

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: 64

Online: 54

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 556

2025 Year-to-Date Total: 17,548

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters: Judy Cota, Tamara Klock, and Susanne Wrenn

Liturgist: Wayne Morris

Organist: Ghilyana Dordzhieva

Chapel Service: Lindsay Webb

Coffee Hour: Worship Committee

Acolytes: Nicholas Delair, Olivia Lehman, Jaelah Liriano, Anthony Patrick, Abigail Patrick, Alexander Patrick, Michael Rudd, and Ruzena Rudd

Shepherds: Bonnie Peck and Pam Quimby

Ushers: Max Bovee

Orie Phillips(emeritus)

Glen Snell

Jane Eastham

Bill Plemons

Carol Stoodley

Lorraine Irwin

Kerry Roberge

Darlene Town

Frank Massa

Dale Scott

Patrick Town

Wayne Morris

Bill Smith

Leon VanWie

Bob Muntz

Lisa Smith

Dan Webb

LET US PRAY THIS WEEK FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

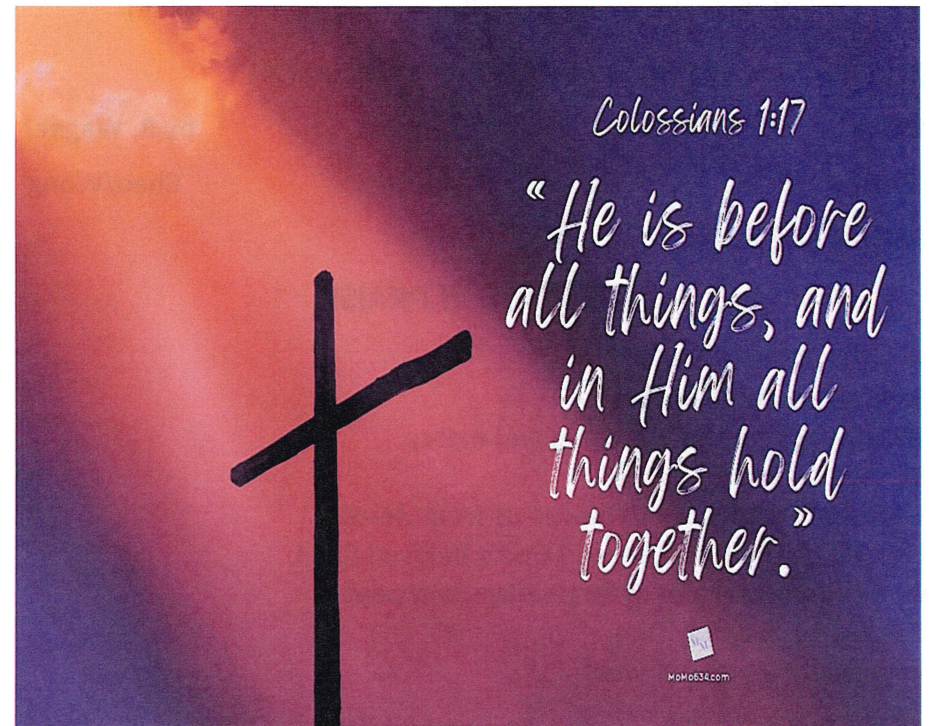
Our home bound and nursing home residents: Linda Bennett, Lois Berry, Shirley Berry, Ellie Cerow, Jim Coutu, Betty Gill, David Heasley, Bill Lennon.

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
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
NOVEMBER 23, 2025; 10:15 A.M.**

To Form Disciples of Jesus Christ Who, Empowered by The Holy Spirit, Love Boldly, Serve Joyfully, and Lead Courageously in Local Communities and Worldwide Connections.



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Asbury Worship Celebration

*GOD SHINES HOLY LIGHT INTO THE SHADOWS OF OUR
WORLD. THE SUN OF GOD'S MERCY AND STRENGTH
BATHES ALL CREATION.*

WE PREPARE

Pastor Michael Terrell is preaching.

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

CELEBRATION GREETINGS & BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSICAL PREPARATION: "Pilgrim's Chorus" by R. Wagner

CHOIR INTROIT: "Praise Our God Above" Chao/Wong

PRAYER FOR PEACE

WE UNITE IN PRAISE

☙ CALL TO WORSHIP

Blessed be the Holy One,
who looks upon us with love and mercy.

Blessed be the Holy One,
who sent us a Savior to rescue us from despair.

Blessed be the Holy One and God's beloved Child,
who rules in a realm of forgiveness and peace.

Blessed be the Holy One,
who is worthy of our worship!

☙ HYMN OF PRAISE: "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" #694

☙ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (The Apostles' Creed) #881

☙ GLORIA PATRI #70

CHOIR ANTHEM: "Give Thanks and Glorify His Name" Lloyd Larson

... IN PRAYER

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS AND INSPIRATION

**Jesus, Beloved Child of God, in and through you, God brings all
creation together for good. We and our world need your peace.**

**Sometimes we are strong and able, standing without fear. But
sometimes we are weary and in distress, living in the shadows of
disappointment and failure. But you are our Deliverer. In love and
power, you hold the fullness of God; you bring the fullness of our lives
and our world. Surround us with your love and life and grant us your
presence of peace. In your powerful and loving name, we pray. Amen.**

SILENT PRAYER - WORDS OF ASSURANCE

LORD'S PRAYER

#895

... IN SHARING

WELCOME YOUR NEIGHBOR!

