



**Wesley Singers Schedule  
2017-2018**  
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*All Students, grades 6-12, may join the **Wesley Singers** youth choir. Rehearsals take place on Sunday afternoons from 4:45-6 pm in the choir room. The choir sings twice a month for worship services and also leads special services during Christmas, Lent and Easter. The singers perform an annual spring concert and they take their music ministry "on the road" for a summer tour in June. **JOIN US!***

Choir Reps: HS: Jack Zatkowski, Kamryn Koch MS: Nalin Theodore/Grace Jarrett-Coker

### **September 2017**

**Sun., 9/10** \* **First Rehearsal** of season 4:45-6 pm; Youth Group kickoff 6-8 pm  
Sun., 9/17: Rehearsal 4:45-6 pm  
**Choir /Youth Group PARENT Meeting 6pm, Fellowship Hall**  
Sun., 9/24 \* **First time WS sing for 8:30 am worship, 8 am call time.**

### **October 2017**

Sun., 10/1: 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**Sun., 10/8: WS sing at 11 am service, 10:30 am call time.**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 10/15: 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**Sun., 10/22: Music Dedication Sunday, WS at 8:30 am, 8:00 am call time**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 10/29: 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Wear your Clever Costumes! (Rehearsal & Youth Group)

### **November 2017** **WS sing \*3\* times this month, due to 150 Jubilee celebration on 11/19**

Sun., 11/5 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**Sun., 11/12 Veteran's Day Weekend, WS at 11 am service, 10:30 am call time**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**\*Sun., 11/19 GRACE JUBILEE! Birthday of Grace church. WS sing at BOTH 8:30 & 11 am, call time 8:00 am**  
**Breakfast munchies between services! PARENT request for breakfast nibbles.**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Thurs., 11/23 HAPPY THANKSGIVING!  
**Sun., 11/26 First Advent; NO Wesley Singers at 8:30 am service, because they sang on 11/19.**  
NO pm rehearsal and NO Youth Group.

### **December 2017**

Sun., 12/3 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Wed., 12/6 Church Advent Dinner  
**Sun., 12/10 WS sing at 11 am service, 10:30 am call time**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 12/17 Lessons & Carols Sunday  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Youth Group Caroling at Oaks of Wellington in evening  
**Sun., 12/24 \*\*Christmas Eve.\*\* WS at 11 pm Candlelight Service**  
NO singing for morning worship services. Choir sings for the 11 pm Candlelight Service  
Call time 10:15 pm.  
**Mon., 12/25 Merry Christmas!**

**December 2017 continued**

**Holiday break 12/25/17-2/6/18 NO rehearsals. Happy Winter break!**

Fri., 12/29 *Youth Group All Night Celebration*  
Sun., 12/31 New Year's Eve

**January 2018**

Mon., 1/1 **Happy New Year!**  
Tues., 1/2 Prince William County schools back in session  
Wed., 1/3 City of Manassas/Manassas Park schools back in session  
Sun., 1/7 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Confirmation Classes commence during Sunday School hour  
Fri. 1/12-14 *Youth Group Retreat*  
**Sun., 1/14 WS sing at 11 am service, call time 10:30 am**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 1/21 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**Sun., 1/28 WS sing at 8:30 am service, call time 8:00 am**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal

**February 2018**

Sun., 2/4 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 2/11 **NO sing for worship**, as the *Asbury Choirs* present "Not Another Fish Story"  
\*Rehearsal TBD  
Wed., 2/14 Ash Wednesday  
Sun., 2/18 First Sunday in Lent  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**Sun., 2/25 WS sing at 8:30 am service, call time 8:00 am**

**March 2018:**

Sun., 3/4 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Fri., 3/9 30 hour famine Youth Group  
**Sun., 3/11 NO sing for worship**; Chancel Choir presents Lenten Cantata at 8:30 & 11 am services  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 3/18 4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Sun., 3/25 Palm Sunday. **NO sing for worship**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
Mon., 3/26-4/2 Spring Break for schools  
**Thurs., 3/29 Holy Thursday Worship Service. Choir sings at 7:30 pm service, call time 7 pm**  
Fri., 3/30 Good Friday

**April 2018**

**Sun., 4/1 \*\*EASTER SUNDAY\*\* Choir sings for 9:45 am service, Call time TBD.**  
NO rehearsal in pm  
**Sun., 4/8 WS Sing at 11 am service, call time 10:30 am**  
**\*\*Summer Tour Commitment Forms/Deposit due at choir rehearsal\*\***  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal  
**Sun., 4/15 4:45-6 pm rehearsal. Prep for Youth Sunday!!!!**  
**Sun., 4/22 \*\*YOUTH SUNDAY at 8:30, 11 and 5! Call time TBD. Wear Youth Group t-shirts**  
NO PM rehearsal

**April 2018 continued**

**Sun., 4/29**      **NO sing for worship at 8:30 am**  
4:45-6 pm rehearsal

**May 2018**      **Spring Concert this month!!!!**

Sun., 5/6      4:15-6 pm rehearsal. *Note earlier start time...Prepping for Concert on 5/21\**

**Sun., 5/13**      **Confirmation Sunday & Mother's Day. WS sing at 11 am, 10:30 am call time.**  
**(WS Confirmands do not need to sing)**

TBD: 4:45-6 pm rehearsal.

**\*Sun., 5/20**      **\*\*WESLEY SINGERS' SPRING CONCERT\*\*, 2 p.m. Call time is 12:30 pm**

NO evening rehearsal due to concert!

**Sun., 5/27**      **NO sing for 8:30 am service. Happy Memorial Day weekend. NO evening rehearsal**

**June 2018**

Sun., 6/3      *Graduation Sunday*

4:45-6 pm rehearsal. Wesley Singers' WRAP Party!!!\*\*\*\*\*  
(Tour singers may have earlier call time for rehearsal)

Sun., 6/10      *Last time* WS sing for worship at 11 am, call time is 10:30 am

Tour choir rehearsal 4:30-6 pm. **Tour Parent Meeting at 4:30 pm**

Sun., 6/17      Tour choir rehearsal 4:30-6 pm

**\*Mon. 6/18**      **SUMMER TOUR KICKOFF Concert at Grace 7 pm. Call time 6:00 pm**

**\*Tues. 6/19-21**      **\*\*SUMMER TOUR; MUSIC & MISSION IN ACTION!**

**Sun., 6/24-29**      **Music & Worship Arts Week at Lake Junaluska, NC (optional event)**

**July 2018**

**July 15-19**      **VBS. Come volunteer!**



Singers are requested to please inform the director as to when they will be absent from choir rehearsal and worship service(s). You may send Lynn Jost a message via email: [ljost@umcgrace.org](mailto:ljost@umcgrace.org) or text: 703/967-2053 (please do so in a timely manner: i.e. not during choir rehearsal or worship!) Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have during the choir season. Parents have an opportunity to help out during the choir season. Thank you for your support!