

*Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles' Creed):

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by
the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell; the
third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from
thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the
Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the
forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life
everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer (sins)

Celebration of God's Generosity

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory – *Heaven Medley*

arr. Marilyn Ham

(*Mansion over the Hilltop; Sweet By-and-by; When We All Get to Heaven*)

*Doxology, Hymn #592

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Closing Hymn (on screen) – #440 *In Christ There Is No East or West*

Organ Reflection – *Praise and Exultation*

Lani Smith

*Charge and Benediction

*Benediction Response (on screen)

May the Peace of the Lord Christ Go with You

P. Sutcliff

July 19, 2026
121st NWMC Week



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*The New Wilmington Presbyterian Church seeks
discipleship to Christ,
reconciliation in Christ,
divine encounter through Christ,
generosity with Christ.*

WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

* Denotes all may stand if possible

Greetings & Announcements

Rev. Dr. Ted Martin

Prelude – *Summer Reverie*

Edward Broughton

- *Acolytes Carry the Light into the Sanctuary-*

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

*Call to Worship (Psalm 90:1-2)

L: Lord, You have been our refuge in every generation.

P: Before the mountains were born, before you gave birth to the earth and the world...

L: From eternity to eternity, you are God!

*Hymn (on screen) – #229 *From All That Dwell Below the Skies*

*Unison Prayer of Confession in Response to God's Grace:

Lord of the nations. As a human race, we are reminded on a daily basis of our differences and dissensions. We fracture ourselves according to political lines of ideology and geography. We fashion barriers to establish power and enforce oppression. We are strangers and aliens among our neighbors. Forgive us Lord, as individuals, for our complicity in this global expression of fear and distrust. You have come to tear down the dividing wall of hostility; you have come to embrace all of humanity; you have come to redeem us from the grip of sin that separates us from you and each other. Hear our prayer as we seek your mercy through Christ we pray. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

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*Response (on insert and screen) – *Seek Ye First*

by Karen Lafferty

***Seek ye first the Kingdom of God
And His righteousness,
And all these things shall be added unto you,
Allelu, Alleluia***

***Ask and it shall be given unto you;
Seek and ye shall find;
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you.
Allelu, Alleluia***

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Old Testament Lesson – Genesis 17:1-7

Children's Moment

Word in Music – *Beside Still Waters*

Howard Starks

Carillon Handbell Small Group Ensemble

New Testament Lesson – Galatians 3:27-29

Sermon – *Conversation with Emily and Yirel*

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*Song of Praise (on screen) – *Hosanna*

by Brooke Ligertwood

ANNOUNCEMENTS



New Members Class
Sunday mornings at 9:30 AM
July 12, 19, and 26



LITURGIST TRAINING WORKSHOP

Sunday, July 26th 12-12:30pm

If you're interested in taking part, talk to Ted.

2nd Quarter Giving Statements

The 2nd Quarter Giving Statements are available in the Ligo Room.
Please pick up yours today!
If you have any questions about your statement,
please contact Kim Romig at 724-730-2017.
Thanks!

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WORSHIP NOTES

If you are a guest today, we pray God will bless you through your presence with us. Please sign the pew pad, including contact information, so we may welcome you.

Assistance for worship: large print bulletins are in the bulletin racks; personal audio receivers providing sound amplification are at the “sound booth” at the back of the sanctuary.

For children:

1. **The Nursery** (infants – age 3) is located through the side doors of the sanctuary to the left of the pulpit area, Room 212. Alasdair Camlin and an adult volunteer will be in the nursery.
2. Families of **4 to 6-year-old children** are welcome to use Room 213, next to the nursery) if needed during the early part of the worship service, with a parent or guardian present. When JAM begins around 10:45 in that space, we welcome and encourage your children to stay and participate!
3. **Doodle boards for kids of all ages** to use during the service are located on either side of the transept. Children and/or parents can choose an activity page plus there is a small snack and occasional surprise inside to occupy small hands during the service. We cherish our youth and hope this is one more way that they feel at home amongst their church family.



***Today's Flowers are given by Dave & Joan Dawson
in honor of the missionaries and those at
New Wilmington Mission Conference***



Dear Root International Friends,

Please consider helping in the Venezuela relief effort. Please see the attached document which is the personal testimony of Christian family members of a local family who lost everything in the earthquake.

Please pray. It is hard to even imagine the suffering and hardship and the heartache of the loss of so many family and friends.

An account has been established for donations toward the relief effort. 100% of the donations will be passed on to those in need.

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El Paso, Tx. 79923

In Memo write 'Venezuela relief'

June 30 at 9:42 AM · A SECOND TRAGEDY IS UNFOLDING IN VENEZUELA: OUR CHILDREN.

The initial earthquakes are over, but the most dangerous phase for the most vulnerable has just begun. According to

UNICEF, over 3.9 million children live in the areas severely affected by the 7.5 and 7.2 magnitude quakes. In the midst of absolute chaos, thousands of children have been separated from their families.

The real threat: Human trafficking networks operate in the shadows, taking advantage of the structural collapse. If these children are not identified and reunited with their families immediately, the humanitarian disaster will be irreversible.

The legal void: Venezuela's current child protection laws (LOPNNA) were designed for individual cases, NOT for a massive disaster affecting thousands of children simultaneously. An international emergency protocol and a 24/7 Coordination Center are urgently needed to identify, protect, and reunite them.

Because the local system cannot respond to this scale, the pressure must come from the outside. Every single hour counts.

TBFRescue and AERIAL RECOVERY along with Sound of Freedom Foundation are collecting all the intel right now as our operators are deploying from different regions in Latin America And the US. Please pray for the children, the families of Venezuela and our teams as we work through this 🙏 thank you.

Also...

Look up TIM BALLARD on facebook. You'll find several videos---[Tim Ballard](#) did the movie Sound of Freedom a few years ago, about rescuing trafficked children.

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Becky Vogan cell 724-699-2067

*You can read a personal account from the earthquakes
on the bulletin board in the Ligo Room*



CARE PORTAL UPDATE April – June 2026

THANK YOU for your support of NWPC Care Portal!

During the past three months NWPC has provided 19 bed frames (including 2 cribs and 3 bunk bed frames), 18 mattresses, 12 comforters, 27 sets of sheets, 4 pillows, 4 dressers, 2 baby gates, kitchen table and chairs, clothing for 2 boys, clothing for 2 girls, and plates, bowls, cups.

These are some of the stories behind Care Portal requests that NWPC and other area churches have helped fulfill.

Child is currently sleeping on the couch in the home. Requesting a twin bedframe/mattress/sheets/ blanket/pillow.

Young father is caring for five children.

Requesting a couch. Requesting two sets of bunk bedframes and one twin bedframe. Requesting 5 mattresses, 5 sets of sheets, 5 blankets, 5 pillows.

Children will be returning to their biological mother. Requesting three twin bedframes/ mattresses/sheets/blanket/pillows. Requesting one crib frame/mattress/two sheets

Aunt took in her one-month-old niece. She is in need of a crib/mattress/bedding.

Parents and three children had to move to a new home due to extensive water damage. Both parents are working two job to make ends meet. Requesting a bunk bedframe/mattresses/ bedding for the two boys. Requesting a twin

bedframe/mattress/bedding for the daughter. The family is also in need of pots/pans, dishes, couch, table/chairs.

Mother and her two boys (ages 9 and 6) are currently sharing a twin mattress with no bedding. Requesting a bunk bed frame with a twin on top and full on the bottom, along with mattresses and bedding. Also requesting clothing for the boys.

19-year-old young mother is currently 22 weeks pregnant and is currently homeless. She is working with social services on getting housing but is currently living with friends. She is requesting assistance with items for her baby. She does not know the gender yet but would be appreciative of anything. She is specifically requesting a crib, diapers, clothes, bottles, baby tub, and a stroller.

Four boys have dirty/torn mattresses with no bedding. (They do have bedframes.) Requesting 2 full mattresses and bedding. Requesting 2 twin mattresses and bedding.

Child placed with grandmother. Requesting a twin bedframe, mattress, sheets, blanket, pillow.

Two female children were placed with a kinship family. The children are in need of clothing and shoes.

Mother and five children will be leaving Arise Shelter and moving into their own home. Requesting 3 twin bedframes/mattresses/bedding and 2 toddler bedframes/mattresses/ bedding.

New Wilmington Presbyterian Church			
2026 Income Statement Recap			
2nd Quarter Summary (Jan-Jun)			
	Actual	Budget	Over/(Under)
Income	246,780.13	228,562.97	18,217.16
Expenses			
Mission	22,000.00	24,000.00	2,000.00
Ministries	14,520.93	10,289.92	4,231.01
Staff	113,700.34	132,786.78	(19,086.44)
PC(USA) Per Capita	12,123.97	11,134.26	989.71
Office Expenses	4,529.03	3,862.47	666.56
Facilities	66,935.72	54,005.94	12,929.78
Total Expenses	233,809.99	236,079.37	(2,269.38)
Net Surplus (Deficit)	12,970.14	(7,516.40)	20,486.54

CPR/First Aid Course



Are you interested in taking a CPR/First Aid course at the church?

There is a sign-up sheet in the Ligo Room for anyone interested. Once we know approximately how many people there might be, we will schedule the workshops and publish the information in the bulletin and Monday Message.

Ms. Emily Arblaster and Ms. Yirel Salinas arrive as our guests in worship today. These two women were selected to be part of a special delegation to a Young Adult Leadership Conference. Frontier Fellowship had invited these two women to be involved in the conference. For nearly two weeks (June 20-July 2), they participated in a dynamic exchange with other young adults from around the world to envision the work of the church and its future engagement of sharing the good news of the gospel with the world. Emily is a daughter of the church and Yirel is an “adopted” daughter of New Wilmington Presbyterian Church. We are thrilled to have them with us today and we look forward to hearing more from them today during worship.

Conference Schedule

Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, July 18, 20 & 21

7:45 - 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:30 - Noon	Morning programming for children
8:45 - 10:15 am	Morning programming for MS/HS students and Adults
10:30 - 11:45 am	Morning Meeting - Keynote (Anderson Auditorium)
Noon - 1:15 pm	Lunch
1:30 - 5:00 pm	Afternoon Workshops
5:00 - 6:00 pm	MS/HS Program
5:30 - 6:45 pm	Dinner
6:45 - 8:45 pm	Evening programming for children
7:00 - 8:30 pm	Evening Plenary Speaker (Anderson Auditorium)
8:45 - 10:30 pm	Fellowship opportunities

Sunday, July 19

7:45 - 8:30 am	Breakfast
8:30 - Noon	Morning programming for children
8:45 - 10:15 am	Morning programming for MS/HS students and adults
10:30 - 11:45 am	Sunday Morning Worship (Anderson Auditorium)
Noon - 1:15 pm	Lunch
1:30 - 4:00 pm	Mission Fair (McKelvey Campus Center)
2:45 - 5:00 pm	Afternoon Workshops
5:00 - 6:00 pm	MS/HS Program
5:30 - 6:45 pm	Dinner
6:45 - 8:45 pm	Evening programming for children
7:00 - 8:30 pm	Evening Plenary Speaker (Anderson Auditorium)
8:45 - 10:30 pm	Fellowship opportunities

Wednesday, July 22

7:45 - 8:30 am	Breakfast
10:00 - 11:30 am	Closing Worship (Anderson Auditorium)