

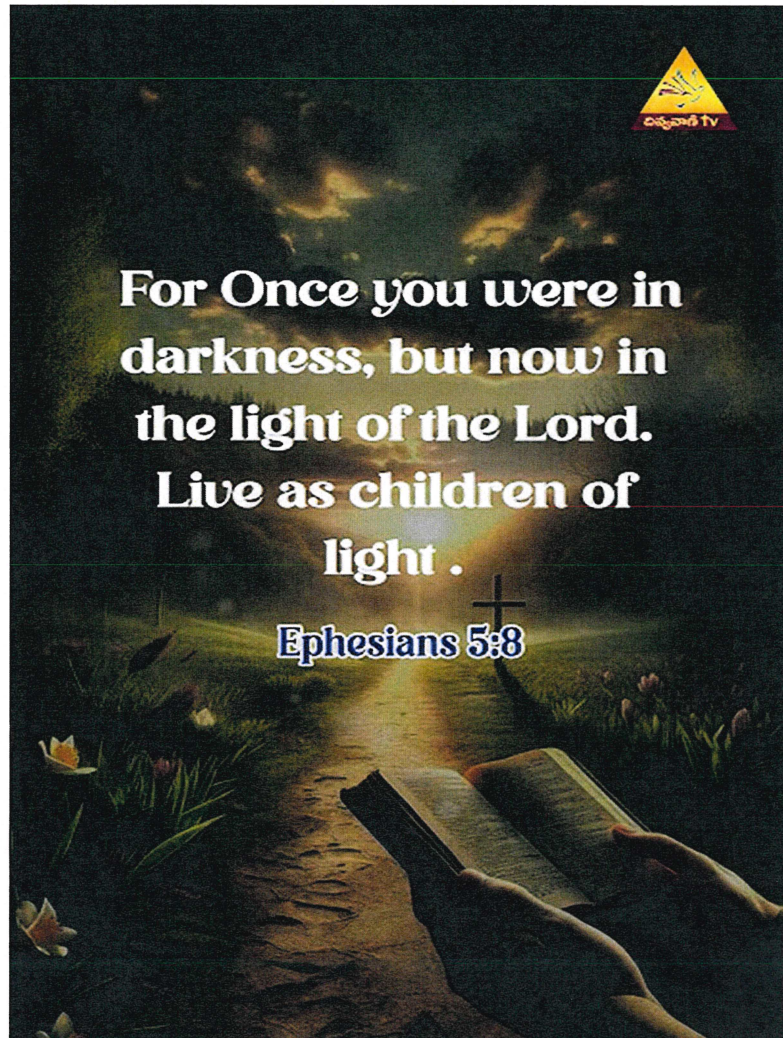
WELCOME CENTER: First time at Asbury? Stop by our welcome center if you have questions or if you would like a copy of our latest newsletter or other brochures!

WEEKLY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Sunday: In Person: 96
Online: 100
Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 384
2025 Year-to-Date Total: 16,992

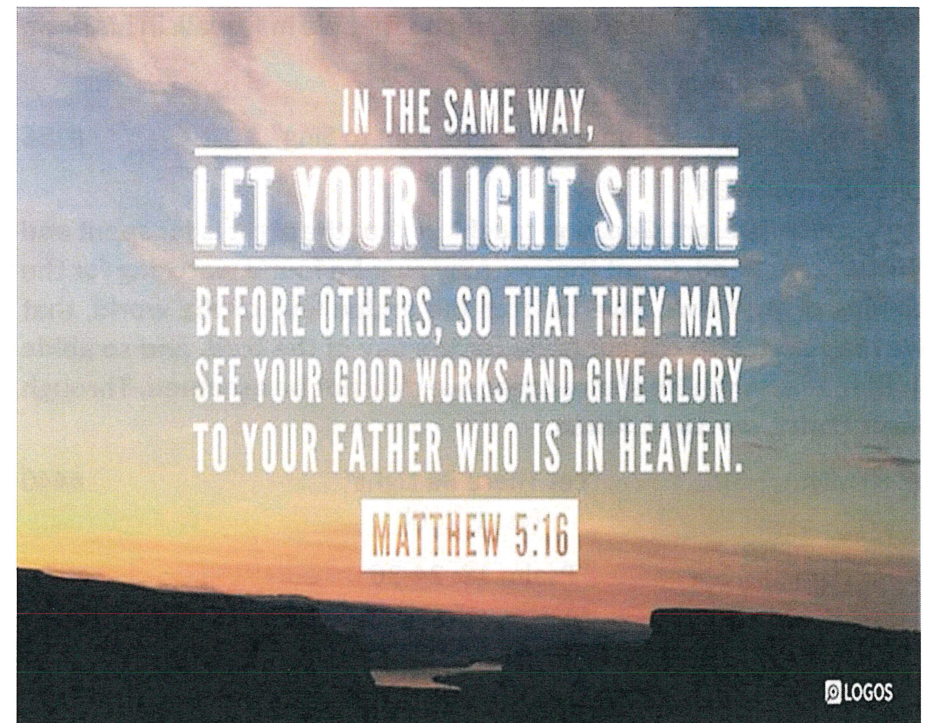
WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Organist: Bina West
Chapel Service: Jean Marshall



**ASBURY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
NOVEMBER 16, 2025; 8:15 A.M.**


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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Jean Marshall is preaching.

