

ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH FEBRUARY 2, 2020; 10:15 A.M.

Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world



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GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

(*Please stand as you are able)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE ENTER WORSHIP

ASBURY RINGERS Let Us Break Bread Together Arr. Linda Lamb
CALL TO WORSHIP

(L): When we seek justice for the other, when we love kindness more than ever,

(P): we live as God asks us to live.

(L): When we walk humbly through life, when we offer mercy to those who hurt us,

(P): we are the blessing God hopes we will be.

(L): When we are willing to look foolish by following Jesus, when we choose weakness rather than power,

(P): we reflect the One who is in our midst.

(L): As we worship you today, Holy God, teach us to be the people you desire.

INTROIT

Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face

Bohar/Dearle

LIGHTING THE PEACE LAMP/PRAYER FOR PEACE

(L): May the peace of Christ be with you.

(P): And also with you.

YOUNG DISCIPLES' TIME

Noisy Can Collection: Salvation Army Soup Kitchen

*HYMN

Jesu, Jesu

432

*OPENING PRAYER

Please remain standing

(ALL): We are welcomed into your presence this day by your gracious hospitality, O God. Grant that we will lay aside our cares and anxieties to concentrate our thoughts on you alone. Open us to the teaching and guidance for living which we receive, that we will be strengthened to walk with you and follow wherever you lead us. Through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

GOD SIGHTINGS/JOYS/CONCERNS/THE LORD'S PRAYER # 895

ANTHEM

Thee We Adore, O Hidden Savior

Brown

LESSON FOR THIS WEEK

Matthew 5:1-12

MESSAGE

Blessed!

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

COMMUNION PREPARATION

Blest Are They

FWS # 2155

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

ALL are welcome at Christ's table.

Tithes, gifts and offerings graciously received as you come forward

*HYMN

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

FWS # 2171

*SENDING FORTH

(L): We have been nourished by God's grace and hope,

(P): and so we will go to those who hunger for justice, as well as to those who thirst for reconciliation.

(L): We are called to follow the One who is weak and powerless,

(P): and so we will bring healing to the broken among us, as well as comfort to those who grieve in every moment.

(L): We learn what is right and good from the Holy Spirit,

(P): and so we will go as fools to be blessings to the wise, as well as to do not what is easy, but what is difficult. Amen.

POSTLUDE

All Beautiful The March of Days

arr. Lowe

Please be seated

GREET EACH OTHER IN THE NAME OF CHRIST

RENEWED BY THE SPIRIT, WE DEPART TO SERVE

TO ALL: We are happy you are here to worship with us today! WELCOME CENTER: If this is your first time at Asbury, we have a gift for you at our Welcome Center. Please stop by for questions answered or if you would like a copy of our latest newsletter and/or other brochures! NURSERY: Nursery care for infants and toddlers is available in the Education Wing from 9:30 AM - Noon. Please ask an usher to show you the way.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES AND TEACHERS

Age 3-K Myrtie Schilling and Nancy Dolloway

Grade 1 to Grade 4 Sarah Lehman Grade 5 to Grade 8 Susan Hirst Grade 9 to Grade 12 Katie leurissen

ASBURY UMC STAFF

Administrative Assistant Tammy Olivas Asst. to the Pastor/Disciple Development: Max Bovee Broadcast Ministry: Bob Kurtz

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Faith Community Nurse: Darlene Welbourn

Financial Secretary: Dan Webb Maintenance: Patrick Town

Music Program Leadership: Catherine Mowers - Music Director

Ghilyana Dordzhieva; Lynn Morgan; Melanie Rafferty; Michelle Rudd; Lisa Smith; Helen Timerman; Bina West;

Jennifer Whitenack

Treasurer: Deb VanHouten

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters:

Franklin Street: Mary DeYear Parker Street: Bruce Irwin

Sterling Street: Shirley Berry; Darlene Welbourn

Liturgist: Darlene Town

Chapel Service: Rev. Penni Farrington

Fellowship Time: Sunday school (Soup/sandwich luncheon @ Wesley Hall)

Hannah Johnson, Olivia Lehman, Anthony Patrick, Acolytes:

Michael Rudd, Ruzena Rudd; Madyson Smith

Shepherdess: Marie Jewson, Bonnie Peck, Pam Quimby

Shepherd: William Littell

Ushers: Chuck Ames John Cerow

Bill Hickox Lorraine Irwin Wavne Morris Dick Persons Orie Phillips Bill Plemons James Rafferty Dale Scott Bill Smith Lisa Smith Carol Stoodlev Darlene Town Patrick Town Leon VanWie Dan Webb Adrianna Weldon Amanda Weldon Kim Welt Larry Welt

YOUR INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE THIS WEEK

TODAY! 10:15 A.M. "Souper Bowl" Sunday. Noisy can offering to benefit the Salvation Army's Soup Kitchen. After church, our Sunday school will serve us grilled cheese sandwiches, tomato soup and football cookies decorated in Super Bowl colors!

