

**Sermon Series: "New in You"**  
**Scripture: Colossians 3:12-14**  
**Sermon Title: "A New Wardrobe"**  
**January 28, 2024**

**1. Know** \_\_\_\_\_.

**2. Select** \_\_\_\_\_.

**3. Go** \_\_\_\_\_.



**WHEELERSBURG  
METHODIST  
CHURCH**

**11605 Gallia Pike, P.O. Box 190  
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574-2900 and 574-2901 FAX  
January 28, 2024**

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**

**February 14 at 7:00 PM**

Come attend this sacred gathering to begin this Holy season.

**ESTIMATED GIVING FOR 2024**

So far, we have received 36 Estimated Giving Forms for 2024, representing pledges of \$128,796 for the year. Thanks to everyone who have made commitments for 2024. This accounts for about 54% of our budget for next year. Please pray for what you might give. Forms are in the Welcome Center and you may place in the offering plate.

**LENT SERMONS SERIES:**

**GIVING IT UP**

Lent is known as a time of giving things up. It honors Jesus' forty days in the wilderness without food, water, and people (only the Devil!) For the six weeks of Lent, we will be discussing giving things up for Lent. We're not talking about sweets, smoking, soda, or other bad habits we possess, which we shouldn't be doing in the first place. No, we are going to be looking at some other crucial things in our world to do without such as control, busyness, bitterness, complaining, worry, and misguided priorities. The first Sunday in Lent is February 18.

**SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER**

We have moved the Sunday morning prayer time to 6:45AM. This special Sunday prayer time is for anyone who wants some reflective time with God preparing you for the Sabbath Day. Each session lasts around half an hour.

**LUNCH AND A LESSON**

**Begins Wednesday, February 21**

In *The Third Day: Living the Resurrection*, Tom Berlin uses his gifts of storytelling and understanding the Scriptures to connect the reader to the experiences of several individuals around Jesus in his final days, focusing on new life and redemption rather than loss. Join Peter, Mary Magdalene, and Thomas as they feel the despair of losing Jesus and the surprise and joy that awaits them in the resurrection. This study traces events around these characters, along with Paul and the disciples at Emmaus, and how the resurrection transforms their lives.

Each session begins at Noon and lunch is provided. Gatherings last about an hour. Books will be available in the Welcome Center for \$15 by next week.

**LENT DEVOTIONALS**

Get your devotions for this Lenten Season in the Welcome Center for \$2.

**Prayer Concerns from January 21, 2024:**

John Marshall, Beth Fite – tests, Bonnie Sparks – MRI, Ruth Singer, Sharon White, Dave Fannin, Ronda Fite, Boys Chrysalis, Teresa Armstrong – two girls at Chrysalis gave their lives to Christ, Malissa Sarver – Duzan girls have the flu, Glenna and Rick Nolder – self, church, family and friends, Maggard family, Bailey family, Sparks family, Page family, Delphia Maggard and Ophel Maggard, work places, decisions, High School Solo and Ensemble Contest – 1/27/24, Debbie Hanes, Debbie Rase, Denise Collins, Chad May, Debbie Watson, GG, Vic and John, Mary S., Shane L., Bryan S., Debbie H., cure for cancer and diabetes, Perry and family, all church families, our world, all Ronda Sturgill’s family, Paul W., Denise H., Dave F., Bruce Moore’s health, Joe Lamanca, Keith Vanderpool, Joyce Gregory, Eddie Miller, Roger Armstrong, Nancy Black family, Jerry Clark – cancer healing, Sandy and Dick Lemke, Dick Nance – health, Fred and Mary Williams – health, Tessa Gossett – transition into new job, Patty Bettis, Mary Moomaw, Faye Lambert, Lyla Napier, Gloria Adams family, Staker family, Caesen – 6 year old with cancer, Dale Baker – will see surgeon, Safety at school and driving, Donna See – sick, those that have lost loved ones, Wade Dyer family, Carla Carter – pneumonia, Andy Holsinger – healing, Jon Adkins – waiting for test results, Youth Ministry – Tyler Prosch, Tyler Lang

**Military:** Justin Bussa (Iraq)

**10:00 Worship Servants**

**1/28/24**

**Scripture Reader:** Rob Woodward  
**Multi-Media:** Media Team  
**Acolyte:** Greta and Graer Woodward  
**Nursery Care:** Karla Tackett

**2/4/24**

**Scripture Reader:** Kevin Clark  
**Multi-Media:** Media Team  
**Acolyte:** Jenna Hall  
**Nursery Care:** Karla Tackett

**The mission of Wheelersburg UMC is to:**  
***Make Followers of Jesus Christ to Change the World***  
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**Activities for the week Jan. 28 – Feb. 4**  
**SUNDAY (January 28)**

6:45-7:15 AM Prayer Time in Sanctuary  
9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Worship Service  
5:00 PM SHINE 24/7

**TUESDAY (January 30)**

7:00 PM Scouts

**WEDNESDAY (January 31)**

7:00 PM Choir Practice

**THURSDAY (February 1)**

3:00 p.m. Shining Light  
(4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades)

**SATURDAY (February 3)**

10:00 AM AA Meeting

**SUNDAY (February 4)**

6:45-7:15 AM Prayer Time in Sanctuary  
9:00 AM Sunday School  
10:00 AM Worship Service  
5:00 PM SHINE 24/7

Copies of the most recent monthly minutes of the Wheelersburg UMC Board of Directors and monthly financial reports are always located in racks in the entry area.

**FYI:** Each week the bulletins are normally placed on the church website by Thursday afternoon. Go there to see what’s going on before you come to church! The website is: [www.burgchurch.com](http://www.burgchurch.com)

Please pray the following each day at  
9:00AM and/or 9:00PM:

***Holy God, send your Spirit to empower our congregation to discern your will and calling for the future of our church. Open our hearts and minds to accept your leading and direction. Establish clarity in the next steps in our life with Christ. In Jesus’ name. Amen***

**Sunday, January 28, 2024**

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements/  
Intro to Worship

Opening Hymn: “*Onward Christian Soldiers*” Hymnal No. 575

Meet and Greet

Children’s Moment  
(Afterwards Children dismissed to  
Junior Church)

Joys and Concerns  
“*Take Time to Be Holy*”  
(vv. 1 and 4) Hymnal No. 395  
Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer

Collection of Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory/Doxology  
Hymnal No. 95  
Prayer

Choir Anthem: “*It Is Well With My Soul*”

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Closing Hymn: “*He Leadeth Me; O Blessed Thought*”  
(vv. 1-3) Hymnal No. 128

Closing Prayer