

WELCOME

Whether you are a guest or a member, we'd love to connect with you! Let us know how we can help you.

I am a...

- 1st time guest
- 2nd time guest
- 3+ time guest
- regular attender

Tell me more! Email me...

- Gobin Weekly
- Gobin Newsletter
- Digital Prayer Chain

How can we pray for you?

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Please feel free to send prayer requests to prayers@gobinumc.org throughout the week!

- For Prayer Team
- For Digital Prayer Chain
- Confidential

This Week

Please consider using the following resources throughout the week ahead.

Question for Reflection

What does the light of God's truth reveal about your life? Are there parts of your life that you want to hide from God? Can you imagine what it would be like to live completely transparent to God's piercing light?

Morning Prayer

Loving God,
draw me to your light,
that I may avoid the dangers of sin
and receive the freedom of your grace
in Jesus Christ. Amen.

Evening Prayer

Lord Christ,
as shadows of night draw near,
sustain me by the light that banishes
the fearful claim of death. Help me
believe in you with all my heart
that I may know the freedom of
salvation and at last receive the joy of
eternal life. Amen.

Next Week's Scriptures

Monday, March 12, 2018:

Psalm 107:1-16; Exodus 15:22-27; Hebrews 3:1-6

Tuesday, March 13, 2018:

Psalm 107:1-16; Numbers 20:1-13; 1 Corinthians 10:6-13

Wednesday, March 14, 2018:

Psalm 107:1-16; Isaiah 60:15-22; John 8:12-20

Thursday, March 15, 2018:

Psalm 51:1-12; Isaiah 30:15-18; Hebrews 4:1-13

Friday, March 16, 2018:

Psalm 51:1-12; Exodus 30:1-10; Hebrews 4:14-5:4

Saturday, March 17, 2018:

Psalm 51:1-12; Habakkuk 3:2-13; John 12:1-11

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday March 18th

Missions Lunch after service

Help celebrate 30 years of Summer Enrichment Program (SEP). SEP is a summer opportunity for at-risk children. Gobin, St. Andrews and other community members have directed this program through the years. Come after church on March 18th to enjoy food, fellowship, and learn about how SEP makes a difference with some of our community children. Donations made during the luncheon will be directed toward SEP. Please join us!

Save the Date

Registration is now open for the West District Best Practices Workshop. This workshop will offer informational sessions in seven vital ministry areas. Breakout session descriptions, facilitator information, and proposed schedule is available in detail at www.inumc.org/bestpractices.

This event is free to all who attend, but registration is required.

Saturday, April 21, 2018

8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Mt. Pleasant UMC, Terre Haute

Thank you for your help!

The offering you made last week empowered ministry within our congregation and in response to the needs of our community. It also helped support the work of ministries beyond the local church that shape leaders to be more effective instruments of God's love and reconciliation in their ministry settings. Through our connectional giving, we make possible the coordination of the Wesleyan Pilgrimage to England, an event cosponsored by Discipleship Ministries, Higher Education and Ministry, and Archives and History. With the help of special scholarships, people who are in the process of entering ordained ministry get to encounter the Wesleyan traditions of our faith in an "up close and personal" way as they visit the sites that are such an important part of the legacy of John and Charles Wesley to the people called Methodist. This ministry happens thanks to the generous support of United Methodists like you. I invite you once again to give generously as we worship God through the sharing of our gifts, tithes, and offerings.



Gobin Memorial
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

connect. grow. serve.



March 11, 2018

Our Mission

The mission of Gobin Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Our Vision

To create a spiritual community that is full of life by honestly sharing out whole selves with one another in relationship.

“Finding Your Power: Listening for Healing”

Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 11, 2018

We Gather

Listen

Prelude

Welcome

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

Evoking the Mystery

Silent Rest

You are invited to sit quietly in the silence without any expectation of what you “ought” to be thinking. Don’t worry about sounds from children or colds—simply let them float into and out of your attention. And if you find it difficult to settle your thoughts, contemplate the following:

A wound is healed when a binding together happens.

