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: 101

Online: 35

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 384

2023 Year-to-Date Total: 4,315

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters: Linda Adams, Judy Cota, Jane Eastham, Frank Massa and Carol

Stoodley

Liturgist: Sue Snell

Organist: Lisa Smith 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 Carol Stoodley

Wayne Morris James Rafferty

Lisa Smith

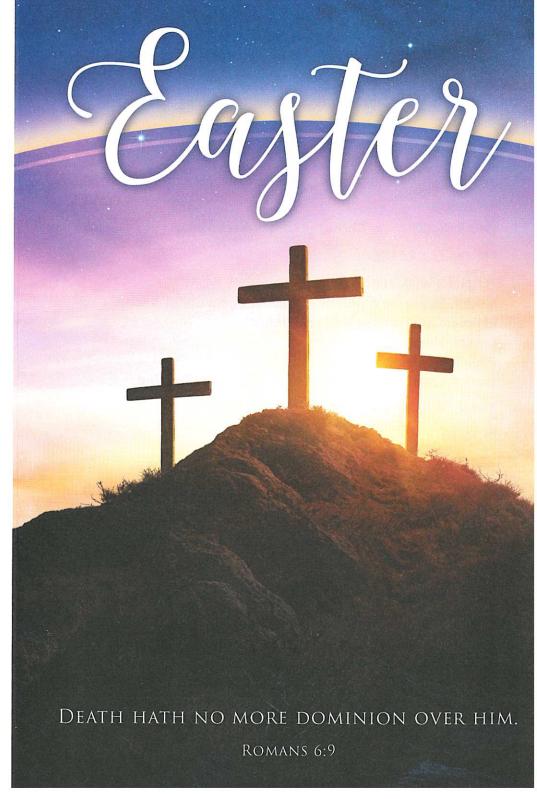
Darlene Town

Orie Phillips Dale Scott

Glen Snell Patrick Town

Leon VanWie Dan Webb





EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE APRIL 9, 2023 - 10:15 A.M.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

(* Please stand as you are able.)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE:

"On Christ, the Solid Rock, I Stand" arr. Stan Pethel

Praise Band

CHOIR INTROIT:

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Wesley

PRAYER FOR PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: This is the day of new beginnings, for Christ is risen.

People: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Leader: The Lord be with you. People: And also, with you.

Leader: Let us greet one another in Christian Fellowship.

*TIME OF GREETING

*HYMN:

"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

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(verses 1-4)

*OPFNING PRAYER

God of hope, in the midst of death, you call forth life. When all hope seemed gone, you raised Jesus from the grave. God of new life, raise us up with all your people. God of joy, fill our hearts with alleluias as we sing your praises. Amen.

CHOIR ANTHEM:

"Let the Trumpet Sound"

N. Sleeth

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 20: 1-18

*HYMN:

"Christ Is Risen"

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MESSAGE:

"Rebirth Continues"

OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY:

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

arr. Michael

Burkhardt

*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:

"Thine Be the Glory"

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*BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION: "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Wesley

*POSTLUDE:

"Easter Joy"

R.S. Morrison

LET US PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

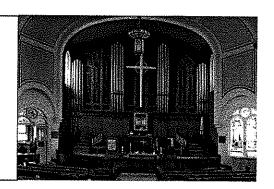
Our home bound and nursing home residents: Jane Alteri, Linda Bennett Lois Berry, Ellie Cerow, David Heasley, Bill Lennon and Stevie Mider.

Others: David Forbes' Father and Kim Sevier.



ASBURY UMC

Opportunities to Share Our Love for God and Each Other



<u>This Week</u> April 9 - April 16, 2023

Opportunities to Share

Asbury Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

Monday, April 10: 6:15 P.M.

Prayer Circle @ Parlor

Wednesday, April 12: 11:00 A.M.

Praise Band Rehearsal @ Choir Room

- Thursday, April 13: 5:30 P.M.

Agape Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary

Thursday, April 13: 6:15 P.M.

Choir Rehearsal @ Choir Room

Thursday, April 13: 7:15 P.M.

NURSERY NOW OPEN!

The nursery is now open on Sundays during the Main Worship service! It is located near the Parker Street entrance in the Sunday School room. Your children will be taken care of by our Nursery Care Worker, Anne Marie Gianfagna, and an assistant.



BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



April 9 Marilyn Brown April 10 Lisa Smith April 12 Lorraine Irwin

April 16 Jeffrey Sero



Meetings

Staff Meeting @ Parlor

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

Missions Committee Meeting @ Parlor

- Monday, April 10: 6:30 P.M.

Trustees Meeting @ Parlor

- Tuesday, April 11: 6:30 P.M.

April 30th - Contemporary Service

THEME: "Alleluia Anyway"

Enjoy Laura's special message, the Praise Team leading you in worship, and some children's music!

What a great time to invite a friend, a neighbor or a family member!

The service is intended to be a bit more casual so it is the perfect time to invite someone new!

If you personally have any interest in singing or playing an instrument, please feel free to contact the Praise Team at: 315-783-1105.

We hope to see you there!

Sign Up for Coffee Hour!

It's a great time to sign up for Coffee Hour!
You can host with a group or individually!
A sign-up sheet and Coffee Hour instructions are on the Coffee Hour table in the Rotunda.

<u>Sunday, April 30th</u> is still available to host if anyone is interested!

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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, April 16th

Worship Services:

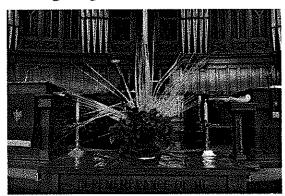
8:15 A.M. in the Chapel: Jane Eastham is preaching

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Rev. Laura Calos is preaching

Scripture: John 20: 19-29

Sermon: "I Will Not Believe"



Asbury Book Club Friday, May 5th at 9:30 A.M. in the Parlor

The Thursday Murder Club by Richard Osman (2020)

"In a peaceful retirement village, four unlikely friends meet weekly to discuss unsolved crimes; together they call themselves The Thursday Murder Club. When a local developer is found dead, the Thursday Murder Club suddenly finds themselves in the middle of their first live case. The friends might be septuagenarians, but they are cleverer than most. Can our unorthodox but brilliant gang catch the killer before it's too late?"

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



Scripture of the Week

"The name of the Lord is a strong tower." - Proverbs 18:10 -

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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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