



Wilshire
BAPTIST CHURCH

January 18, 2026

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Preparing for worship

Have you ever heard the Parable of the Choir? It is attributed to Celeste Bembry and goes like this: “A choir can sing a beautiful note impossibly long because singers can individually drop out to breathe as necessary and the note goes on. Social justice activism should be like that.”

Over the last several years, I have found myself drawing back to this idea frequently. We cannot do life alone, and we cannot do activism alone. Especially when we are reminded of how bad the bad is, it is important to acknowledge the truth of both our personal limitations and our collective power.

“We Shall Overcome” certainly ties to the idea of collective power. With its roots in the 1700s, the words and melody have shifted over time. The first occurrence of “We Shall Overcome” being sung as an official protest song happened during a labor strike in South Carolina in 1945. One of the strikers, Lucille Simmons, changed the words from “I Will Overcome” to the collective “We.” As the Civil Rights Movement gained momentum, “We Shall Overcome” was established in the soundtrack of resistance.

As we prepare to join in worship this morning, how is your spirit? What has it looked like

for you to take in the challenges of the world and your life these days? Do you find yourself holding great responsibility? Particularly limited? Somewhere in the middle? Take inventory of the emotions you carry in with you today.

After you sit in this for a breath or two, turn your attention to those around you. Lift up your eyes and notice the others on your pew or in the sections in front of or behind you. If you are worshipping elsewhere today, take note of the faces that come across the screen.

We gather for worship, and the collective “we” is sacred for Wilshire today just as it was sacred in 1945. Togetherness matters. In our hymns for today, you’ll notice the Triune God present in the various titles: God’s faithfulness, Christ the Solid Rock, and the Sweet, Sweet Spirit. God existed in community first and continues to do so, and the gift we receive each time we tune in to worship or walk through the doors is the reminder that we do not do this alone. We walk with God, and we walk with one another.

—Jordann McMahan



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Building a Community of Faith Shaped by the Spirit of Jesus Christ
Cooperative Baptist Fellowship | Association of Welcoming and Affirming Baptists

We acknowledge that this land where we gather once held the sacred voices of Indigenous peoples and bore the suffering of the enslaved.

On the cover: Pictorial quilt of Bible scenes and natural phenomena, Harriet Powers, circa 1898.

January 18, 2026
11:00 a.m.
Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Chiming of the Hour

We gather in community this morning to worship God.
To help center our focus in worship, please silence all electronic devices.

Welcome to Worshipers

Gina Ortegon

Prelude

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

arr. John Innes

+Congregational Song

The Solid Rock
No. 590

SOLID ROCK

+Call to Worship

Rob Thomas

One: Even as Moses heard your call from the burning bush,

All: **We say, “Here I am.”**

One: Even as Samuel heard your call as a boy,

All: **We say, “Speak, for your servant is listening.”**

One: Even as Isaiah heard God say, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?”

All: **We say, “Here am I, send me.”**

One: Even as Jesus heard your call as the dove rested on him,

All: **We say, “Let us make our own journey of faith.”**

One: God, you’ve promised to join us on the journey.

All: **Give us faith to say, “Yes,” and strength to sustain us on the way. Amen.**

+Response in Song

Hallelujah

MARAIRES



Hal - le lu - jah____ hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah____ hal - le - lu - jah!

+All congregants are invited to stand in body or spirit.
Hearing devices are available in the Narthex and South Atrium.

I waited patiently for the LORD;
the LORD inclined to me and heard my cry.
God drew me up from the desolate pit,
out of the miry bog,
and set my feet upon a rock,
making my steps secure.
The LORD put a new song in my mouth,
a song of praise to our God.
Many will see and fear
and put their trust in the LORD.
Happy are those who make
the LORD their trust,
who do not turn to the proud,
to those who go astray after false gods.
You have multiplied, O LORD my God,
your wondrous deeds and your thoughts toward us;
none can compare with you.
Were I to proclaim and tell of them,
they would be more than can be counted.
Sacrifice and offering you do not desire,
but you have given me an open ear.
Burnt offering and sin offering
you have not required.
Then I said, “Here I am;
in the scroll of the book it is written of me.
I delight to do your will, O my God;
your law is within my heart.”
I have told the glad news of deliverance
in the great congregation;
see, I have not restrained my lips,
as you know, O LORD.
I have not hidden your saving help within my heart;
I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation;
I have not concealed your steadfast love and your faithfulness
from the great congregation.
Do not, O LORD, withhold
your mercy from me;
let your steadfast love and your faithfulness
keep me safe forever.

