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: 49

Online: 26

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 276

2022 Year-to-Date Total: 12.673

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters: Carol Stoodley, Jim Juczak and Krista Juczak

Liturgist: Leon VanWie

Organist: Ghilyana Dordzhieva Chapel Service: Sue Snell

Acolytes: Olivia Lehman, Jaelah Liriano, Anthony Patrick, Abigail

Patrick, Michael Rudd and Ruzena Rudd

Shepherds: Bonnie Peck and Pam Quimby

Ushers: Lorraine Irwin Bill Plemons

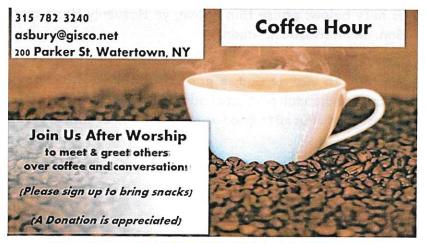
Bill Smith Darlene Town

Wayne Morris James Rafferty

Lisa Smith Patrick Town

Orie Phillips Dale Scott Carol Stoodley Leon VanWie

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ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AUGUST 28, 2022; 10:15 A.M.

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

(* Please stand as you are able.)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE:

"Draw Me Close to You"

Orange #28

"I'm Gonna Sing When the Spirit Says Sing"

(I'm Gonna Pray) (I'm Gonna Moan)

(I'm Gonna Shout)

Praise Team

PRAYER FOR PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God of all beginnings, thank you for the gift of this new day.

People: Thank you for pruning me with compassion, bringing forth new understandings.

Leader: God of all beginnings, open our hearts and minds to your leading.

People: God of all beginnings, we welcome your presence among us today.

*HYMN:

"My Life Is in You, Lord"

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*OPENING PRAYER

Wondrous Vinegrower, you make all things new in water and Word, feeding your people with love, joy and peace. Lead us today and every day to the font of new beginnings. Teach us to love what you have commanded and to prune what does not nourish your creation. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC:

"Amazing Grace"

Jim Rafferty

& Lisa Smith

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM: Lucas Allen Simmons

YOUNG DISCIPLES 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 15: 1-5

*HYMN:

"Abide with Me"

#700

MESSAGE:

"I Am the Vine"

OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY:

"My Sweet Lord"

(I Really Want to See You, Lord)

Praise Team

*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:

"Hymn of Promise"

#707

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE:

"The Lord Is My Shepherd"

by L. Smith

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



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! You do not have to be able to read music, but it is helpful. You do not have to attend every rehearsal or every Sunday service.

Our first rehearsal is 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

ASBURY BOOK CLUB

The Asbury Book Club meets the first Friday of the month at 9:30 A.M. in the parlor, except for July and August. During August we will be reading The Shell Seekers by Rosamunde Pilcher. We will meet 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.

This Week

August 28 - September 4, 2022

Meetings

New Day Staff Meeting & Training @ Wesley Hall

- Monday, August 29: 9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

Staff Meeting @ Parlor

Monday, August 29: 10:15 A.M.

Worship Committee Meeting via Zoom

Tuesday, August 30: 7:00 P.M.

Rev. Weeden Clergy Meetings @ Parlor

Wednesday, August 31: 10:30 A.M. - 8:30 P.M.

Opportunities to Share

New Day @ Wesley Hall

Men's Fellowship Breakfast @ !HOP

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



Sept. 2 William Lennon

Sept. 2 Jackson Coles

Sept. 3 Sylvia George

Sept. 3 Sharon Satterlee

Sept. 4 Craig Gamet

- Mon.-Tues. Aug. 29-30: 7:00 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.

Prayer Circle @ Sunday School Room

- Wednesday, August 31: 11:00 A.M.

- Saturday, September 3: 8:00 A.M.

<u>ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK</u>

Lawrence and Kimberly Welt August 28, 2016



Craig and Susan Gamet August 28, 1982

Robert and Jean LaSage

August 31, 1962



Pastor Laura will be spending next weekend in Buffalo, helping her mom transition to assisted living.

ASBURY'S STAFF

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ASSISTANT TREASURER **DEBORAH VAN HOUTEN**

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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, September 4th

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M in the Chapel:

Rev. Toby Schilling is preaching

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Rev. Toby Schilling is preaching



New Bible Study Offered This Fall - Led by Rev. Laura Calos

For 6 weeks this fall, beginning on Monday, September 12th, I will be leading a study by Susan Robb, "Called: Hearing and Responding to God's Voice".

We will meet in the Parlor on Mondays at 3:00 P.M., and conclude as close to 4:00 P.M. as our discussions allow.

We will be using a DVD prepared for this study and have discussion following the presentation. I have 11 books pre-ordered for those who would like to read the lesson ahead of time. The cost for the book is \$9.00. What follows is our schedule and topics:

September 12th: "Father Abraham" October 10th: NO CLASS DUE TO

September 19th: "Samuel"

NATIONAL HOLIDAY

September 26th: "Esther"

October 3rd: "Jonah"

October 17th: "Mary Magdalene"

October 24th: "The Beloved Disciple"

I hope you will join me in this closer look into the lives of our Biblical heroes, and explore God's call in their lives.

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).

We have music for concert band instruments: flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, French horn, baritone, trombone, tuba and percussion (especially toys, i.e. cymbal, wood block, jingle bells, etc.) is sometimes included. Praise Band will be practicing Thursday evenings at 5:00 P.M.

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.

Asbury Fall Rummage Sale in October!!

Official sale dates and times coming soon!

You may start to bring your items. Go to the church office to have Faith open the Wesley Hall door or bring items on Sundays. NO COMPUTER EQUIPMENT OR CLOTHING, PLEASE.

ANY QUESTIONS, Call Susan Snell, 315-782-8235

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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

PASTOR LAURA'S OFFICE HOURS

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