

Bring your change!

Feb 2
For Salvation Army

Noisy Can Offering

All kids & Ages are Welcome

Children's Music At Asbury – 3 Fun options!
 Children's Choir, Chime Choir, Ringing Bells
(Right after church – grab a quick refreshment)

Please Call: Michelle – 315 777 6174
 or Lynn – 315 493 2637

"The Wired Word"
Adult Sunday School
(A discussion about current events)

Sundays @ 9:00 am in the Parlor

Leader: Aaron Johnson
If the door is closed, please come right in!

**ASBURY
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
JANUARY 26, 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

PRELUDE Moritz Brosig

CALL TO WORSHIP

(L): As he walked by a lake, Jesus called fishers to follow him.
(P): **And immediately, they left their work and went with him.**
(L): As Jesus journeys through our lives, he asks us to follow him.
(P): **In this moment, we have the chance to leave the past behind, and pursue Christ into God's future.**
(L): As Jesus wanders in our world, he invites others to join in.
(P): **We would join Jesus in this ministry, reaching out to our neighbors, without delay.**
(L): Let us worship the God who calls us to follow.

INTROIT Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven Lyte/Goss

LIGHTING THE PEACE LAMP/PRAYER FOR PEACE

(L): May the peace of Christ be with you.
(P): **And also with you.**

*HYMN Jesus Calls Us # 398

*OPENING PRAYER Please remain standing

(ALL): **Inviting God, you call us to follow in many ways: to witness with public deeds of justice; to the quiet work of companionship; to proclaim your truth in stirring speeches; and to sing your love. Invite us to follow you by respecting the many different ways of witness, and rejoicing that we have so many chances to answer your call. Amen.**

YOUNG DISCIPLES' TIME MISSION MOMENT

WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD

JESUS' MINISTRY BEGINS Matthew 4:12-17

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

ANTHEM Lord of the Small Anderson/Forrest

CALLING ALL DISCIPLES! Matthew 4:18-23

PREPARING TO RECEIVE THE MESSAGE # 344
Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore, Verse 1 only

MESSAGE Follow Me!

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S CALL

OUR OFFERING AS AN ACT OF WORSHIP OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow # 95

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(ALL): **Use our gifts, Loving God, so others might not be scared by life; so they may be sheltered in the blanket of your grace; so they might find a home with us as their family. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

*HYMN I Have Decided to Follow Jesus FWS # 2129

*SENDING FORTH

(L): We could play hide and seek, waiting for others to come find us,

(P): **but we will go in God's light, seeking those in the world's shadows.**

(L): We could stay where we are, our hearts and souls captured by fear,

(P): **but we will follow the One who leads us to serve all longing for new life.**

(L): We could cling to our burdens and worries, using them as an excuse to ignore those around us,

(P): **but we will lay them down to join the Spirit in embracing our sisters and brothers. Amen.**

CHORAL BENEDICTION You Are Mine Haas

POSTLUDE My Prayer is to Thee Dennis Eliot

Please feel free to either sit or quietly depart to coffee hour while enjoying the postlude.

GREET EACH OTHER IN THE NAME OF CHRIST

RENEWED BY THE SPIRIT, WE DEPART TO SERVE

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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 Jeurissen

ASBURY UMC STAFF

Administrative Assistant	Tammy Olivas
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	Ghilyana Dordzhieva; Lynn Morgan; Melanie Rafferty;
	Michelle Rudd; Lisa Smith; Helen Timerman; Bina West;
	Jennifer Whitenack
Treasurer:	Deb VanHouten

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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters:
Franklin Street: Nate, Sarah and Olivia Lehman
Parker Street: Marie Jewson
Sterling Street: Katie, Vanessa, Jackson and Riley Jeurissen

Liturgist: Orié Phillips
Chapel Service: Michelle Rudd
Fellowship Time: Ushers

Acolytes: Hannah Johnson, Olivia Lehman, Anthony Patrick, 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	Wayne Morris	Dick Persons
Orie Phillips	Bill Plemons	James Rafferty
Dale Scott	Bill Smith	Lisa Smith
Carol Stoodley	Darlene Town	Patrick Town
Leon VanWie	Dan Webb	Adrianna Weldon
Amanda Weldon	Kim Welt	Larry Welt

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

1 Kings 8:61

“Obey the Lord our God, and follow His commands.”

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

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.
Others: Constance Benham; Linda Bennett, Jeff Blowers (a friend of Shirley Berry), David Brown, 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, Anne Walker.

NEEDED: Sunday School Class Helpers to meet Safe Sanctuary requirements. Sign up in the back of the rotunda or contact Sarah Lehman 315-767-2641; sarah121275@hotmail.com

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.

YOUR INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE THIS WEEK

1/27: 6:30 P.M. - Visitation Training @ Parlor. Join Pam Quimby, Darlene Welbourn and Pastor Penni as they help take the guesswork out of visiting folks in the hospital, nursing homes and the homebound. **ALL** are welcome!

1/28: 9:00 A.M. and 4:45 P.M. - Mentor Meetings.

UPCOMING EVENTS

NEXT SUNDAY: "Souper Bowl" Sunday. Our Sunday school will be collecting a noisy can offering to benefit the Salvation Army's Soup Kitchen. After worship, they will serve us grilled cheese sandwiches and tomato soup. Dessert is decorated football cookies. Let's support this worthwhile event!

2/9: 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!

2/10: 6:30 P.M. - Methodism 101. 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: 88

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased last week: 558

2020 Year-to-date total: 1612

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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

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First Time Guest?
Please pick up your free gift
at the Welcome Center
(Back of Sanctuary)

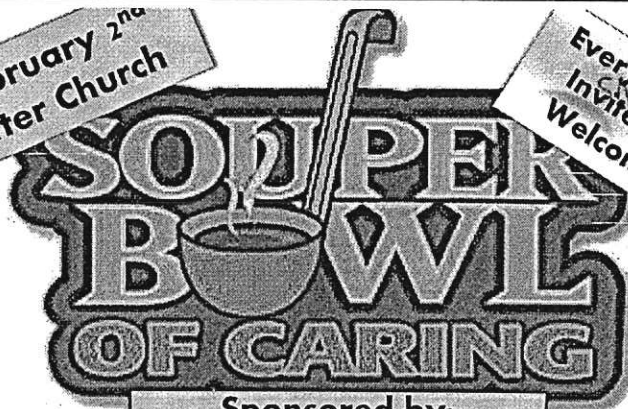
Welcome

Thanks for worshipping with us!

Join Us After Worship to meet & greet others!

February 2nd
After Church

Everyone is
Invited &
Welcome



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