

WHO ARE YOU? WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

These two questions must be answered in the life of every believer before they can experience the reality of John 10:10.

1. Who are we? (Psalm 139:13-16)

God doesn't make any mistakes. He has a plan! "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." (Ephesians 2:10)

"I chose you, and appointed you, that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should remain." (1 John 15:16)

- A. We are people who live _____ lives.
(James 4:14 and Job 7:7)
- B. We are the _____ on God's relay team.
- C. We are _____ here with a great purpose.
(Matthew 28:18-20 and Ephesians 4:11-13)

2. What are we doing here?

- A. We are left on earth to _____ as many with us as we can. (2 Peter 3:9)
- B. Battling with _____ for the souls of people.
- C. We are called to make the _____ of our _____.

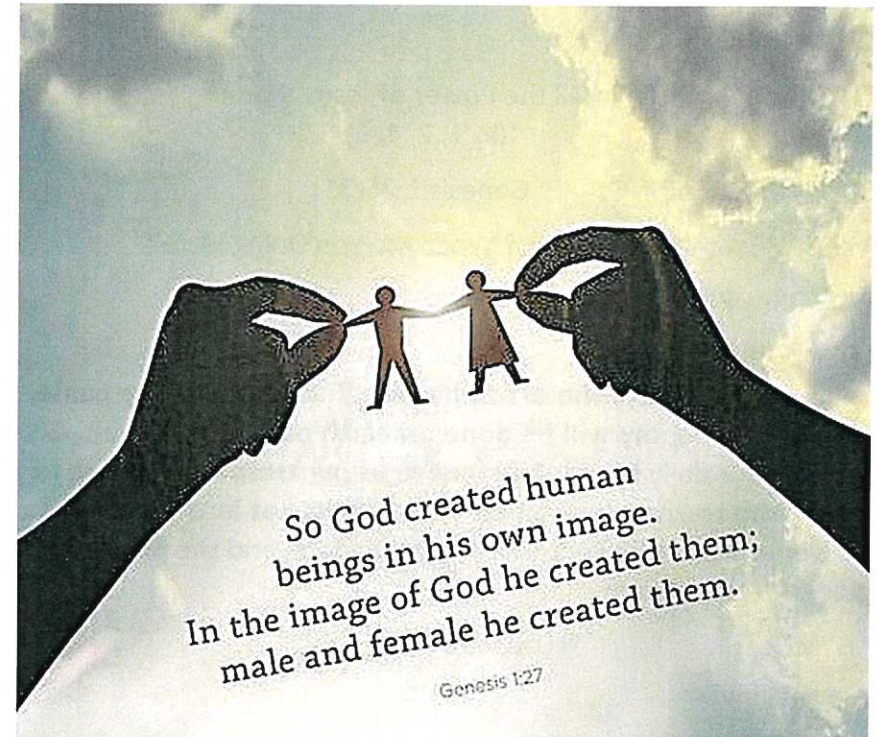
Conclusion:

The greater the _____ the less the _____ is felt.

- 1. Get _____.
- 2. Pray _____.
- 3. Look at your daily routine for ways to _____.
- 4. Be _____!

ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SEPTEMBER 12, 2021; 8:15 A.M.

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



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Max Bovee is preaching

(* Please stand as you are able.)

PRELUDE Bina West, Organist

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #154
(V. 1, 2, 4, 6)

SCRIPTURE READING: Genesis 1:26-31

MESSAGE: "Who Are You? What Are You Doing Here?"

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.

*HYMN: "I Love to Tell the Story" #156

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY

*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: "Take My Life, and Let It Be" #399

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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!

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

Organist: Bina West

Chapel Service: Max Bovee

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

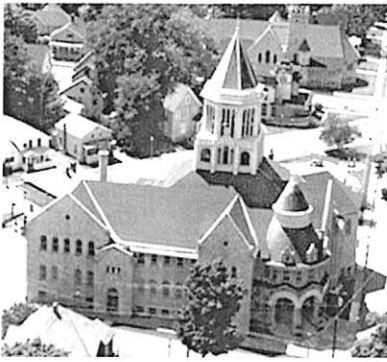
We would also like to register 7th and 8th graders for a Sunday school helper program.

Contact Michelle Rudd: (315) 777-6174

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.



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



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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

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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.