

First time at Asbury? Stop by our Welcome Center if you have questions, or if you would like a copy of our monthly newsletter or other brochures!

WEEKLY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Sunday: In Person: 77
Online: 41

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 511
2026 Year-to-Date Total: 7,017

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters: Jim Juczak, Bob Muntz, and Donna Muntz

Liturgist: Jane Eastham

Organist: Lisa Smith

Chapel Service: Max Bovee

Coffee Hour: Mother's Day Cake – Christian Connections Committee

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

Shepherds: Bonnie Peck and Pam Quimby

Ushers: Max Bovee	Kerry Roberge	Glen Snell
River Bogart	Dale Scott	Carol Stoodley
Jane Eastham	Cindy Sealing	Darlene Town
Lorraine Irwin	Randy Sealing	Patrick Town
Frank Massa	Bill Smith	Leon VanWie
Wayne Morris	Lisa Smith	Dan Webb
Bob Muntz		

**ASBURY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
MAY 10, 2026; 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.



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, and Jim Coutu.

Others: April, Gary, Kate, Katherine, Deb and Rick Brandt, Patty C., Mike Hill, Gerald Holder, Colleen M., Keri Morris, Kathy Ruhm, Gerald Tucker, William Van Houten, and Barbara Williams.

To all the Mothers,
Grandmothers,
Aunts, Sisters
and other women
in our lives that care for
us and love us
unconditionally,
Happy Mother's Day!

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Asbury Worship Celebration

THROUGH FIRE AND TESTING, GOD BRINGS US TO A PLACE OF BLESSING AND PROMISE. THE HOLY SPIRIT LEADS US ONTO THE GREAT PATH OF LOVE.

Pastor Michael Terrell is preaching.

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

WORDS OF WELCOME (by Pastor & Jane Eastham, our Liturgist)

MUSICAL PREPARATION: “On Eagle’s Wings” by Joncas
arr. Honere
Asbury Ringers

CHORAL INTROIT: “Holy Is the Lord of Hosts” Lorenz

PRAYER FOR PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Gather us in, O God.

Amidst fire and storm, make us whole.

Bring us into your presence, Holy One.


From suffering and pain, save us.


Shelter us in your loving arms, Precious Lord.


On the highways of life, guide us.

Make us your disciples, Great Spirit.

As we worship this day, lead us home.

 HYMN: “I Sing the Almighty Power of God” #152

 AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (1 Timothy 2:5-6; 1:15; 3:16) #889


 RESPONSE: “Glory Be to the Father” #70

A TIME WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES

ANTHEM: “Within These Walls” Pepper Choplin

SCRIPTURE READING: John 14:15-21

MESSAGE: “I Will Give You Another Lawyer”

 HYMN: “Spirit of the Living God” (2x) #393

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS AND INSPIRATION

Fulfiller of our lives, we yearn to embody your commandment of love and pursue what we know is right. We long to ease the plight of others, even as we seek our own comfort. Nurture our hope this day, as we fulfill your commandment of love, that we may live as your children and abide in your Spirit. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SHARING JOYS, CONCERNS, & PRAYERS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER #895 / CHORAL RESPONSE


INVITATION TO GENEROSITY: Sharing Our Gifts, Tithes, and Thanks

OFFERTORY: “Teach Me Thy Way, Lord” Gene Clarke


 DOXOLOGY #95

 PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MISSION MINUTE

 CLOSING HYMN: “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” #384

 DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

 BENEDICTION: “Song of Hope” Schutmaat
Folk Melody

POSTLUDE: “Postlude Victorious” Reginald Martin



ASBURY UMC

Opportunities to Share Our Love
for God and Each Other



This Week: May 10 - May 17, 2026

Meetings

Asbury Staff Meeting @ Parlor
- Monday, May 11: 10:15 A.M.

Missions Committee Meeting @ Parlor
- Monday, May 11: 5:00 P.M.

Pastor Michael on Vacation: May 16-23

Jane Eastham will lead the Sunday, May 17,
sanctuary service.

WATERTOWN: FIRST & ASBURY UMC
INVITE YOU TO WEEKLY PRAYER!

*Light in the
Chaos*

Prayer Service
Every Tuesday, 6-7 pm

Asbury UMC: 200 Parker Street
First UMC: 236 Mullin Street



Aldersgate Camp and Retreat Presentation

Next Sunday, May 17, during the Young Disciples Time, representatives from Aldersgate will be presenting different camp opportunities to Asbury's youth. Aldersgate is one of five camp and retreat centers owned and operated by the Upper New York Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church. Join us next Sunday to find out more!

Opportunities to Share

Asbury Ringers Practice @ Sanctuary
- Monday, May 11: 6:15 P.M.

Prayer Circle @ Parlor
- Tuesday, May 12: 10:30 A.M.

Prayer Service @ Asbury's Chapel
- Tuesday, May 12: 6:00 P.M.

Choir Practice @ Choir Room
- Thursday, May 14: 5:15 P.M.

Agape Ringers Practice @ Sanctuary
- Thursday, May 14: 6:15 P.M.

Choir Warm-Up @ Choir Room
- Sunday, May 17: 9:30 A.M.

Meal Kits: Round Two

Teriyaki Chicken Rice and Birthday
Cake Kits.

In the back of the rotunda, there is a sign-up for the needed ingredients, or you can sign up to donate items for a whole kit.

We are collecting items until Sunday, May 17. Donations can be left in the box in the back of the rotunda. We will pack the kits the following Sunday, May 24. We are also collecting new can openers.

Questions?
Contact Sarah
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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, May 17

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:
Max Bovee will be preaching.

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:
Jane Eastham will be preaching.

Scripture: John 17: 1-11
Message: "Simple Arithmetic"



Next Sunday, May 17: United Methodist Student Day

An offering envelope labeled "United Methodist Student Day" will be in the Sunday, May 17, bulletin. Your gift will be used to support United Methodist Student Day scholarships.

David B. Heasley
Friday, June 19
10 A.M.
Asbury U.M.C.
200 Parker Street
Watertown, N Y

FROM THE MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

Memorial Day is the time of year to remember the family and friends who are no longer with us. In addition to planting flowers and attending parades, a memorial gift made in memory of your loved ones is a wonderful way to show your respect. The Memorial Committee members look for appropriate, tasteful, and useful ways to apply these expressions of love and friendship. Previous purchases have included hymnals, handbells, paraments, altar furnishings, candelabras, church signs and directories, a podium, refurbishing the alter table cross, music for the choir library, replacement robes, a computer system, a keyboard, and audio equipment. As you can see, it is not difficult to find a suitable use for memorial gifts that will serve as a lasting memorial.

If you would like to designate a memorial gift, please place it in an envelope labeled "Memorial Gift" and place it in the offering plate or send it into the church office by May 31st. If you are paying by check, please make it out to Asbury UMC and write "Memorial Gift" in the memo. Thank you!

Lisa Smith, Memorial Committee Chair

