

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: 63

Online: 50

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 341

2022 Year-to-Date Total: 12,397

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Organist: Bina West

Chapel Service: Ben Rudd

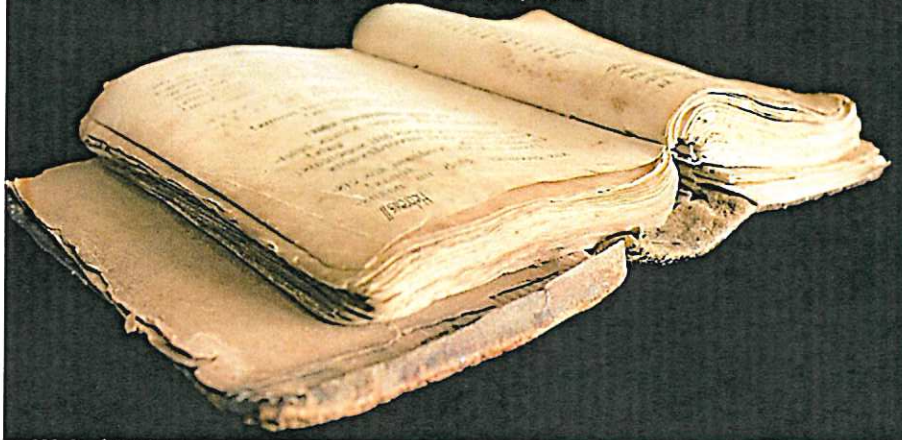
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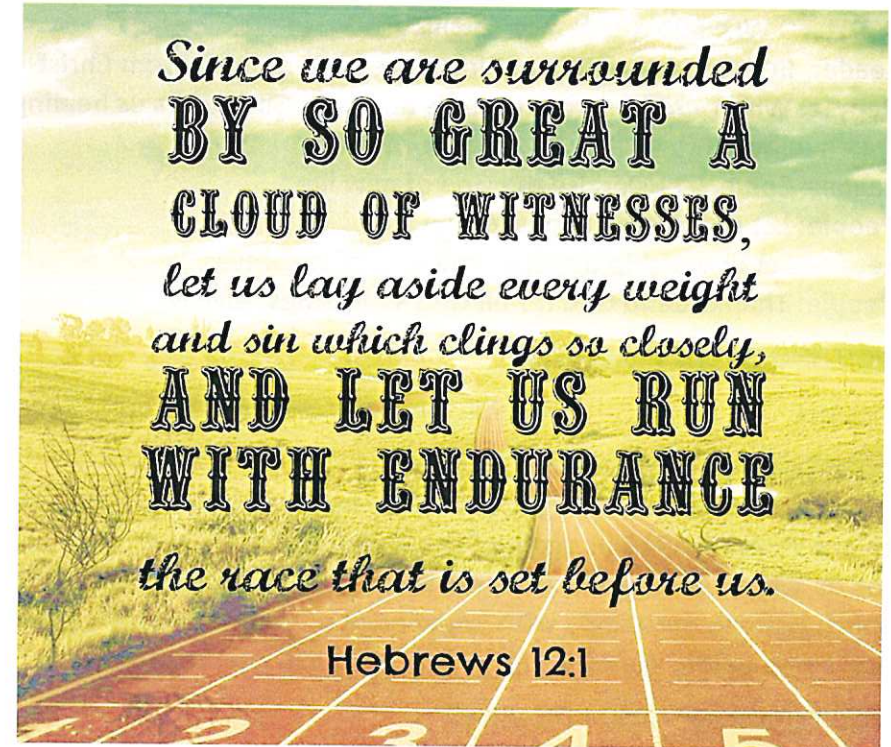
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THESE WERE ALL COMMENDED FOR THEIR FAITH, YET NONE OF THEM RECEIVED WHAT HAD BEEN PROMISED, SINCE GOD HAD PLANNED SOMETHING BETTER FOR US SO THAT ONLY TOGETHER WITH US WOULD THEY BE MADE PERFECT.



**ASBURY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
AUGUST 21, 2022; 8:15 A.M.**

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



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Ben Rudd is preaching

(* Please stand as you are able.)

PRELUDE

Janet Moshier

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP (by Nancy Townley)

Leader: In the midst of difficult times, we have new life from Christ.

People: When we think that there is no hope, God offers us healing love.

Leader: Come, let us praise the God of new life.

People: Let us sing and shout for joy.

Leader: Let us worship the One who is with us forever.

People: Thanks be to God for all God's blessings. AMEN.

