

WELAKA METHODIST CHURCH



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GMC Transitional Book of Doctrines and Discipline

302. GLOBAL CHURCH

This column contains GMC Information on Doctrines and Discipline.

John Wesley famously declared in his journal on June 11, 1739, "I look upon all the world as my parish; thus far I mean, that in whatever part of it I am, I judge it meet, right, and my bounden duty to declare unto all that are willing to hear, the glad tidings of salvation." Since that time Methodists have recognized that at the core of our church's mission is ensuring that the Good News of Jesus Christ is shared around the globe. From Britain to the Americas, to the Caribbean, Europe, Africa, and Asia, the Methodists who came before us shared Jesus' message of salvation. Today our mission receives this rich inheritance and moves forward boldly into a new chapter. We recognize the world is the parish of the Global Methodist Church. We are active in advancing the cause of Christ on multiple continents, and our faith communities will continue to do so. Ours is a global church that recognizes the gifts and contributions of each part of our communion in Christ, working together as partners in the gospel with equal voice and leadership. Learning from each other and sharing best practices across cultures, we follow the admonition of St. Paul that "to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good," altogether we are the Body of Christ, sharing in "an equal concern for one another" (1 Cor 12). Our vision of a global church is one marked by mutual love, concern, sharing, and accountability.

The canonical books of the Old and New Testaments are the primary rule and authority for faith, morals, and service, against which all other authorities must be measured.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 2/4 GMC Doctrine-Part 6
Children 10:15 am
Church 11 am
- 2/7 Bible Study -Revelation
Wednesday 9:00 am
All people invited
- 2/9 Confirmation 4 pm
- 2/11 Transfiguration
Children 10:15 am
Church 11 am
- 2/14 Bible Study
Wednesday 9:00 am
Ash Wednesday
Service 5 pm
Soup/Salad Potluck
following service
- 2/16 Confirmation 4 pm
- 2/18 1st Sunday of Lent
Children 10:15 am
Church 11 am
- 2/21 Bible Study
Wednesday 9 am
- 2/24 Confirmation 4 pm
- 2/25 2nd Sunday of Lent
Children 10:15 am
Church 11 am

COMING IN MARCH

Five Oaks Service TBA

March 24-Palm Sunday

March 31-Easter Sunrise Service 7 am

Prayer Requests can be emailed to Welaka.Methodist.Pastor@gmail.com or call 502.657.8022 to speak with Pastor Julie.

Mission Statement

A Bible believing church where all are welcome to worship God and share His salvation.

Vision Statement

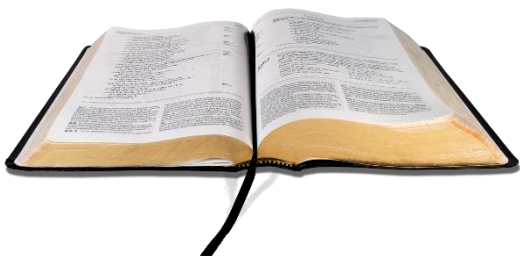
To be committed and obedient to the Word of God. To seek truth only through His Word and to share the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Catch Phrase

LIVING OUR FAITH OUT LOUD

Daily Scripture Readings

February 1, 2024	Psalm 119:1-8
February 2, 2024	1 Corinthians 2:1-12
February 3, 2024	Matthew 5:13-20
February 4, 2024	2 Kings 2:1-12
February 5, 2024	Psalm 50:1-6
February 6, 2024	2 Corinthians 4:3-6
February 7, 2024	Mark 9:2-9
February 8, 2024	Joel 2:1-2, 12-17
February 9, 2024	Psalm 51:1-17
February 10, 2024	2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10
February 11, 2024	Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21
February 12, 2024	Genesis 9:18-17
February 13, 2024	Psalm 25:1-10
February 14, 2024	1 Peter 3:18-22
February 15, 2024	Mark 1:9-15
February 16, 2024	Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16
February 17, 2024	Psalm 22:23-31
February 18, 2024	Romans 4:13-25
February 19, 2024	Mark 8:31-38
February 20, 2024	Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7
February 21, 2024	Psalm 32
February 22, 2024	Romans 5:12-19
February 23, 2024	Matthew 4:1-11
February 24, 2024	Genesis 12:1-4a
February 25, 2024	Psalm 121
February 26, 2024	Romans 4:1-5, 13-17
February 27, 2024	John 3:1-17
February 28, 2024	Exodus 17:1-7
February 29, 2024	Psalm 95



10 Things to Remember for Lent

- 1) Read your Bible daily.
- 2) Pray daily and with purpose
- 3) Fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday
- 4) Work on personal discipline
- 5) Evaluate your characteristics that are not Christlike and let them die
- 6) Keep personal changes manageable- don't try to change everything wrong
- 7) Seek God's help to improve on our weaknesses
- 8) Reach out in charity to those who are hungry, homeless, or needy in some way
- 9) Be patient with yourself during your introspection
- 10) Learn to LOVE like Christ



*40 days of Lent
Wednesday, February 14, 2024 to
Thursday, March 28, 2024*