2/4: 6:30 P.M. - Membership/Evangelism meeting @ Parlor.

2/5: 7:00 P.M. - Conference Board of Pensions.

2/8: 9:30 A.M. - Intentional Discipleship Training @ Brownville UMC.

UPCOMING EVENTS

NEXT SUNDAY: 8:30 A.M. - 10:00 A.M. - Pancake Breakfast @ Wesley Hall to benefit Camperships. \$ 6.00 gets you pancakes, bacon, fruit, OJ, coffee, tea and chocolate milk!

NEXT SUNDAY! 10:15 A.M. - Baptism of Wesley Adjaben NEXT SUNDAY! After worship, Missions Team Meeting. NEXT SUNDAY! Noon - Worship Team Meeting @ Parlor.

NEXT SUNDAY! Beginning at 4:30 P.M. - Dollar Dinner @ Asbury.

2/10: 6:30 P.M. - Methodism 101 @ Parlor. Who was John Wesley? How about Jacob Albright? Join Pastor Penni in the church parlor as we discover how these people and others helped to shape the "people called Methodists".

WEEKLY INFORMATION:

Attendance last Sunday: 100

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased last week: 548

2020 Year-to-date total: 2160

ASBURY'S WEEKLY MINISTRIES

Sundays:

8:15 A.M. - Chapel Service @ Chapman Chapel

9:00 A.M. - The Wired Word with Aaron Johnson @ Parlor

10:15 A.M. - Morning Service @ Sanctuary

11:15 A.M. - Fellowship Time @ back of Sanctuary

11:45 A.M. - Chime Choir

Mondays:

10:00 A.M. - Staff Meeting @ Parlor

5:30 P.M. - Asbury Ringers Rehearsal

Wednesdays:

11:00 A.M. - Prayer Circle @ Parlor

Thursdays:

4:00 P.M. - Junior Ringers

5:30 P.M. - Praise Band Rehearsal 6:15 P.M. - Agape Ringers Rehearsal 7:15 P.M. - Chancel Choir Rehearsal

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

2 Chronicles 20:9

"When your people pray to you, you will hear their prayers and save them."

Provided by Max Bovee

OUR UNITED METHODIST CONNECTION PRAYER LIST:

Our Bishop, Mark Webb/family, our United Methodist missionaries Dr. Mark & Deirdre Zimmerman (in Nepal), Rev. Michael Weeden (District Superintendent) and Rev. Penni Farrington.

KNOWN DEPLOYED TROOPS AND SPOUSES:

Deployed: Dustin, Alex, Jack, Chris, Brian

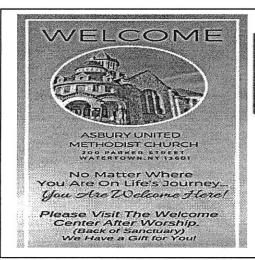
Asbury places in the bulletin a list of deployed troops that are connected to Asbury, along with the names of their spouses. We will not publish the last name for security and privacy reasons. If we have missed any, please contact the office.

LET US PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Our home bound and nursing home residents: Marge Brauer, Lynn Brown, Darrel/Joyce Kicherer, Jean Luttmann, Stevie Mider; Eleanor Petit, Urla Raynor, Rev. Dora Schneider, Anne Walker. Others: Constance Benham; Linda Bennett, Jeff Blowers (a friend of Shirley Berry), Rev. Steve Deckard, Ben Cook's improvement. David Forbes, Joliese Haynes, David Heasley, Maurice Hill, Julie, John Lava, Alice Marino, Wayne Mosher; Dick Persons. Sarah Peyton; Jonda Ratigliano, Mike Roach, Michelle Scott, Tom Shannon, Barbara J. Simmons, Sister Martha, Marcia Smith, Miyako Tanabe.

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY COMING Monday, February 24; 6:30 PM @ Parlor. Join Pastor Penni as we explore Adam Hamilton's book, "The Walk: Five Essential Practices of the Christian Life". Books need to be ordered. Sign up with Pastor Penni. Price is \$ 13.50.

VBS UPDATE: If interested in helping with VBS this year, please contact Sarah Lehman. An informational/planning meeting is scheduled for Saturday, March 14; 10 AM @ Parlor.



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