LIGHTING OF THE PEACE LAMP

*HYMN: "Be Still, My Soul" #534

*OPENING PRAYER (by Nancy Townley)

Lord of hope and light, shine into our darkness and bring hope to our souls. Remind us again of the wonderful ways you have cared for us when we were lost. Open our hearts to receive your loving spirit. Refresh our minds with knowledge of your everlasting power and compassion. We offer this prayer in Christ's name. AMEN.

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: Hebrews 11:29 – 12:2

MESSAGE: "The Lord Is on My Side"

OUR OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye Heavenly Host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*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: "It Is Well with My Soul" #377

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

LET US PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Our home bound and nursing home residents: Jane Alteri, Linda Bennett, Lois Berry, Ellie Cerow, David Heasley, Bill Hickox, Bill Lennon and Stevie Mider.

Others: David Forbes' Father, Jean Sayers and the Family of Jean Luttmann.



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



2022 SIGHT & SOUND - SENIOR TRIP SPOTS

STILL AVAILABLE

Join us September 29-30, 2022 for a trip to the Sight & Sound Theatre in Lancaster, PA to see the performance "DAVID"! There are still spots available!

For more information contact: Deb Van Houten, Margie VanWie or Lindsay Webb (Coordinators)

Want to be a Greeter on Sunday Morning?

If you are interested in becoming a greeter, please let Lisa Smith know. She will provide you with simple instructions to make you feel comfortable with this important Sunday morning task.

We want everyone to feel welcome when they enter God's house – Asbury Church.

Lisa Smith: 315-778-4173

This Week

August 21 - August 28, 2022

Meetings

Staff Meeting @ Parlor

- Monday, August 22: 10:15 A.M.

Finance Meeting @ Parlor

- Tuesday, August 23: 2:00 P.M.

Christian Connections Meeting @ Parlor

- Tuesday, August 23: 6:00 P.M.

PSPRC Meeting @ Parlor

- Thursday, August 25: 6:00 P.M.

Opportunities to Share

New Day @ Wesley Hall

- Mon.-Fri., Aug. 22-Aug. 26: 7:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.

Heaven Video Study w/Max @ Parlor

- Monday, August 22: 6:30 P.M.

Memorial Service for Jean Luttmann @ Sanctuary

- Tuesday, August 23: 7:00 P.M.

Prayer Circle @ Parlor

- Wednesday, August 24: 11:00 A.M.

Scripture of the Week

"Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends."

- John 15:13 -

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Glen and Susan Snell

August 20, 1966



Toby and Myrtie Schilling

August 24, 1968



Lawrence and Kimberly Welt

August 28, 2016

Craig and Susan Gamet

August 28, 1982

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Aug. 21 Michael Schanely

Aug. 25 David Schilling

Aug. 25 Sharon Quimby

Aug. 26 Shirley Berry

Aug. 26 Nancy Dolloway



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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!*

Join Us Next Sunday, August 28th

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M in the Chapel:

Sue Snell is preaching

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

Scripture: John 15: 1-5

Sermon: "I AM THE VINE"



ASBURY BOOK CLUB

The Asbury Book Club usually meets the first Friday of the month at 9:30 A.M. in the parlor, except for July and August. During the month of August we will be reading *The Shell Seekers* by Rosamunde Pilcher. We will be meeting on September 9th for a discussion of this book.

The Shell Seekers by Rosamunde Pilcher (1997)

The daughter of a famous artist, Penelope Stern returns to the town of Porthkerris on the Cornwall shore. There she visits the scenes of her famous father's artistic life and comes to terms with her mortality and her relationship with her children.

Chancel Choir is Looking for New Members

The Chancel Choir would like to invite singers to join us when we resume in September! All parts – soprano, alto, tenor and bass – are needed and welcome! Although you do not have to be able to read music, it is helpful. You also do not have to attend every rehearsal or every Sunday service.

Our first rehearsal will be September 8th at 7:15 P.M. in the choir room downstairs off of Wesley Hall. Our first Sunday service for the 2022-2023 year will be September 11th!

Please contact Cathy Mowers with any questions: 315-778-5313 or 315-232-3275

Praise Band to Resume Fall 2022

We are planning to resume rehearsing in September, and play for the 2nd Sunday of each month (except September) as we had before we were shut down.

We have music for concert band instruments: flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, french horn, baritone, trombone and tuba, (percussion, especially toys, i.e. cymbal, wood block, jingle bells, etc. is sometimes included). Praise Band usually practices Thursday evenings before choir. Possible times are 5:15-6:00 or 6:30-7:15.

Our 1st rehearsal will be, Thursday, September 15th.

If you play and would like to join us, please let Cathy Mowers know.

Also contact Cathy if you have any questions: 315-778-5313 or 315-232-3275.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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

PASTOR LAURA'S OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 10:00 A.M.- NOON