Offertory*Blessed Assurance*

arr. Dan Miller

+Epistle Reading — 1 Corinthians 1:1-9

Heather Mustain

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and our brother Sosthenes, to the church of God that is in Corinth, to those who are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, together with all those who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind — just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you — so that you are not lacking in any gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful, by whom you were called into the partnership of God's Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

For the Word of God in Scripture,
For the Word of God among us,
And for the Word of God within us,
Thanks be to God!

+Congregational Song*Sweet, Sweet Spirit*
No. 241

MANNA

Message

“Dear Wilshire ...”

Timothy Peoples

Anthem*We Shall Overcome*
Sanctuary and Youth Choirs
Jonah Payne, percussion

arr. Rollo Dilworth

We shall overcome. We shall overcome.
We shall overcome someday.
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe.
We shall overcome someday, someday, we shall overcome.

We shall live in peace. We shall live in peace.
We shall live in peace someday.
Oh, deep in my heart, deep in my heart, I do believe.
I believe that we shall live in peace someday.

We'll walk hand in hand. We'll walk hand in hand.
We'll walk hand in hand today.
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe.
We shall overcome someday.

We shall overcome. We shall overcome.

Silence

We pause in silence to reflect and to be attentive to the Spirit of God.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our sins,
As we forgive those who sin against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.

+Congregational Song

Precious Lord, Take My Hand
No. 400

PRECIOUS LORD

Sharing of Decisions

Timothy Peoples

Closing Voluntary

Draw the Circle Wide
Please join in singing.

Mark Miller

**Draw the circle, draw the circle wide.
Draw the circle, draw the circle wide.
No one stands alone, we'll stand side by side.
Draw the circle, draw the circle wide. (repeat)**

Draw the circle wide, draw it wider still.
Let this be our song: no one stands alone.
Standing side by side, draw the circle, draw the circle wide.

**Draw the circle, draw the circle wide.
Draw the circle, draw the circle wide.
No one stands alone, we'll stand side by side.
Draw the circle, draw the circle wide. (repeat)**

Draw the circle wide, draw it wider still.
Let this be our song: no one stand alone.
Standing side by side, draw the circle, draw the circle wide.

**Draw the circle, draw the circle wide.
Draw the circle, draw the circle wide.**

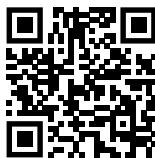
The flowers today are given in memory of E. Maxey Abernathy by Carole Jean Abernathy
and Paula, Jason, Garrett and Kathrynn Woodbury and Sher Moo Ku.

Meet today's worship leaders

Adam Nicholson made his church home at Wilshire in 2023. He is an active member of Shiloh Class and formerly attended Concordia Class. Adam has worked as a youth minister, stockbroker, high school teacher and lawyer.

Gina Ortegon and her husband, Ronnie, joined Wilshire in 2001 and are members of Journey Class. They are parents to three young adult daughters: Erika and Elana, who are twins, and Ana, a sophomore at the University of Arkansas. Gina served as deacon chair for the past year and is a member of the Interior Design Ministry Team. She owns her own independent sales rep agency serving the interior design industry.

Rob Thomas came to Wilshire through his wife, Elizabeth. They married here in 2010, and Rob officially joined in 2013. Rob and Elizabeth are members of Avodah Class. Their son, Trey, is a fourth grader at Lakehill Preparatory School. Rob is a partner at the executive search firm Frederick Fox.



We're glad you're here. If you're a guest today and would like to let us know, please scan the QR code with your smartphone camera to access our online response card. You can also scan the code to make a financial contribution or submit a prayer request. Response cards and offering envelopes are available in the pew racks and can be placed in the offering plate or offering boxes.

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Tapestry



Wilshire
BAPTIST CHURCH

News & Announcements
Jan. 18, 2026

Annual Church Conference

Everyone is invited to Community Hall at noon today for Wilshire's Annual Church Conference, our only scheduled "business meeting" of the year. We'll adopt a budget, elect deacons and committees and hear updates about the church from Senior Pastor Timothy Peoples and others. Lunch will be provided.



