

MARCH 2019 calendar for birth through fifth grades



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
SUNDAY SCHOOL TOPICS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PK3 through fourth grade: We will look at events that led up to Easter. The theme verse is, "Now is the time! Here comes God's kingdom! Change your hearts and lives, and trust this good news!" Mark 1:15. Fifth grade: We will look at Family Goodbyes through Mary, the Disciples and the Last Supper. 						1	2
3 Sunday School 9:30-10:30am Rethinking Lent in the Fellowship Center 5-7pm	4 Pray & Play 10-11:30am	5	6 Ash Wednesday Worship in the Sanctuary 6:30pm	7 Early Connections 9-10:30am	8	9	
10 Sunday School 9:30-10:30am Dinner and Programming 5-7pm	11 Pray & Play 10-11:30am	12	13 Programming and Children's Classes 6:30-7:30pm	14 Early Connections 9-10:30am	15	16	
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24 31 Sunday School 9:30-10:30am Dinner and Programming 5-7pm	25 No Pray & Play	26	27 Programming and Children's Classes 6:30-7:30pm	28 No Early Connections	29	30	

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SUNDAY EVENINGS:

March 3: Rethinking Lent

Families, discover how you can make Lent meaningful at Rethinking Lent on Sunday, March 3. Meet at 5pm in the Fellowship Center for a meal followed by a time of intergenerational learning and worship. \$5/person, \$20/family max. RSVP at firstumc.org/rethinking-lent.

Join us for programming from 5-7pm. Dinner served for \$3/person.

March 10

- PK3 through VPK: The B-I-B-L-E: God made us.
- K-fifth grade: Treasure Book (Bible Overview)

March 17

- PK3 through VPK: The B-I-B-L-E: God gave us rules to live by.
- K-fifth grade: Be Happy (Books of the Law and Property)

March 24

- PK3 through VPK: The B-I-B-L-E: God loves us.
- K-fifth grade theme: Is it Old or New? (Testament)

March 31

- PK3 through VPK: The B-I-B-L-E: We can be with God forever.
- K-fifth grade theme: Truth Is (Prophets)

We encourage you to register for summer camp at Warren W. Willis Camp (warrenwilliscamp.org) as soon as possible since weeks fill up quickly. First United Methodist staff is going July 15-20.

The church has funds available to assist with the cost of camp. Assistance is designed to help families who, due to limited financial resources, may otherwise be unable to participate. Return the First United Methodist Camp Scholarship Assistance Request (available at firstumc.org/camp) to the ministry area with whom the initial request was made (Children's Ministries, Youth Ministries, etc.). Every request will be considered. If awarded, scholarship funds are paid directly to the camp with the name of the camper on the remittance. If your child is unable to attend camp, funds will not be dispersed.

We encourage you to also apply for assistance directly from Warren W. Willis Summer Camp. A link to the Warren Willis scholarship application is at firstumc.org/camp. Their deadline for scholarship applications is April 1.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday Morning

- Nursery open for children six weeks through four years old from 8am-12:30pm for families involved in church events. Check in at the desk on the ground floor of the C Building.
- Sunday School from 9:30-10:30am. Check in at the desk on the ground floor of the C building for Nursery through K-4 and on the first floor of the C Building for Kindergarten through fifth grades.

Sunday Evening (unless otherwise noted)

- Nursery open for children six weeks through PK 2 from 5-7pm for families involved in church events. Check in at the desk on the first floor of the C Building. **Reservations are required.**
- Programming from 5-7pm (check in begins at 4:50pm at the desk on the first floor of the C Building). Small group offerings for PK3 through fifth grades.

Wednesday Evenings

- Six weeks through PK2: Childcare is available for children six weeks through PK2 to families participating in events on campus **by advance reservation**. If your class or group begins at 6:30pm, check in opens at 6:20pm.
- PK3 through fifth grade: Programming is available for children PK3 through fifth grade from 6:30-7:30pm. Check in opens at 6:20pm.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS:

PHOENIX Dinner: Meal service begins at 5pm in the Fellowship Center. Dinner tickets are \$6 for adults and \$3 for children 12 and under, with a family max of \$20.

March 6: Ash Wednesday Worship

- Join us for an Ash Wednesday Service at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary. Come, prepare yourself for Lent and receive ashes on your forehead as a sign of mortality and repentance. Our Nursery is available for children six weeks through four years old.

March 13, 20 and 27:

- Childcare is available for children six weeks - PK2 for families participating in events on campus **by advance reservation**. If your class or group begins at 6:30pm, check in opens at 6:20pm.
- PK3 through fifth grade have children's classes from 6:30-7:30pm. Check in opens at 6:20pm.

SAVE THESE DATES

- April 13: Easter-ific Celebration
- June 24-28: Vacation Bible School (registration opens **March 15 and closes May 15**)
- July 15-20: Summer Camp at Warren W. Willis in Leesburg (don't wait to register - do it today)