( - Indicates please stand, if able, in posture or in spirit.)

WELCOME Bina West, Organist

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, let us walk in the light of the Lord.


People: That he may teach His ways and that we may walk in his path.

PRAYER FOR PEACE

 HYMN: "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" #158

OPENING PRAYER

Ever present God, you taught us that the night is far spent and the day is at hand. Grant that we may ever be found watching for the coming of your Son. Save us from the undue love of the world, that we may wait with patient hope for the day of the Lord, and so abide in Him, that when He shall appear, we may not be ashamed. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

 HYMN: "Let There Be Light" #440
(vs. 1, 2, 6)

SCRIPTURES: Psalm 18: 24-36
Matthew 5: 13-16
Ephesians 5: 6-14

MESSAGE: "Darkness and Light"

ANY PRAYER CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE 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 GIFTS TO US


OFFERTORY

 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.

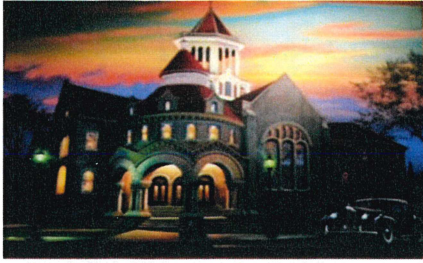
 HYMN: "God of Grace and God of Glory" #577
(vs. 1, 4)

SENDING FORTH

LET US PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Our home bound and nursing home residents: Linda Bennett, Lois Berry, Shirley Berry, Ellie Cerow, Jim Coutu, Betty Gill, David Heasley, and Bill Lennon.

Others: Theresa Bierman, Patty C., Tom Carlisle, Rev. Bruce Chapman and wife, Connie Hewitt, Mike Hill, Colleen M., Keri Morris, Kathy Ruhm, Gerald Tucker, William Van Houten, the Family of Jean Sayers, and the Family of Orie Phillips.



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



This Week

November 16 - November 23, 2025

Meetings

- Staff Meeting @ Parlor**
- Monday, November 17: 10:15 A.M.
- Finance Committee Meeting @ Parlor**
- Tuesday, November 18: 2:00 P.M.
- New Day Board Meeting @ Parlor**
- Wednesday, November 19: NOON

Opportunities to Share

- Northern Choral Society Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- TODAY, November 16: 1:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.
- NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- Monday, November 17: 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
- Asbury Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- Monday, November 17: 6:15 P.M.
- NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- Tuesday, November 18: 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
- Quilting Ministry @ Sunday School Room**
- Wednesday, November 19: 9:00 A.M.
- Prayer Circle @ Parlor**
- Wednesday, November 19: 10:30 A.M.
- NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- Thursday, November 20: 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
- Agape Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- Thursday, November 20: 6:15 P.M.
- Choir Rehearsal @ Choir Room**
- Thursday, November 20: 7:15 P.M.
- New Day Fall Festival Set-Up @ Wesley Hall**
- Friday, November 21: All Day
- Choir Warm-Up @ Choir Room**
- Sunday, November 23: 9:30 A.M.
- Northern Choral Society Rehearsal @ Sanctuary**
- Sunday, November 23: 1:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Let's Celebrate!

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Dr. Frank and Joanne Rhode
November 19, 1983

DECEMBER NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Thursday, November 20th

Please email articles and pictures to Sue Beaman at asburybeacon@gmail.com in WORD format or give them to Faith in the church office.

2026 pledge cards are available at the Welcome Center.

Please turn pledge cards into the church office or place in the offering by **Sunday, Nov. 23rd.**

Stewardship
a way of life

Scripture of the Week

“Solid food is for the mature.”
- Hebrews 5:14 -

ASBURY'S STAFF

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THE ASBURY MOTTO

*No Matter Where You Are
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You Are Welcome Here!*

Join Us Next Sunday, November 23rd

Worship Services:

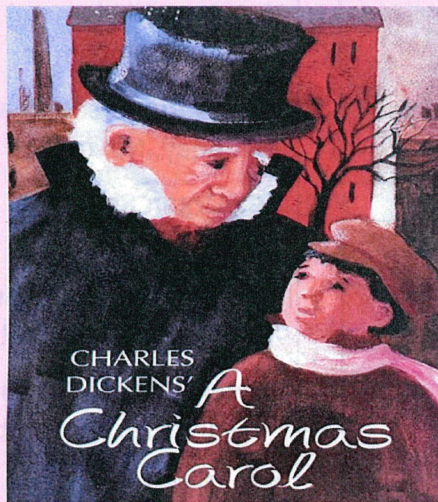
8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:
Lindsay Webb will be preaching.

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:
Pastor Michael Terrell will be preaching.



2 Free Televisions


There are two TVs in the Sunday School Office downstairs, about 25 inches each.
Both are free to anyone who is interested.



**ADVENT
BIBLE
STUDY**

**November 30
December 8, 14, & 21
6:30 p.m. in parlor**

**6 p.m.
in
Chapman
Chapel**

 **Asbury UMC**
Watertown, New York



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:
MONDAY-THURSDAY: 9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS:
MONDAY-THURSDAY: 10:00 A.M. - NOON