

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: 79

Online: 30

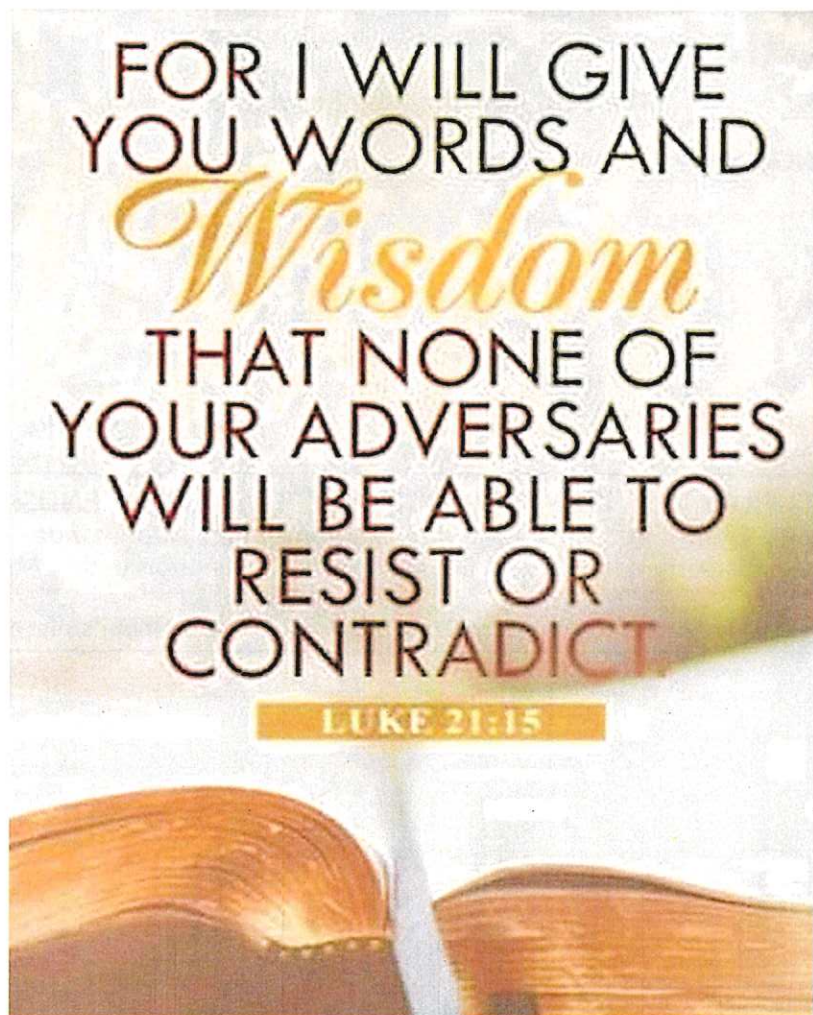
Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 374

2022 Year-to-Date Total: 16,938

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

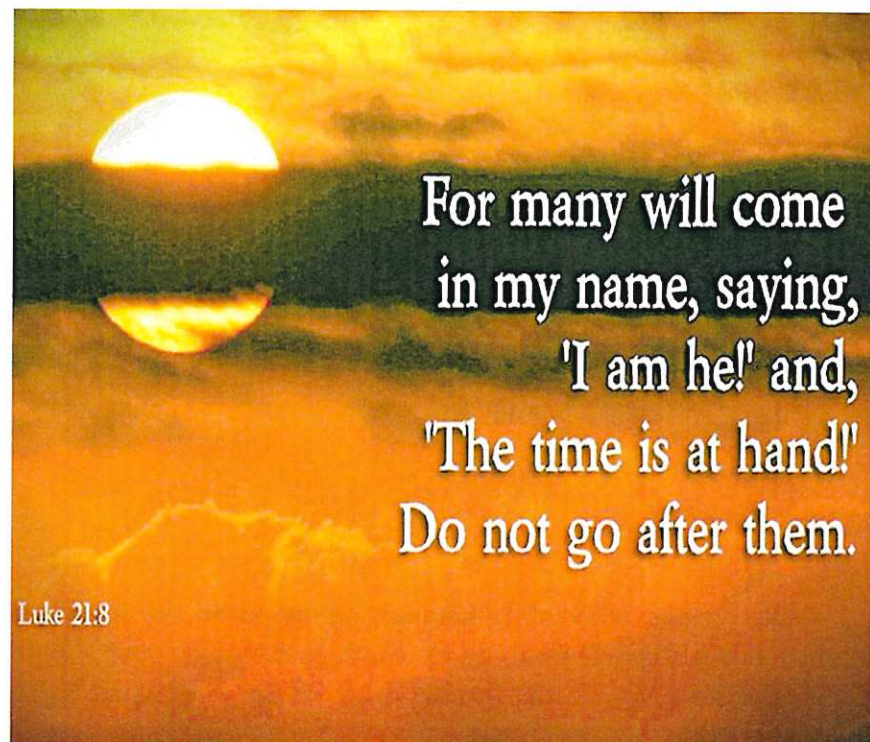
Organist: Bina West

Chapel Service: Wayne Morris



**ASBURY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
NOVEMBER 13, 2022; 8:15 A.M.**

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



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Wayne Morris is preaching

(* Please stand as you are able.)

WELCOME Bina West, Organist

PRAYER FOR PEACE

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

*OPENING PRAYER

O God, in Christ you give us hope for a new heaven and a new earth. Grant us wisdom to interpret the signs of our times, courage to stand in the time of trial, and faith to witness your truth and love. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 21: 5-19

*HYMN: "Trust and Obey" #467

MESSAGE: "STRONGER THAN YOU THINK"

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.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S GIFT TO US

OFFERTORY MUSIC

*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.

