

**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!

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**When:** Tuesday, July 27 - Thursday, July 29. 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. each night.

**Ages:** Entering Kindergarten thru 6th grade.

**Registration:** Due by 7/23/21.

**Contact:** Sarah L. [sundayschool@westelcom.com](mailto:sundayschool@westelcom.com), 315-767-2641

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Treasurer:

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY**

**Greeters:**  
Sterling Street: Carol Stoodley, Darlene Town, Adrianna and Amanda Weldon, Sue Snell, Melanie Rafferty, and Erica Pettit  
Franklin Street: Lenora Forbes  
**Liturgist:** Sue Snell  
**Organist:** Ghilyana Dordzhieva  
**Acolytes:** Hannah Johnson, Olivia Lehman, Jaelah Liriano, Anthony Patrick, Abigail Patrick, Michael Rudd, Ruzena Rudd, Madyson Smith  
**Shepherdess:** Marie Jewson, Bonnie Peck, Pam Quimby  
**Shepherd:** William Littell  
**Ushers:** John Cerow                      Bill Hickox                      Lorraine Irwin  
                  Wayne Morris                      Orie Phillips                      Bill Plemons  
                  James Rafferty                      Dale Scott                      Bill Smith  
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                  Adrianna Weldon                      Amanda Weldon                      Kim Welt  
                  Larry Welt

**ASBURY  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
JUNE 27, 2021; 10:15 A.M.**

*Making disciples of Jesus Christ  
for the transformation of the world.*

Matthew 13:23 "But the seed falling on good soil refers to someone who hears the word and understands it. This is the one who produces a crop, yielding a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown."



**MINISTERS:** ALL the people  
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**ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CCLI#: 1653199**

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

(\*Please stand as you are able.)

PRE-WORSHIP MUSIC: "I Will Celebrate" VOP Orange Book #11  
"Come Just as You Are" VOP Orange Book #18  
"Days of Elijah" Words on Next Page  
VOP Band

### WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: "Step by Step" VOP Orange Book #34

### PRAYER FOR PEACE

### CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: Your word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path.

People: Your word is our heritage forever, the joy of our hearts.

\*HYMN: "I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry" #2051

### OPENING PRAYER:

Patient and persistent God, we come, polished and presentable, to this comfortable room as if we knew what to expect, as if this were a safe and predictable place, as if we could simply observe. Holy One, forgive our tepid expectations. In the mystery of your love, overshadow us. Plant the seeds of your gospel in each of our hearts until we bloom and spill with your passion to serve in a world in need. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC: "Thy Word" Words on Next Page  
VOP Band

### MISSION MOMENT

### YOUNG DISCIPLE TIME

### SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

### PASTORAL PRAYER

### 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 13: 1-9, 18-23

\*HYMN: "Would I Have Answered When You Called" #2137

MESSAGE: "Parable of the Sower"

### OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY: "Voluntary" by Francesco Geminiani

\*DOXOLOGY: "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

(All) We offer to you, O God, a portion of our wealth, a larger portion of our hands, a full portion of our hearts. Please receive these gifts and bless them. Put all to good use for the work of your kingdom. Amen.

\*HYMN: "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" #2158

### \*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: "March" by Roland Rogers



*We celebrate the graduation of the following youth from high school:  
Adrianna Weldon, Kenny Forbes, Hailey Gilbert and T.J. LaCroix  
Congratulations to our graduates!*

*Today's altar flowers are given by Pamela Quimby in memory of  
Mary Bowman and Helen Quimby.*

## DAYS OF ELIJAH

These are the days of Elijah, Declaring the Word of the Lord.

And these are the days of Your servant Moses, righteousness being restored.

And though these are the days of great trial, of famine and darkness & sword.

Still we are the voice in the desert crying, "Prepare ye the way of the Lord."

**CHORUS:** Behold He comes, riding on the clouds.  
Shining like the sun, at the trumpet call -  
Lift your voice, the year of Jubilee.  
And out of Zion's hill, salvation comes.

And these are the days of Ezekiel. The dry bones becoming as flesh.

And these are the days of Your servant, David, rebuilding a temple of praise.

And these we are the harvest. The fields are as white in Your world.

And we are the laborers in Your vineyard, declaring the word of the Lord.

### **CHORUS**

There is no God like Jehovah, there is no God like Jehovah.  
There is no God like Jehovah, there is no God like Jehovah.  
(Repeat)

**CHORUS:** 3-4 times

## Thy Word

**CHORUS:** Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet,  
and a light unto my path.  
(Repeat)

When I feel afraid, and I think I've lost my way.  
Still You're there right beside me.  
Nothing will I fear as long as You are near. Please be near me to the end.

### **CHORUS**

I will not forget Your love for me and yet  
my heart forever is wandering.  
Jesus, be my guide and hold me to Your side.  
I will love You to the end.

### **CHORUS**

**SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK**

**Matthew 23:12**

“Those who humble themselves will be exalted.”

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. Laura Calos.

**KNOWN DEPLOYED TROOPS AND SPOUSES:**

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:** Bill Lennon, Ellie Cerow, Doris Blodget, Marge Brauer, Lynn Brown, Norman/Joyce Kicherer, Jean Luttmann, Stevie Mider; Eleanor Pettit, Gertrude Ives and Anne Walker.