Conference materials will be available on each table, or you can find the PDF at wilshirebc.org/events/church-conference.

The same web page has a link to join the meeting by **Zoom**, although only in-person attendees will be able to vote.

Wilshire ends 2025 with \$369K surplus

THANKS to strong year-end giving, Wilshire ended 2025 with a financial surplus of \$369,507. Our budget for 2025 was \$3,955,000, and revenue through Dec. 31 totaled \$4,052,293. Expenses for the year came in under budget at \$3,682,786.

As of Nov. 30, 2025, Wilshire needed \$1,123,684 by year-end to meet budgeted income and \$800,000 to cover estimated expenses for the year. The church met both goals, receiving \$1,206,021 during December.

In a Jan. 2 email to the congregation, Senior Pastor Timothy Peoples wrote, "Thank you for your love, dedication and faithful support in making this year's budget possible. But more than that, thank you for believing in a God who is able."

In our Unified Budget approach, funds received over the budget are applied at the discretion of the Finance Committee. Plans for the surplus and a proposed 2026 budget 2026 will be shared at today's Annual Church Conference.



Sundays: Chapel Worship, 9 a.m. Sanctuary Worship, 11 a.m. Sunday School for all ages, 9:45 a.m. Our 11 a.m. service livestreams at youtube.com/wilshirebaptist. Keep up with Wilshire by subscribing to our YouTube channel and following us on Facebook and Instagram.

WILSHIRE FAMILY DAY OF SERVICE

MEAL PACKING WITH



**Monday, Jan. 19
10 a.m.–Noon
Community Hall**



Join us Monday, Jan. 19, MLK Day, as we partner with Rise Against Hunger to pack healthy meals from 10 a.m. to noon in Community Hall. There are opportunities to serve while seated and ways for preschoolers and elementary age children to serve.

■ Everyone will need to register and complete a waiver. We recommend doing it before you come; scan the QR code above or visit events.riseagainsthunger.org/wilshirebaptist2026.

New deacons recommended

The Deacon Nominating Committee has recommended seven Wilshire members to be ordained as new deacons: Christina Evans, Mike Korson, Patty Latham, Spencer Long, Sue McElveen, Rachel Murphy and Megan Willson. In addition, these deacons were recommended to return to active service: Andrew Burton, Diana Early, Mark Eggert, Larry Granberry, Gladys Kolenovsky, Mike McCullough, Debbie Meripolski, Monica Mullins, Dennis Smith, Hank Thompson and Trey Wilson. Recommendations will be voted on at today's Annual Church Conference, and new deacons will be ordained Jan. 25.

■ **Deacon officers** for 2026: Rhonda Walton, chair; Rob Roden, chair-elect; and Laurie Diffee, vice-chair. Jenny Wolff will continue as deacon coordinator.

Blessing for Georgia McKee during worship next Sunday



The 11 a.m. worship service next Sunday, Jan. 25, will include a time of blessing for Pastoral Resident Georgia McKee on her last Sunday at Wilshire. Georgia and her wife, Sophia, are headed to the Chicago area, where Georgia will become associate pastor at Glencoe Union Church. Georgia, a Wake Forest University School of Divinity graduate, will lead Glencoe's youth and mission ministries while participating in worship leadership and preaching. Located just north of Chicago on the shore of Lake Michigan, Glencoe Union is a interdenominational church in the Protestant tradition.

Children's Choir starts today

Children's Choir (Kindergarten through grade 5) will resume today, Jan. 18, after the 11 a.m. service. Lunch will be provided for the kids in Room 2223, and rehearsals will follow.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE JANUARY 21

Koinonia Café

5 p.m. | Community Hall | Buffet dinner with kid-friendly options. Cash/check/credit. Prices at wilshirebc.org/events/wnl. **Jan. 21:** Beef enchiladas, refried beans, elote, tortilla soup, chips and salsa, tres leches, cookies, jello. **Kids:** Cheese quesadillas, elote, beans.

Preschool Music & Missions

6 p.m. | Age 3-Pre-K | Preschool choir plus fun activities and lessons focused on God's love and caring for others.

