

**WELCOME CENTER:** First time at Asbury? Stop by our welcome center if you have questions or if you would like a copy of our latest newsletter or other brochures!

**NURSERY:** Nursery care (infants and toddlers) is in Room 29 in the New Day wing from 9:30-11:30 AM. An usher can show you the way.

**WEEKLY INFORMATION:**

Attendance Last Sunday: In Person: 54

Online: 0

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 436

2021 Year-to-Date Total: 14,656

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY**

**Greeters:** Carol Stoodley, Melanie Rafferty, Sue Snell, Erica Pettit, Lisa Smith, Lenora Forbes, Grace Burke, Jean Marshall, Max Bovee and Darlene Town

**Liturgist:** Max Bovee

**Organist:** Lisa Smith

**Chapel Service:** Max Bovee

**Acolytes:** Olivia Lehman, Jaelah Liriano, Anthony Patrick, Abigail Patrick, Michael Rudd and Ruzena Rudd

**Shepherds:** Bonnie Peck, Pam Quimby and William Littell

**Ushers:** 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

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

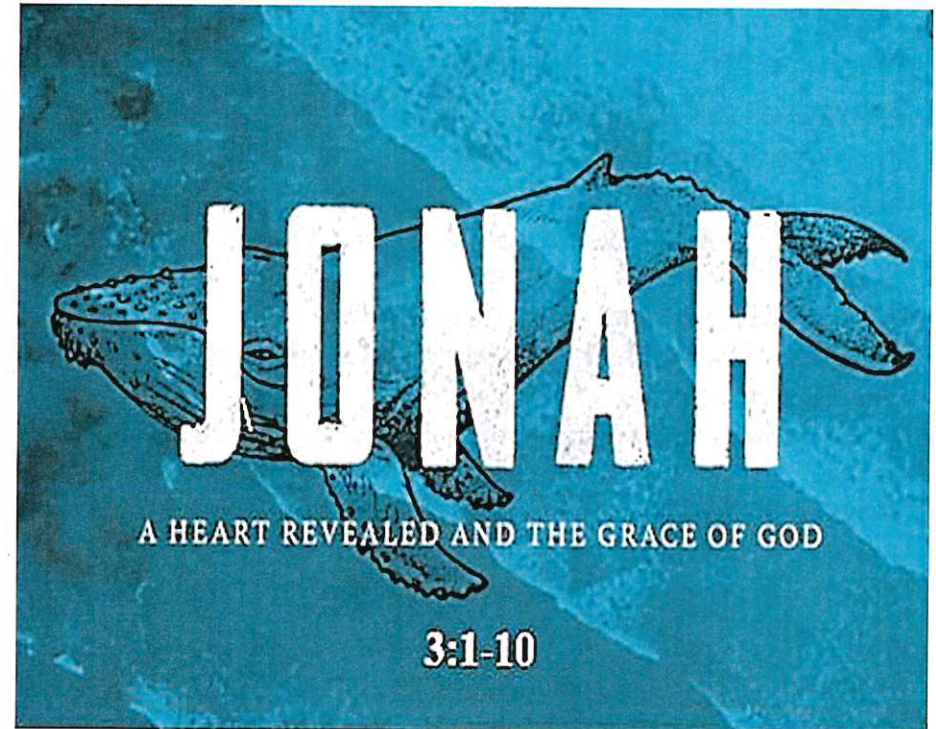
**Our home bound and nursing home residents:** Bill Lennon, Ellie Cerow, Joyce Kicherer, Jean Luttmann, Stevie Mider, Gertrude Ives and Anne Walker.

**Others:** Sally Murray and Jean Marinaccio (Linda Bennett's sisters), Linda Bennett, Miyako Tanabe, Julie, James, Darrel Kicherer's sister and the family of Eleanor Pettit.



**ASBURY  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
SEPTEMBER 12, 2021; 10:15 A.M.**

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



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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Jane Eastham is preaching**

(\* Please stand as you are able.)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"  
arr. Douglas E. Wagner

CHOIR INTROIT: "Holy, Holy, Holy" Heber/Dykes

PRAYER FOR PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands.

