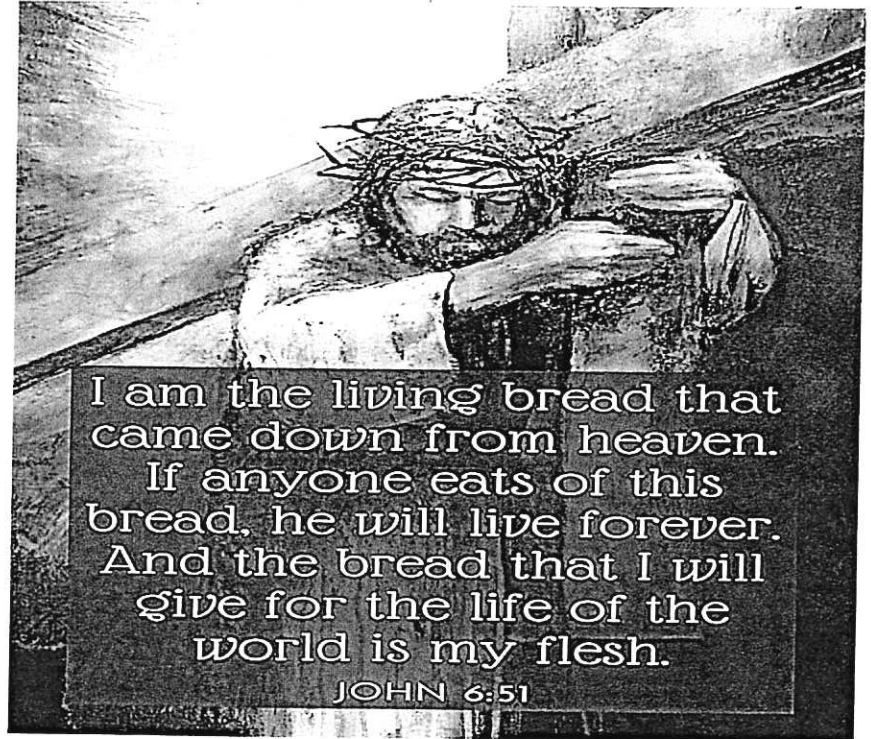


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for the transformation of the world.*



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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Rev. Leon ("Toby") Schilling preaching

(\* Please stand as you are able.)

### WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: "Glory to the Lamb" Larry Dempsey

PRAYER FOR PEACE: United Methodist Book of Worship 520

Leader: Remember, Prince of Peace, the peoples of the world divided into many nations and tongues. Deliver us from every evil that obstructs your saving purpose, and fulfill your promises of old to establish your kingdom of peace.

Leader: From the curse of war and all that creates it.

**People: O Lord, deliver us.**

Leader: From believing and speaking lies against other nations. R.

Leader: From narrow loyalties and selfish isolation. R.

Leader: From fear and distrust of other nations, from all false pride, vainglory, and self-conceit. R.

Leader: From the lust of the mighty for riches that drives the peaceful to slaughter. R.

Leader: From putting our trust in the weapons of war. R.

Leader: From every thought, word, and deed that separates the human family from the perfect realization of your love. R.

**All: Amen.**

### CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: If you are looking for miracles, look no farther.

**People: The God of the resurrection is working miracles before our very eyes.**

Leader: If you are hungry for righteousness, feed on the Word.

**People: The Bread of Life is before us. Take and eat.**

Leader: If you are feeling tossed about in the darkness on a choppy sea of uncertainty, do not be afraid.