KidConnect

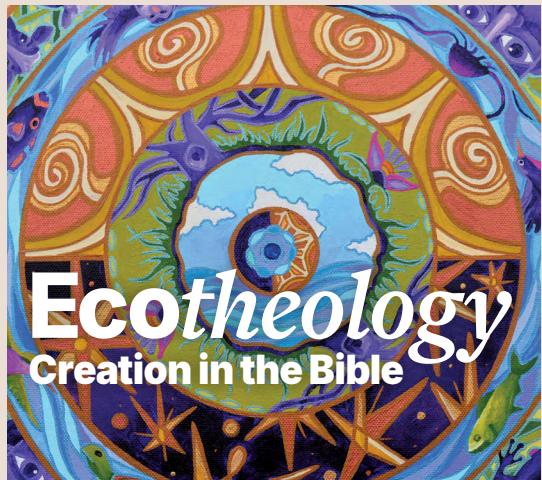
6 p.m. | K-Grade 5 | A rotation of activities to help kids learn how to love God and others.

Watershed

6:30 p.m. | Grades 6-12 | Bible study and music in the Youth Center.

Sanctuary Choir

7 p.m. | Choral Hall | Wilshire's main adult choir rehearses weekly. New singers are always welcome, and there's no audition.



Bible Study

6 p.m. | Community Hall | Genesis 1 and 2 are the only accounts of creation in the Bible, right? Well, maybe not. This winter, join Timothy and the residents for a study of creation accounts in Scripture from Genesis to John. This study will look at Scripture through the lens of ecotheology and consider what creation has to say about the Creator.

Looking Ahead

Jan. 28: Vespers at 6 p.m. in McIver Chapel.

Childcare is offered from 6 to 7:15 p.m. for infants to 2-year-olds with parents involved in church activities.

YOUTH CHOIR

Spaghetti Lunch

**& SILENT
AUCTION**



Save the date for Youth Choir fundraiser; auction items needed

The annual Youth Choir Spaghetti Lunch and Silent Auction will be held Sunday, March 1, in Community Hall after the 11 a.m. service. This event will help fund the group's summer mission tour to Kansas City to sing, serve and sightsee.

■ Your donated items and services are needed for the silent auction. Suggestions include restaurant gift cards, new household items, sporting equipment and event tickets. Professional services make great donation items, so if you're a musician, tutor, photographer, baker, designer, accountant or have a service to provide, consider donating a gift certificate of your time or service. Donations

are kindly requested by Sunday, Feb. 15. Scan the QR code or visit wilshirebc.org/events/slsa for donation information and contribution forms, or email wycauction@gmail.com.



WOMEN OF WILSHIRE

WOW retreat sign-up ends today

Today, Jan. 18, is the deadline to register for Women of Wilshire's 2026 retreat, coming up Feb. 20-22 at the Prothro Retreat Center at Lake Texoma. Get away and find community, encouragement and time with God through worship, art, learning and fun. Register at wilshirebc.org/events/wow-retreat-2026.

■ Brown Bag Book Club | Thursday, Feb. 5 | Noon | 1205-L | *How to Read a Book* by Monica Wood. Contact: Carolyn Murray (cmurray@wilshirebc.org)

■ Tuesday Evening Book Club | Feb. 10 | 6:30 p.m. | Parlor | *The Correspondent* by Virginia Evans. Contact: Debby Burton (debbyb0929@gmail.com)



Adventurers movie on Jan. 20

The Wilshire Adventurers will watch a movie on Tuesday, Jan. 20, at 1 p.m. in Community Hall. This free event includes snacks and a screening of *The River of No Return*, starring Marilyn Monroe and Robert Mitchum. Adventurers is a fellowship group for anyone 60 and up.

Next Lunch & Learn is Jan. 21

Everyone is invited to Community Hall the first and third Wednesdays every month at 11:30 a.m. for a buffet lunch (\$10) followed by Bible study. The next Lunch & Learn will be held Jan. 21.

Hospitality Team seeks new faces

Did you know it takes 20 people every Sunday to staff our Hospitality Ministry Team? These individuals are often the first people you see when you enter the church building and help to create that sense of community and welcome we hope every person feels when they come to Wilshire.