A prayer for another binds us with them and binds us both to God.....healing.

Examen

Tiffany Shields and Rev. Bryan Langdoc

One: For that which, then, I thought was right...

All: **have mercy, God.**

One: For that which, now, I regret...

All: **forgive me, God.**

One: For that which, hence, I know not what to do...

All: **guide me, God.**

Rev. Bryan Langdoc: Come and rest, come and listen.

Know that grace, forgiveness and guidance are available to you at each and every moment that we turn to receive them.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Opening Hymn

“There is a Balm in Gilead”

UMH #375

Find

The Psalmist’s Prayer

Psalm 22: 1-5; 25-26

Tiffany Shields

Listen to the cry to be whole

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Listen, God is singing, God is singing

One: My God! My God,
why have you left me all alone?
Why are you so far from saving me —

All: **So far from my anguished groans?**

One: My God, I cry out during the day,
but you don’t answer;

All: **even at nighttime I don’t stop.**

One: You are the holy one, enthroned.

All: **You are Israel’s praise.**

One: Our ancestors trusted you —
they trusted you and you rescued them;
they cried out to you and they were saved;
All: **they trusted you and they weren’t ashamed.**
One: I offer praise in the great congregation
because of you;
I will fulfill my promises
All: **in the presence of those who honor God.**
One: Let all those who are suffering eat and be full!
All: **Let all who seek praise the Lord!**

Seeking the Word

Mark 5: 24-34

Tiffany Shields

The scripture in this series will be done in an abridged “lectio divina” format— which means “divine reading.” We will hear the scripture read once and then we will let that resonate for a bit with some music for the inward journey. What words or phrases popped out for you in the reading? Feel free to doodle in your Worship Guide with that word or phrase if you wish. When the music is over, we will hear the scripture read again.

Music for an Inward Journey

Gobin Choir

Children’s Discovery

Dan Miller

Homily

Rev. Bryan Langdoc

Reflect

Appointment with God

You may come forward (or not) as you choose. You do not need to wait for an usher during this time.

Bells of Gobin

We Respond

Closing Prayers

Prepare to Listen in the World

Connecting

Hymn for Moving On “For the Healing of the Nations” UMH #428

Benediction

This Week’s Scriptures

You can read along with this week’s scripture readings online by going to gobinumc.org/this-weeks-scripture/

Get Connected

For upcoming events: gobinumc.org/news-events/events

To reserve an event at Gobin: gobinumc.org/reserve-a-room/

Glory Sightings form: <https://goo.gl/5XE6tm>

As we go to God with our concerns and pain, let us also look for His Glory in the world. Take just a moment to jot down one to one million blessings, glory sightings, joys in the world. Your entries will be anonymous.

View the Youth Calendar: <https://goo.gl/ZsV8j4>

Let us know what activities your kids are involved in so Gobin members can attend and/or support through prayer. Contact the church office for more info!

Gobin Memorial United Methodist Church

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9am - 4pm

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Our Worship Schedule

Sunday School: 9:30am

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30am

College Worship Night: 6:30pm

Wednesday Morning Prayer: 8:30am

Children & Nursery

We love it when children stay to join us in worship. Liturgy boxes are located near the South entrance and are available for children to use and participate in the worship service. In addition, staffed nursery is available for children ages 4 and under in Wesley Hall. Children's Church is available for children 5 years old up to 2nd grade. Liturgy boxes are available for all children in the sanctuary!

Online Giving

You can make donations to Gobin online at www.gobinumc.org under the Generosity tab.

You can also text to give! Text GOBIN + TITHE + your amount to 73256 to give using your text messaging (Ex: GOBIN TITHE \$10). Standard text message rates do apply.

If you would like to learn more about online giving, contact Cheryl Selvey at 765-658-4040 or finance@gobinumc.org.

Available
in the
Narthex.



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Date:

Name(s):

I'm new here! I need to update my info!

Address:

Email:

Phone: