

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: 71

Online: 65

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 316

2023 Year-to-Date Total: 9,216

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters: Jean Marshall, Carol Stoodley, Lindsay Webb and Jaelah Liriano

Liturgist: Angelo Gonzales

Organist: Laura Washburn

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Acolytes: Olivia Lehman, Jaelah Liriano, Anthony Patrick, Abigail Patrick,
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**ASBURY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
AUGUST 6, 2023; 10:15 A.M.**

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



Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds. They all ate and were satisfied.

Matthew 14:19-20

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Pastor Michael Terrell is preaching.

(* - Indicates please stand, if able.)

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: "Heaven and Home Medley" arr. Ham

PRAYER FOR PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, all who are weary.

People: Christ strengthens us with love and grace.

Leader: In strength, we can do all things.

People: We are here, ready to receive God's blessings.

*TIME OF GREETING

*HYMN: "Trust and Obey" #467

*OPENING PRAYER

Mighty God, pour out your power and strength on us. Grant us the nourishment we need to receive your word. May your presence fill our lives and carry us forth, preparing us to be your people and equipping us to do your work in the world. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

PASTOR'S TIME WITH OUR YOUNG DISCIPLES

MISSION MOMENT

SHARING OF JOYS/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: The Gospel According to Matthew 14: 13-21

*HYMN: "Dear Jesus, in Whose Life I See" #468

MESSAGE: "Broken and Filled, Together"

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

As Jesus welcomed the thousands to share in a feast created from a few loaves and some fish, Christ welcomes us now to this abundant feast of holy communion, where we are fed with God's grace and love.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (Insert)

GIVING AND RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

OUR OFFERING

OFFERTORY: "Water to Wine" arr. Dino

*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

Holy Spirit, as you blessed Jacob long ago, bless us now. As you blessed bread and fish on a Galilean shore, bless and transform these gifts into abundant blessings for those in need; bless and guide our ministries into avenues for your mercy and grace. In your blessed name, we pray. Amen.

*HYMN: "Standing on the Promises" #374

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE: "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands" arr. Ham

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 the family of Kim Sevier.

Great Thanksgiving



The Lord be with you.

And also, with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing.... we praise your name and join their unending hymn, saying:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest!

Holy are you..... as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us....through Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forevermore.

Amen.



ASBURY UMC

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



This Week

August 6 - August 13, 2023

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Aug. 7 David Stoodley

Aug. 10 Lori Hill

Aug. 11 Allyson Van Houten

Aug. 12 John Bowles

Aug. 12 Margie VanWie



Sunday School

The Sunday School Committee would love some new members!
Please see Michelle Rudd (michelle.marie.rudd@gmail.com)
for details about joining our **zoom meeting on Tuesday,**
August 8th at 6:00 P.M.

Meetings

Sunday School Meeting via Zoom

- Tuesday, August 8: 6:00 P.M.

Trustees Meeting @ Parlor

- Tuesday, August 8: 6:30 P.M.

Contemporary Service

The next Contemporary Service is on **Sunday, August 13th at 10:15 A.M.** Sunday's worship services are perfect for inviting a friend, neighbor, and/or family member to Asbury Church!

Opportunities to Share

Move Sanctuary Furniture Off Carpet

- Sunday, July 6: After Worship

Carpet Cleaning Around Church

- Monday, August 7: 9:00 A.M.

Video Study w/ Max @ Parlor

- Monday, August 7: 6:30 P.M.

Prayer Circle @ Parlor

- Wednesday, August 9: 11:00 A.M.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be **Tuesday, August 22nd - Thursday, August 24th.**

The program will be "Pets Unleashed: Where Jesus Cares 'Fur' You" by Group Publishing. For ages 4 years old to entering 6th grade.

The program will run from 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. each night with dinner at 5:30 P.M.

To register: <https://forms.gle/59RA7FJV8jV6nTKr8>

Register by Sunday, August 13th

Any questions, email Sarah Lehman at sundayschool@westelcom.com
or call the church office at 315-782-3240.

Sign Up for Coffee Hour!

It's a great time to sign up for Coffee Hour! A sign-up sheet and instructions are on the table in the Rotunda.

Sunday, August 20th is still available for anyone interested!

Scripture of the Week

"I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without me you can do nothing."

- John 15:5 -



**Would you like to help serve communion?
See Frances Goutremout to sign up!**



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THE VISION OF ASBURY

*To Make Disciples of
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 13th

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:

Michelle Rudd is preaching

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Michael Terrell is preaching



Items Needed for VBS (to borrow):

- Stuffed toy dogs or cats (also looking for a hamster/guinea pig)
- Flameless pillar candles (6)
- Lantern flashlights (6)
- 5 gallon, clean commercial buckets (like Lowes/Home Depot) for a water play game (6)
- A heavy duty dog leash (6)
- A leash and collar (can be small - will be used on a stuffed animal)
- Fish bowls (4)
- Old, clean T-shirts (cotton/cotton blend - these will be cut up for a craft project)
- An old flat bedsheets (pink or red - will be cut up for a skit)
- An empty extra large dry dog food bag (using for a skit - the bigger the bag the better)

There is a drop off box in the back of the rotunda. You can also contact Sarah Lehman:
315-767-2641.

We would like to have items in by Sunday, August 13th.

Asbury's Annual Bus Trip!

Wednesday, September 20th and Thursday, September 21st, 2023

We will be seeing "Moses" at the Sight & Sound Theatre in PA and we will be taking a bus tour of the Gettysburg Battlefield.

COST: \$325.00 per person. Deposit of \$150.00 per person due ASAP.

Checks made payable to "Asbury UMC" with "Lancaster Trip" in the memo line and must be given to Lindsay Webb or mailed to her at PO Box 27, Brownville, NY 13615; to be recorded and credited.

Price will include: Bus service/tip, Sight and Sound Tickets, overnight at Bird-in-Hand Resort (and tip), Wednesday supper, Thursday breakfast and a boxed lunch at the Gettysburg Battlefield.

Singles: You must have a traveling companion and roommate.

Questions: Call Margie VanWie at 315-771-9178, Lindsay Webb at 315-408-5099 or Rev. Leon VanWie at 315-771-9142.

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PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

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

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