We are looking to add additional faces to our hospitality team as both greeters and ushers. This is a great service opportunity for those looking for flexibility as you can set your own schedule and serve when you would already be at church. Greeters serve before Sunday School or before the 11 a.m. worship service. Ushers are needed during the offertory in the 11 a.m. service. Children with an adult are welcome to volunteer.

For more information or to get into the rotation, contact Barbara Clayton at bclayton@wilshirebc.org.



Souper Bowl of Caring: Feb. 8

The annual Souper Bowl of Caring, benefiting the Phil Strickland Hunger Offering, will be held Sunday, Feb. 8, at noon in Community Hall. Join us after the 11 a.m. service for soup and all the fixings and donate an amount equal to what you would spend at a nice restaurant for lunch.



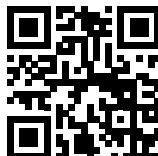
Save the dates

Saturday, June 13, 2026

4:45–7:30 p.m. | The church will be open for you to come, see and gather.
6 p.m. | Reflections and remembrances in the Sanctuary.

Sunday, June 14, 2026

11 a.m. | 75-Minute Worship Celebration.



To get involved: Scan code or visit wilshirebc.org/75.

Someone to talk with.

If you are facing a life challenge and would like to have a spiritual friend to walk alongside you for a season of healing, perhaps you would benefit from a Stephen Minister.

Stephen Ministry pairs trained lay people with individuals in need of Christian companionship during times of life crisis. Wilshire has trained Stephen Ministers available.

To learn more about receiving confidential care from a Stephen Minister, please reach out using our dedicated email address, stephenministry@wilshirebc.org, or call 214-452-3176.

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MARRIAGE Connections

Marriage Connections is Feb. 13

Marriage Connections will be held Friday, Feb. 13, at 6:30 p.m. Free childcare (infant-grade 5) will be provided while parents enjoy a short program at the church and then have the rest of the night, until 9:30, to themselves. Registration is required for childcare by Feb. 8. Visit wilshirebc.org/events/marriage-connections.

■ The same childcare is available to **single, adoptive and foster parents**. Register at wilshirebc.org/events/pno by Feb. 8.

Men's Book Club

Tuesday, Jan. 20 | 7 p.m. | Parlor | *Chronicle of a Death Foretold* by Gabriel García Márquez. Contact: Scott Spreier (swspreier@gmail.com) or Mike Meripolski (meripolski@att.net)

Water intrusion project

Be aware that work has begun on the north side of the Sanctuary to resolve our long-standing water intrusion issues. During the project, you will likely not be able to enter the building using the North Atrium doors. The doors from the Prayer Garden to James Gallery should not be impacted. Thank you for your patience.

Historical photos, video wanted

Planners for Wilshire's 75th anniversary celebration are hoping church members, especially those who've been around a while, can help us gather Wilshire-related photos and video from bygone decades. If you have anything, even if it's not digitized, reach out to Communications Director Mark McKenzie at mmckenzie@wilshirebc.org.

Monthly service opportunities

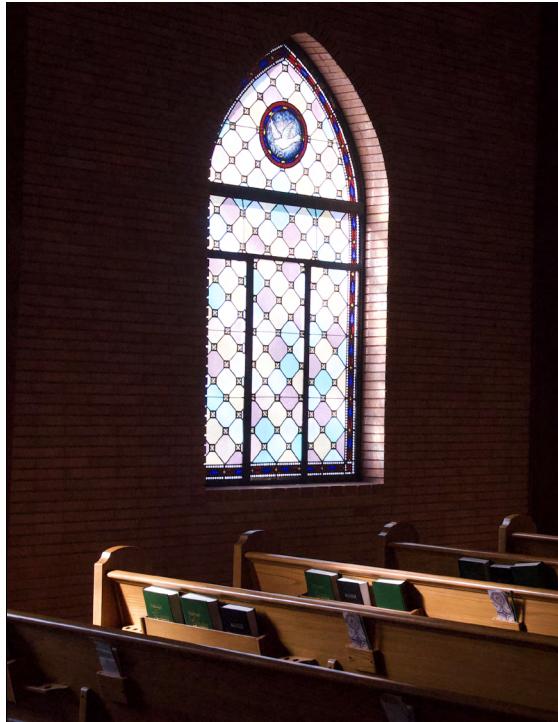
- A Wilshire group serves the fourth Friday morning each month at the **Vickery Meadow Youth Development Foundation Mobile Food Pantry**. Contact: Charlie Estee (cesteedallas@gmail.com)
- Wilshire volunteers serve as food pantry assistants at the **Wilkinson Center** the third Tuesday afternoon each month. Contact: Cindy Estee (cesteedallas@aol.com)
- Wilshire volunteers serve lunch at the **Stewpot** the second Thursday every month. Contact: David Cossum (dc@cossum.com)