**Others:** Bill Huskinson (Lois Berry’s brother) Sally Murray and Jean Marinaccio (Linda Bennett’s sisters), Constance Benham, Linda Bennett, Ben Cook’s improvement, Michelle Scott, Tom Shannon, Miyako Tanabe, Julie, James.

**YOUR INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE THIS WEEK**

6/27: 2:00 P.M. – Memorial Service for Richard Persons @ Sanctuary  
6/30: 9:00 A.M. – Quilting Ministry @ Sunday School Room

There will be a brief Charge Conference following worship in the Parlor on July 11, 2021.

**Motion from the Finance Committee:**

Move that the Capital Fund Campaign be officially closed on May 31, 2021 and that a Capital Improvement line item be established retroactive to June 1, 2021.

These funds will be used to complete the 2018-2021 projects that were attached to the Capital Campaign but are still to be finished.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

7/8: 6:30 P.M. – Vacation Bible School Training Meeting @ Wesley Hall  
7/10: 8:00 A.M. – Men’s Fellowship Breakfast @ Denny’s  
7/13: 6:30 P.M. – Trustees Meeting via Zoom  
7/20: 6:00 P.M. – Membership and Evangelism Meeting @ Wesley Hall

**WEEKLY INFORMATION:**

Attendance last Sunday: In Person: 67

Online: 42

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased last week: 328

2021 Year-to-date total: 9,584

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**ASBURY’S WEEKLY MINISTRIES**

Sundays:

8:15 A.M. – Morning Chapel Service @ Chapel

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

Mondays:

10:15 A.M. – Staff Meeting @ Parlor

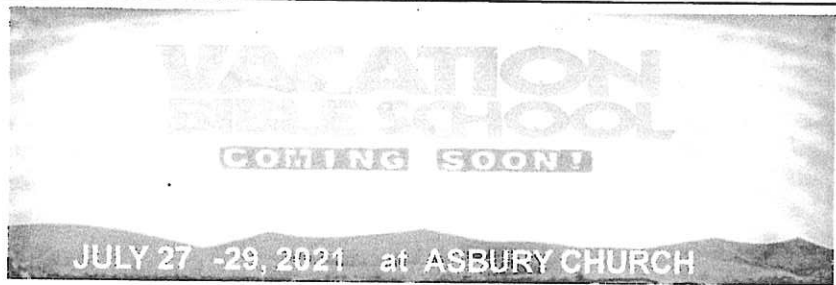
6:30 P.M. – “Daniel” Bible Study w/ Max Bovee @ Parlor

Wednesdays:

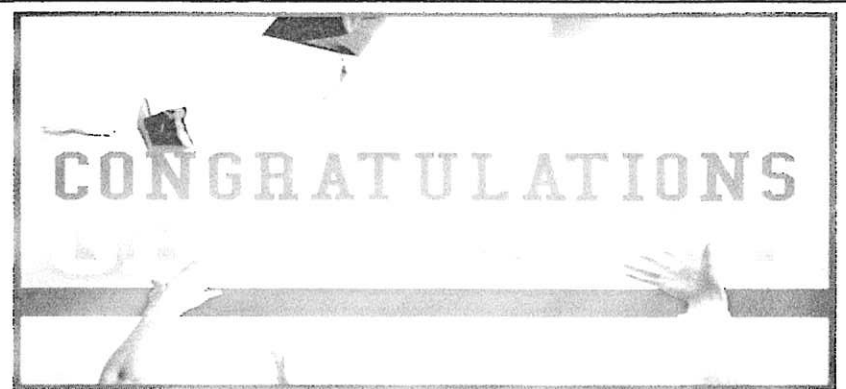
11:00 A.M. – Prayer Circle @ Parlor. Come join If you have a prayer concern or would like to pray for others.

Monday - Friday:

7:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. – School Age Summer Program @ Stage Side of Wesley Hall



How about volunteering this year?  
Please call Sarah or Michelle – 315 -777 -6174



Congratulations to Asbury 2021 Graduates:  
Adrianna Weldon, Kenny Forbes, Hailey Gilbert and T.J. LaCroix

WELCOME



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*You Are Welcome Here!*



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Once seated, you  
can now drop  
your mask.

Wear masks when:  
near children,  
singing, or  
walking around.

*Love and be Kind  
to one Another*



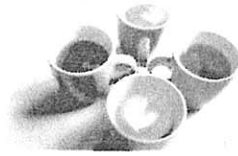
Breakfast at  
the Parsonage  
on Saturdays.

Sign up in the  
Rotunda.

Laura is your  
cook &  
host



COFFEE & FRIENDS  
*on the second floor*

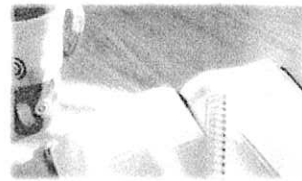


Monday nights at 6:30  
Join this Bible Study

A Bible Study on "Daniel"

Led by: Max Bovee

Wesley Hall  
6:30 – 7:30 pm  
13 weeks



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Please wear a mask & honor social distancing