**People : The same Lord who speaks calm to the wind and sea is the same yesterday, today, and forever.**

**All: Let us worship the Lord our God.**

\*HYMN: "O Worship the King" #73

### OPENING PRAYER:

Most holy Friend, you are the Giver and Goal of everything that ever has been or ever will be. Our minds flounder when we try to conceive your eternity, our souls are hushed when we approach your glory. Here, in your Presence, our silly human pomposity is cut down to size and we begin to see things in proportion. We are the creatures, you are the Creator, we are the lost children, you are the Savior, we make do with a small, corrupted intellect, you are unfathomable Wisdom. We worship your greatness, we praise your generosity, we glorify your patience, we adore your love. Through Christ Jesus, our hope and joy. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC: "Peace like a River" Lisa Smith & Jim Rafferty on accordion

### YOUNG DISCIPLE TIME

### MISSION MOMENT

### 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: John 6: 51-58

\*HYMN: "Open My Eyes, That I May See" #454

MESSAGE: "Sacred or Profane?"

### OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY: "Amazing Grace" Jim Rafferty & Lisa Smith

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

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:**

**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: "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" #430**

**DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING:**

**Leader: These are complex times. Let us look carefully how we walk, not blundering along like fools, but as those who are wise with the wisdom of Christ.**

**People: Wherever we go and whatever happens to us, we will give thanks to God, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Leader: Grace mercy and peace, from God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, will be with you today and always.**

**All: Amen!**

**POSTLUDE: "Trumpet Tune" John Stanley**

**WELCOME CENTER:** If this is your first time at Asbury please stop by the welcome center 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 - 11:30 AM. Please ask an usher to show you the way.

**WEEKLY INFORMATION:**

Attendance last Sunday: In Person: 69

Online: 30

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased last week: 524

2021 Year-to-date total: 12,873

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY**

**Greeters:**

**Sterling Street:** Carol Stoodley, Amanda Weldon, Sue Snell & Erica Pettit

**Franklin Street:** Lenora Forbes

**Liturgist:** Pam Quimby

**Organist:** Lisa Smith

**Chapel Service:** Benjamin Rudd

**Acolytes:** Hannah Johnson, Olivia Lehman, Jaelah Liriano, Anthony Patrick, Abigail Patrick, Michael Rudd, Ruzena Rudd and Madyson Smith

**Shepherdess:** Marie Jewson, Bonnie Peck, Pam Quimby

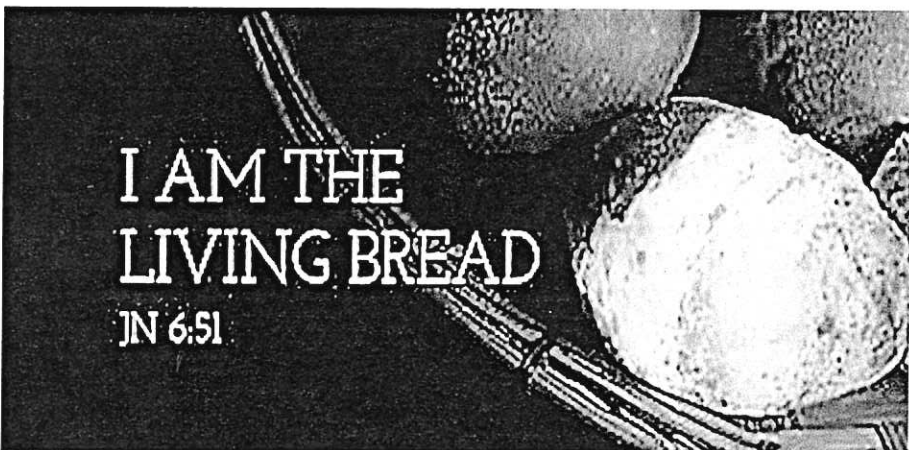
**Shepherd:** William Littell

<b><u>Ushers:</u></b> John Cerow	Bill Hickox	Lorraine Irwin
Wayne Morris	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		

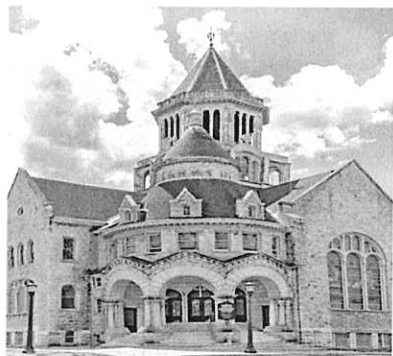
**LET US PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:**

**Our home bound and nursing home residents:** Bill Lennon, Ellie Cerow, Doris Blodget, Lynn Brown, Joyce Kicherer, Jean Luttmann, Stevie Mider; Eleanor Pettit, Gertrude Ives and Anne Walker.