Parish nurse encourages flu shots

Have you had your flu shot yet? It's not too late. Some people are hesitant because the vaccine doesn't always prevent the flu entirely, but research shows that getting the flu shot significantly reduces the severity of illness. Health officials report that this is the worst flu season in 25 years, making prevention especially important. People who are vaccinated and still get the flu are far less likely to require hospitalization, while those who are unvaccinated may experience more serious complications. COVID-19 is also still circulating, and it can be difficult to tell the difference between the flu, COVID and a common cold since symptoms are often similar. If you are feeling unwell, please stay home, get plenty of rest and drink fluids. Tests are available to help determine the cause of illness. Wearing a mask can help prevent the spread of illness to others. Masks are available at all Wilshire entrances.—*Linda Garner*

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Sermons from Timothy Peoples and other Wilshire preachers are available as a weekly audio podcast on Spotify, Apple Podcasts and other podcast platforms. Search for “Wilshire Baptist Church” on your platform of choice.



9 a.m. Worship Weekly | McIver Chapel

“This new service will provide a sacred space where we can step away from the busyness and noise of daily life to slow down, be still and cultivate a deeper connection with God.”

—Senior Pastor Timothy Peoples



Childcare available for preschoolers

THANK YOU FOR GIVING

Your gifts are changing lives inside and outside our walls. Here are some ways to make a financial contribution to Wilshire.

ONLINE. Set up a recurring or one-time gift charged to your debit or credit card or as an ACH from your checking account. Get started at wilshirebc.org/give.

REALM CONNECT APP. Easily make gifts and see past giving on your mobile device. Available at your device's app store. Find download links at wilshirebc.org/realm.

AUTOMATIC BANK PAY. Visit your bank's website and set up Wilshire as a payee. The bank will send the church a check.

MAIL. Send to Finance Director Shaffon Alexander's attention at Wilshire.

TEXT. Text WILSHIRE and a dollar amount (ex: WILSHIRE 50) to 73256.

DONATE STOCKS. Contact Shaffon to learn how to donate appreciated stocks.

FROM YOUR IRA. For those over 70.5 years old, tax-free IRA gifts offer a financial benefit and may reduce future tax burdens.



Scan code with your smartphone camera to make an electronic contribution.

At Wilshire, we use a one-fund approach to giving called the Unified Budget. Your gifts support the basic mission, ministry and operations of the church. Once the Unified Budget is fulfilled, gifts overflow into visionary aspects of our mission.

This Week

Sunday, Jan. 18

- Worship, McIver Chapel, 9 a.m.
- Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
- Worship, Sanctuary, 11 a.m.
- Annual Church Conference, Community Hall, noon
- Children's Choir Snack Lunch, 2223, noon
- Children's Choir, 12:30 p.m.

Monday, Jan. 19

- Family Day of Service with Rise Against Hunger, Community Hall, 10 a.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 20

- Adventurers Afternoon Movie, Community Hall, 1 p.m.
- Stephen Ministry Supervision, Zoom, 6:30 p.m.
- Men's Book Club, Parlor, 7 p.m.
- Wilshire Winds, Choral Hall, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 21

- New Song, Choral Hall, 9:30 a.m.
- Lunch & Learn, Community Hall, 11:30 a.m.
- Koinonia Café, Community Hall, 5 p.m.
- Bible Study, Community Hall, 6 p.m.
- Preschool Music & Missions, 6 p.m.
- KidConnect, 6 p.m.
- WSM Watershed, Youth Center, 6:30 p.m.
- Sanctuary Choir, Choral Hall, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 22

- Knit Unto Others, Parlor, 1:30 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 23

- MomCo, James Gallery, 9 a.m.
- Friday Friends, 3103, 10 a.m.