SHARING WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES

MISSION MINUTE

GOD MOMENT/PARISH JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER/CHORAL RESPONSE

PRESENTATION OF GIFTS (OFFERING)

OFFERTORY: "In the Sanctuary" by R. M. Macklin

☙ DOXOLOGY #95

☙ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

... IN LISTENING

☙ HYMN OF PREPARATION: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" #297

SCRIPTURE FOCUS: Colossians 1: 11-20

PASTORAL REFLECTION: "Holding It Together"

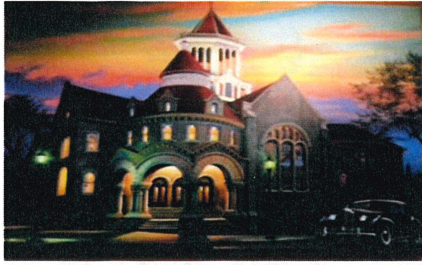
... IN SERVICE

☙ HYMN OF DEDICATION: "Victory in Jesus" #370

☙ BLESSING

CHORAL BENEDICTION: "The Lord Bless and Keep You" Strathdee

POSTLUDE: "Now Thank We All Our God" by S. Karg-Elert



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



This Week

November 23 - November 30, 2025

Meetings

Asbury Staff Meeting @ Parlor
 - Monday, November 24: 10:15 A.M.

Opportunities to Share

Northern Choral Society Rehearsal @ Sanctuary
 - TODAY, November 23: 1:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

New Day Fall Festival Set-Up @ Wesley Hall
 - Monday, November 24: All Day

NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary
 - Monday, November 24: 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Asbury Ringers Rehearsal @ Sanctuary
 - Monday, November 24: 6:15 P.M.

New Day Fall Festival @ Wesley Hall
 - Tuesday, November 25: All Day

NCS Organ Rehearsal @ Sanctuary
 - Tuesday, November 25: 11:00 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Thanksgiving Eve Service @ Chapel
 - Wednesday, November 26: 6:00 P.M.

Annual Church Conference @ First UMC (236 Mullin St.)
 - Saturday, November 29: 1:00 P.M.

Choir Warm-Up @ Choir Room
 - Sunday, November 30: 9:30 A.M.

Northern Choral Society Rehearsal @ Sanctuary
 - Sunday, November 30: 1:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Advent Bible Study w/ Pastor @ Parlor
 - Sunday, November 30: 6:30 P.M.

Let's Celebrate!

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

November 28 Darlene Town

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Dr. Grace Burke and Charles Mosley
 November 29, 1986

Scripture of the Week

“God is not unjust; He will not forget your work and the love you have shown Him as you have helped His people.”

- Hebrews 6:10 -

2026 pledge cards are due TODAY,

November 23rd. Please turn pledge cards into the church office or place in the offering.

**THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE
 CLOSED ON THANKSGIVING DAY**
 Thursday, November 27th



Urgent Need for Coats, Boots, and Blankets

The Spare Closet, a free thrift store located in the basement of First Pres. Church (403 Washington St.), is in urgent need of coats, boots, and blankets of all sizes. Donations may be new or used.

ASBURY'S STAFF

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Who, Empowered by The Holy
Spirit, Love Boldly, Serve Joyfully,
and Lead Courageously in Local
Communities and Worldwide
Connections.*

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 30th

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:

Wayne Morris will be preaching.

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Pastor Michael Terrell will be preaching.

Scripture: Matthew 24: 37-44

Message: "A New Year's Resolution"



2 Free Televisions

There are two TVs in the Sunday School Office downstairs, about 25 inches each.

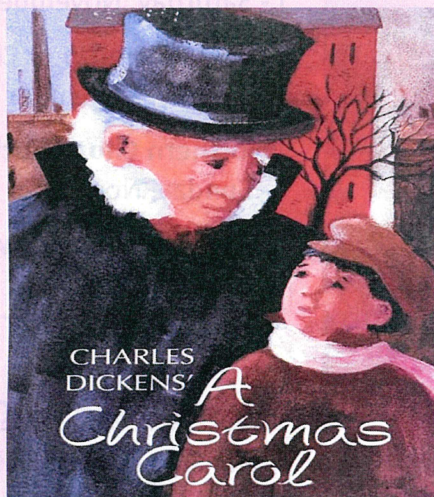
Both are free to anyone who is interested.

6 p.m.
in
Chapman
Chapel



Asbury UMC

Watertown, New York



**ADVENT
BIBLE
STUDY**

November 30

December 8, 14, & 21

6:30 p.m. in parlor

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY-THURSDAY: 9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

PASTOR'S OFFICE HOURS:

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