**People: Serve the Lord with gladness; come before his presence with singing.**

Leader: Know ye that the Lord, he is God;

**People: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.**

Leader: Enter into his gates with thanksgiving and into his courts with praise;

**People: be thankful unto him, and bless his name.**

Leader: For the Lord is good;

**People: his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations.**

\*HYMN: "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" #75

OPENING PRAYER:

**God of all, when we turn to run from you, you show us that no one can hide from your presence. When our love falters, you pursue us with your steadfast love. When our hearts grow faint, you send your Spirit to lift us up. Prepare us to receive the gift of your presence, and help us to bring your word of compassion and grace to all the world, in the name of the one who carried out your love flawlessly, Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen.**

ANTHEM: "For the Joy of Music" Natalie Sleeth

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: Jonah 3:1-10

\*HYMN: "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" #121

MESSAGE: "Second Chances"

OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY: "Meditation" Lloyd Larson

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\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

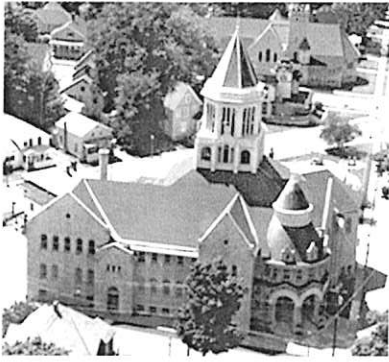
**With gratitude for all the blessings you have poured into our lives, Lord God, we come bringing these our gifts that they may be used in service to those in need. Bless these gifts and those who have given them that they may truly be a blessing in your holy name. Amen.**

\*HYMN "Let There Be Peace on Earth" #431

\*BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION: "Go Forth for God" Peacey/Douglas

POSTLUDE: "Triumphant Finale" Thomas Bliss



# ASBURY UMC

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



## SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS SEPTEMBER 19th!!

This year we are registering students for three classes:

- ◆ Age three by November 1 to Kindergarten
  - ◆ First to fourth grade
  - ◆ Fifth and sixth grade

We would also like to register 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders for a Sunday school helper program.

Contact Michelle Rudd: (315) 777-6174

## *This Week*

*September 12 - September 19, 2021*

### Meetings

**Staff Meeting @ Parlor**

- Monday, September 13: 10:15 A.M.

**Mission Committee Meeting @ Parlor**

- Monday, September 13: 7:00 P.M.

**Trustees Meeting via Zoom**

- Tuesday, September 14: 6:30 P.M.

**New Day Board Meeting @ Wesley Hall**

- Wednesday, September 15: NOON

### *Scripture of the Week*

*"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion."*

*- 2 Corinthians 9:7 -*

### Opportunities to Share

**"Esther" Bible Study w/ Max @ Parlor**

- Monday, September 13: 6:30 P.M.

**Quilting Ministry @ Sunday School Room**

- Wednesday, September 15: 9:00 A.M.

**Prayer Circle @ Parlor**

- Wednesday, September 15: 11:00 A.M.

**Agape Ringers Practice @ Sanctuary**

- Thursday, September 16: 6:15 P.M.

**Choir Practice @ Choir Room**

- Thursday, September 16: 7:15 P.M.

**Lay Servant Class @ Parlor**

- Saturday, September 18: 8:00 A.M.

## ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK



Mark and Christine Sutton  
September 15, 1996



## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



Sept. 13 Patricia Littell  
Sept. 19 Suzanne Wiley



## ASBURY'S STAFF

### ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

FAITH KIRCH

### ASSISTANT TO THE PASTOR/ DISCIPLE DEVELOPMENT

MAX BOVEE

### BROADCAST MINISTRY

BOB KURTZ

### CHILD CARE WORKER

ASHLEE WELDON

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### THE VISION OF ASBURY

*To Make Disciples for  
Jesus Christ for the  
Transformation of the World.*

### THE MISSION OF ASBURY

*To Inspire People of All  
Generations to Love, Learn  
and Lead Through Worship,  
Education, and Service.*

### THE ASBURY MOTTO

*No Matter Where You Are  
on Life's Journey,  
You are Welcome Here!*

## Outreach Opportunities

**Asbury's Outreach to Schools:** Mid-October, Asbury will be providing goodie bags to all Watertown School District staff 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 still need some CHOCOLATE – individually wrapped chocolate pieces.

**October 3rd** after Worship on Sunday. We invite you to join us in this fun venture. We will begin with pizza and then get busy assembling all the bags to deliver to the Watertown schools the week of October 4th.

## Join Us Next Sunday

### Worship Services:

8:15 A.M in the Chapel:

Susan Snell is preaching

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

Scripture: Exodus 2:11-3:6

Sermon: "Afraid to Look at God"



## Celebrating Asbury Banquet!

A special opportunity to gather in Wesley Hall for a Friday evening of fun, food and fellowship. Enjoy a dinner catered by Randy Jerome of RJ's Catering - Adams Center, at 6:00 P.M. - Friday, September 24, 2021

**Menu:** Tossed Salad, Rolls and Butter, Baked Ham, Chicken Cordon Bleu, Garlic Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Broccoli with Cheese Sauce, Fruit Salad, Beverage Station and Bavarian Raspberry Cream Layered Cake with Chocolate Frosting.

Ladies and Men will eat separately with appropriate programs to follow.

**Cost as Follows:** \$16 for Ages 11+ / \$8 for Ages 8-10 / Free for Ages 5 & Under.

Paid reservations in advance to Max Bovee by Sunday, September 12.

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### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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