/23  
food donations are appreciated.

# **SERVANTS IN MINISTRY ON SUNDAY MORNING**

Sound Booth: Bill Pardoe / Aiden Steltzer / Mike DuVall  
Projection: Bill Pardoe / Aiden Steltzer / Mike DuVall  
Officiating: Rev. DJ Choi/Rev. Jim Mundell/Rev. Shirley Daddario  
Music Director: Betsy Smith

**Today: 4/26/26**

**Next Sunday: 5/3/26**

**Counters:** Dave Talley & Vicki Owens

Dick & Caryl Stuhrke

**Lay Reader:** Shirley Daddario

Jace Hepler

**Ushers/Greeters:** Jeff & Cindy Weyant  
& Joyce Lewis

Kim O'Neill, Fred Sullivan  
& Esther Culbertson

**May Communion Servers:** Andrew Herman & Mary Alice Miller

**Prayer Team members are always available to hear your prayer request.**

Contact any **Team Member:** Susan Paisley, Carol McGinley, Pam Howard & Sandi Hampton.

Our Prayer Team is always in need of volunteers, please contact Susan Paisley if you are interested

[sbrintonpais1@verizon.net](mailto:sbrintonpais1@verizon.net)

**The Prayer ministry is always in need of and welcomes new team members.**

***\* \* Would you like to be a Sunday Morning Servant? \* \****

***We would welcome your participation as an usher, greeter, lay reader, or an Adult Sunday School teacher. If you have an interest in serving in any capacity on Sunday mornings, please contact April Spencer in the church office at 610-869-9334 or [office@westgroveumc.org](mailto:office@westgroveumc.org) for more information.***

**\* NEW WAY TO GIVE TO WGUMC AND OUR MINISTRIES \***

1. Click on QR code
2. Click ServantKeeper.com, choose one time gift or reoccurring.
3. Select building fund or Mission in Ministry.
4. Plug in your amount. Hit Continue.
5. Set up an account or skip and donate as a guest.
6. Follow prompts to finish.

