



Wesley Chapel
Jacksonville, Illinois



Winchester UMC



**CHRIST
UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH**

WHITE HALL, ILLINOIS

Welcome to Worship

We are so glad you have chosen to join us today, and we are grateful for your presence among us. Whether this is your first visit or your church home, we hope you experience God's grace, peace, and love in this place.

We believe that all people are welcomed by Christ and have a place in the life of the church. Wherever you are on your journey of faith, you are welcome here. When we celebrate Holy Communion, all who seek to follow Christ are invited to receive, regardless of church membership or background.

If you have questions, would like to learn more about our congregation, or simply wish to talk or pray with one of us, we would love to connect with you. Please feel free to reach out or speak with us after worship.

Grace and peace,

Pastors Becky and Chris Williams



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Events & Announcements

Popsicles and Playtime: Parents, grandparents, and caregivers with young children are invited to come enjoy a laid-back morning of play, conversation, and community at Christ UMC. Bring a blanket or lawn chair and enjoy visiting with other caregivers while children play! We'll provide the popsicles — you bring the smiles and sunscreen. We'd love to see you there!

Youth Bowling Night: All incoming 6th graders through graduating seniors are invited to join us for an evening of bowling, fun, food, and conversation at Winchester UMC!

We will meet at the church at 5:00 PM and then walk together to Winchester Bowl for a couple games of bowling. Bowling shoes and drinks will be provided. Students should bring extra money if they would like additional snacks from the concession stand.

While students are bowling, Pastor Chris would like to invite parents to remain at the church for a conversation about what they would like to see in a youth ministry program.

After bowling, students will walk back to the church for dessert, a short program, and a discussion about their youth ministry hopes. We anticipate being finished around 8:30 PM for pickup.

Cost is \$15.00 per student. Please RSVP to Chris so we can let the bowling alley know how many to expect.

VBS at Wesley Chapel: Our summer VBS program is scheduled for July 19-23, from 6:15 to 8:14. We have an Irish theme this year called "Emerald Crossing," which will focus in on Psalm 23. Mark your calendars.

White Hall Summer Lunch Program: Christ UMC will be packing lunches for the Summer Lunch Program the week of June 22 - June 26. We can use all the volunteers we can get. A sign-up sheet is on the sound cabinet in the Sanctuary.

Help Wanted: A mowing sign-up sheet is on the welcome table at WUMC.

Calendar

Sunday, June 7, 2026

- 7:30 Men's Breakfast Mtg. Winchester UMC
- 8:00 Methodist Women Winchester UMC
- 8:30 Worship: Winchester UMC
- 9:30 Sunday School: Winchester UMC
- 9:30 Worship: Wesley Chapel
- 9:30 Sunday School: Christ UMC
- 10:45 Sunday School (All Ages): Wesley Chapel
- 10:45 Worship: Christ UMC

Monday, June 8

- 9:00 Coffee Fellowship: Christ UMC
- 11:15 Doorbell Dinners: Winchester UMC
- 6:30 NOW Committee: Chris UMC
- 6:30 Trustees: Christ UMC
- 7:30 Church Council: Christ UMC

Tuesday, June 9

- 9:00 Coffee Fellowship: Christ UMC
- 11:15 Doorbell Dinners: Winchester UMC
- 2:00 Hope Bible Study: Christ UMC

Wednesday, June 10

- 9:00 Coffee Fellowship: Christ UMC
- 10:00 Popsicles and Playtime: Christ UMC
- 11:15 Doorbell Dinners: Winchester UMC

Thursday, June 11

- 9:00 Coffee Fellowship: Christ UMC
- 11:15 Doorbell Dinners
- 1:00 NA Meeting: Christ UMC

Friday, June 12

- 9:00 Coffee Fellowship: Christ UMC
- 11:15 Doorbell Dinners: Winchester UMC
- 7:00 Narcotics Meeting: Christ UMC

Saturday, June 13

- 9:00 Coffee Fellowship: Christ UMC
- 9:00 Men's Cookout @ 3 Way Stop in Winchester
- 5:15 DDart Meeting: Christ UMC

Scripture

John 15:1-11

Jesus the True Vine

15 "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinegrower. ² He removes every branch in me that bears no fruit. Every branch that bears fruit he prunes^[a] to make it bear more fruit. ³ You have already been cleansed^[b] by the word that I have spoken to you. ⁴ Abide in me as I abide in you. Just as the branch cannot bear fruit by itself unless it abides in the vine, neither can you unless you abide in me. ⁵ I am the vine; you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. ⁶ Whoever does not abide in me is thrown away like a branch and withers; such branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. ⁷ If you abide in me and my words abide in you, ask for whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. ⁸ My Father is glorified by this, that you bear much fruit and become^[c] my disciples. ⁹ As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. ¹⁰ If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. ¹¹ I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.