

**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: 77

Online: 43

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 136

2023 Year-to-Date Total: 3,931

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY**

**Organist:** Bina West

**Chapel Service:** Rev. Laura Calos



**ASBURY  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
APRIL 2, 2023; 8:15 A.M.**

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



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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Rev. Laura Calos is preaching**

(\* Please stand as you are able.)

PRELUDE

Bina West, Organist

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Draw near to the cross of Christ.

**People: We draw near with awe and gratitude.**

Leader: Enter this ancient and sacred story.

**People: We enter, open to transformation.**

**\*HYMN:** "All Glory, Laud and Honor" #280

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

**Holy One, Author of New Life, open our hearts, minds, and souls to enter again into this sacred journey of Christ's passion and death. Help us walk in the way of Jesus. Help us find our place on this path. Invite our hearts to be moved and our faith to be stirred. In your holy name, we pray. 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: Luke 19: 36-40

MESSAGE: "The Stones Would Shout Out"

HOLY COMMUNION

#13

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**

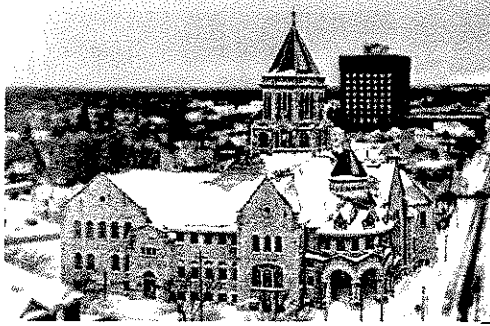
**We offer to you, O God, a portion of our wealth, a larger portion of our hands, a full portion of our hearts. Please receive these gifts and bless them. Put all to good use for the work of your kingdom. Amen.**

**\*HYMN:** "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" #278

**\*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 Lennon and Stevie Mider.  
**Others:** David Forbes' Father and Kim Sevier.



# ASBURY UMC

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



## *This Week*

*April 2 - April 9, 2023*

### Opportunities to Share

**Salvation Army Pancake Breakfast @ 723 State St.**

- Sunday, April 2: 8:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

**Asbury Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**

- Monday, April 3: 6:15 P.M.

**Quilting Ministry @ Sunday School Room**

- Wednesday, April 5: 9:30 A.M.

**Prayer Circle @ Parlor**

- Wednesday, April 5: 11:00 A.M.

**Junior Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**

- Wednesday, April 5: 4:00 P.M.

**Praise Band Rehearsal @ Choir Room**

- Thursday, April 6: 5:30 P.M.

**Maundy Thursday Service @ Chapel**

- Thursday, April 6: 6:30 P.M.

**Choir Rehearsal @ Choir Room**

- Thursday, April 6: 7:15 P.M.

**Asbury Book Club @ Parlor**

- Friday, April 7: 9:30 A.M.

**Good Friday Services @ Chapel**

Friday, April 7: 12:15 P.M. and 6:15 P.M.

**Easter Sunrise Service @ Thompson Park Pinnacle**

- Sunday, April 9: 6:31 A.M.

### Meetings

**Staff Meeting @ Parlor**

- Monday, April 3: 10:15 A.M.

**Christian Connections Meeting @ Parlor**

- Tuesday, April 4: 6:00 P.M.

### Holy Week Worship Services

Thursday, April 6: 6:30 P.M.

**Maundy Thursday Service @ Chapel**

Friday, April 7: 12:15 & 6:15 P.M.

**Good Friday Services @ Chapel**

Sunday, April 9th: 6:31 A.M.

**Sunrise Service @ Thompson Park Pinnacle**

Sunday, April 9th: 8:15 A.M.

**Chapel Service @ Chapel**

Sunday, April 9th: 10:15 A.M.

**Main Worship Service @ Sanctuary**

### ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK



**John and Eleanor Cerow**

April 3, 1976



### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

**April 2 James Baker**

**April 3 Maggie Webb**

**April 3 Glen Snell**

**April 4 Heather Granger**

**April 4 Mark Smith**

**April 9 Marilyn Brown**

  
*Palm Sunday*



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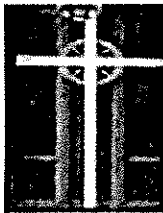
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*To Make Disciples for  
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*To Inspire People of All  
Generations to Love, Learn  
and Lead Through Worship,  
Education, and Service.*

**THE ASBURY MOTTO**

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

*Join Us Next Sunday, April 9th*

**Worship Services:**

**8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:**

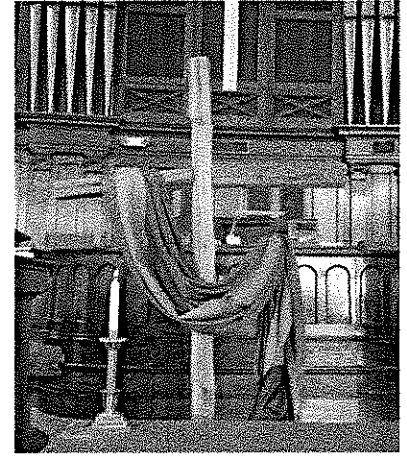
Sue Snell is preaching

**10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:**

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

Scripture: John 20: 1-18

Sermon: "Rebirth Continues"



**Asbury Book Club**

**Friday, April 7th at 9:30 A.M. in the Parlor**

*The Lost Girls of Willowbrook* by Ellen Marie Wiseman (2022)

When 16-year old Sage Winters learns her twin sister didn't die, that she was actually committed to an institution from which she just went missing, Sage sets out to find her twin, and ends up being mistaken for her.

This book is available for purchase online if you are interested!

**Rummage Sale Donations Being Accepted!**

Now is the time to start hoeing out! We accept everything except clothing and computers. Please clean your donations! Items can be taken downstairs to the room to the left of the stage Monday through Thursday from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. or on Sundays. Thank you!

The Spring Rummage and Plant Sale will be held on May 12 and 13.

**Scripture of the Week**

"He counts the number of the stars; He calls them all by name."

- Psalm 147:4 -



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**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

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

**PASTOR LAURA'S OFFICE HOURS**

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