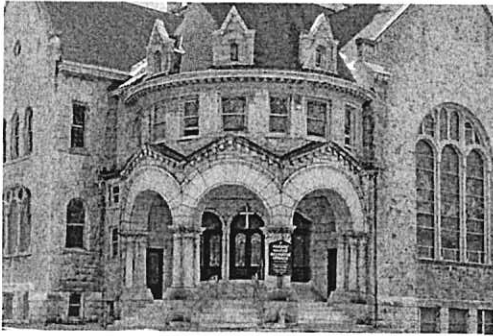
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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: "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" #717

SENDING FORTH

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 Lennon and Stevie Mider.
Others: David Forbes' Father, Kim Sevier (Bruce & Lorraine Irwin's niece).



ASBURY UMC

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



This Week

November 13 - November 20, 2022

Meetings

Staff Meeting @ Parlor

- Monday, November 14: 10:15 A.M.

Missions Committee Meeting @ Parlor

- Monday, November 14: 3:30 P.M.

Finance Committee Meeting @ Parlor

- Tuesday, November 15: 2:00 P.M.

New Day Board Meeting @ Wesley Hall

- Wednesday, November 16: NOON

Asbury Book Club

Next Discussion: Friday, December 2nd in the parlor.

The book we will be discussing is titled Ordinary Grace by William Krueger (2013).

Looking back at a tragic event that occurred during his 13th year, Frank Drum explores how a complicated web of secrets, adultery, and betrayal shattered his Methodist family and their small 1961 Minnesota community.

Annual Charge Conference

The Annual Charge Conference is scheduled for **Monday, November 21st, beginning at 6:30 P.M.**

This year the meeting will be held jointly with First UMC of Watertown, and will be at the First UMC: 236 Mullin Street. All Asbury church members are invited to attend!

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



Nov. 14 Martha Jablonski
Nov. 15 Betty Babcock
Nov. 16 Meagan Scott



ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK



Dr. Frank and Joanne Rhode
November 19, 1983



Opportunities to Share

River Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Sunday, November 13: NOON

NCS Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Sunday, November 13: 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Monday, November 14: NOON - 2:00 P.M.

Asbury Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Monday, November 14: 6:15 P.M.

Quilting Ministry @ Sunday School Room

- Wednesday, November 16: 9:30 A.M.

Prayer Circle @ Parlor

- Wednesday, November 16: 11:00 A.M.

Junior Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Wednesday, November 16: 4:00 P.M.

NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Thursday, November 17: NOON - 2:00 P.M.

Praise Band Rehearsal @ Choir Room

- Thursday, November 17: 5:30 P.M.

Agape Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Thursday, November 17: 6:15 P.M.

Choir Rehearsal @ Choir Room

- Thursday, November 17: 7:15 P.M.

River Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Sunday, November 20 : NOON

NCS Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

- Sunday, November 20: 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Scripture of the Week

"God comforts us when we are in trouble, so we may be able to comfort others."

- 2 Corinthians 1:4 -

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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, November 20th

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:

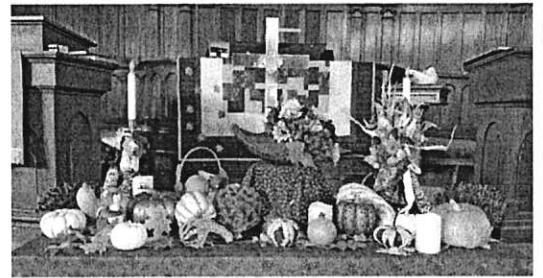
Jean Marshall is preaching

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

Scripture: Matthew 5: 1-12

Sermon: "Sometimes Truth Hurts"



ASBURY'S ANNUAL WREATH SALE

The Finance Committee is again sponsoring the annual wreath sale.

This year we will be selling the following:

Undecorated Wreath - \$22 Decorated Wreath - \$25

Sprays - \$25

Mailbox Huggies - \$25

There are only 150 wreaths for sale, so they will be sold on a first come first serve basis.

We also have 25 sprays and 25 mailbox huggies available.

If you would like to purchase a wreath for the church doors, please contact Lynn Morgan at 315-493-2637. We will have 5 wreaths on the church doors.

Wreath orders MUST be placed by Sunday, November 20th, so that Hemlock Haven will have enough time to make the products for delivery to Asbury on November 28th.

With the onset of cooler weather, the Finance Committee hopes that the wreath sale will help with the escalating fuel costs. We deeply appreciate your support of this annual fundraiser!

4-Week Adult Advent Study: Beginning Monday, November 28th

Pastor Laura will be leading another study by author Susan Robb for the season of Lent. **We will again offer the study on Monday afternoons, beginning at 3:00 P.M. The study books are \$12 a piece and can be picked up in the church office.** Use of a study book is optional.

The Angels of Christmas: Hearing God's Voice in Advent, explores the four angelic visits surrounding the birth of Jesus with Zechariah, Mary, Joseph, and the shepherds. In this study, the reader will explore the visits and dive deep into the history of the angel Gabriel - and other angels - in the Old Testament. The Angels of Christmas uses four angelic appearances to discuss God's presence in history and our lives today. The messages of the angels hold meaning for listeners both then and now.

Please join us for learning and lively discussion this Advent. Please reach out to Pastor Laura with any questions.

SALVATION ARMY RED KETTLE BELL RINGING CAMPAIGN

Asbury will be signing people up to ring on **Friday, Dec. 9th and Saturday, Dec. 10th** at Piggly Wiggly (across from Watertown High School) and at Runnings (next to Hannaford)

in intervals from 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Contact Paul Simmons: 315-783-7302 if you would like to sign up to ring!

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