**Others:** 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, family of Stella Garitz, family of Marjorie Brauer.







# ASBURY UMC

*Opportunities  
to Share Our Love for God  
and Each Other*



## Highlights from Last Week

On Monday morning, a funeral service for Stella Garitz was held in the Sanctuary. Many friends and family shared stories and remembrances of Stella.

On Thursday evening, 30 of Asbury's members participated in an eventful Progressive Supper on Pillar Point. Traveling to three different houses for their three course meal and the fourth house for a bonfire, s'mores and fellowship!

## This Week

*August 15 - August 22, 2021*

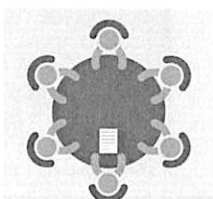
### Meetings

#### **Staff Meeting @ Parlor**

- Monday, August 16: 10:15 A.M.

#### **Membership & Evangelism Meeting @ Wesley Hall**

- Tuesday, August 17: 6:00 P.M.



### Opportunities to Share

#### **Memorial Service for NYS Association of Fire Chaplains @ Sanctuary**

- Monday, August 16: 5:00 P.M.

#### **Book of Daniel Bible Study w/ Max Bovee @ Parlor**

- Monday, August 16: 6:30 P.M.

#### **Prayer Circle @ Parlor**

- Wednesday, August 18: 11:00 A.M.

#### **Asbury's Church Picnic @ Thompson Park Pavilion**

- Thursday, August 19: 4:00 P.M.

#### **Lay Servant Class w/ Leon VanWie @ Wesley Hall**

- Saturday, August 21: 8:00 A.M.

## *Scripture of the Week*

*"The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children."*

*- Romans 8:16*

## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



Aug. 16 Karen Beach

Aug. 21 Michael Schanely



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**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

FAITH KIRCH

**ASSISTANT TO THE PASTOR/  
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MAX BOVEE

**BROADCAST MINISTRY**

BOB KURTZ

**CHILD CARE WORKER**

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You are Welcome Here!*

**FIRST ANNIVERSARY PICNIC!**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, FROM 4:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.  
AT THE THOMPSON PARK PAVILION  
SUPPER STARTING AT 5:30 P.M.**



This all church picnic is to celebrate being together again as a church family and to celebrate Pastor Laura's first year with Asbury!

- Please bring a folding chair, table service, and a dish to pass such as a salad or dessert or casserole and a beverage.
- Bring a wrapped gift either used or new for a special auction.
- The church will supply grilled hot dogs.
- The splash pool and the playground will be available for children.
- Please sign up for the picnic on the list in the rotunda or call the church office for your reservation, 315-782-3240.

For everyone's safety, please wear a mask.

*Outreach Opportunities*

- **Asbury's Outreach to Schools:** Mid-September, Asbury will be providing goodie bags to school teachers to say "thank you for all their hard work". The goodie bags will contain a number of items.
- **WHAT CAN YOU DO TO HELP?** We are asking for the donation of items which can be placed in the big box in the Rotunda. We need things like cookie packs, popcorn packs, granola bars, tea bags, etc. Any contribution is very helpful!
- Membership & Evangelism Committee

*Join Us Next Sunday*

**Worship Services:**

**8:15 A.M in the Chapel:**

Paul Simmons is preaching

**10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:**

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

Scripture: Matthew 7: 24-29

Sermon: "House Upon a Rock"



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**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 10:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.