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WEEKLY INFORMATION:

Attendance Last Sunday: In Person: 77

Online: 35

Food Pantry Items Donated and Purchased Last Week: 449

2026 Year-to-Date Total: 7,466

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS TODAY

Greeters: Karen Boomhower, Jim Juczak, and Tamara Klock

Liturgist: Willow Terrell

Organist: Ghilyana Dordzhieva

Chapel Service: Wayne Morris

Coffee Hour: Prayer Circle

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

River Bogart

Jane Eastham

Lorraine Irwin

Frank Massa

Wayne Morris

Bob Muntz

Kerry Roberge

Dale Scott

Cindy Sealing

Randy Sealing

Bill Smith

Lisa Smith

Glen Snell

Carol Stoodley

Darlene Town

Patrick Town

Leon VanWie

Dan Webb

ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MAY 24, 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, Jim Coutu, and Clyde Jesmore.

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



MINISTERS: All the people

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Asbury Worship Celebration

REMEMBER A TIME WHEN YOUR HOPES AND DREAMS DIED.
REMEMBER YOUR FEELINGS OF DESPAIR AND POWERLESSNESS.
THEN REMEMBER THE SURPRISE WHEN SOMETHING STIRRED
WITHIN, WHEN NEW SEEDS OF HOPE SPROUTED FORTH. THAT IS
THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, THE POWER OF PENTECOST.

Pastor Michael Terrell is preaching.

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

WORDS OF WELCOME (by Pastor & Willow Terrell, our Liturgist)

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR

MUSICAL PREPARATION: “Song of Peace” by J. Sibelius

CHORAL INTROIT: “God Is Moving by His Spirit” White/arr. Linn

PRAYER FOR PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Listen! Do you hear a sound like the howling of a fierce wind?

Come, Holy Spirit!

Look! Can you see flames of fire?

Come, Holy Spirit!

Wait! Can you feel the power?

The Holy Spirit is here!

☙ HYMN: “Christ, from Whom All Blessings Flow” #550

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

☙ RESPONSE: “Glory Be to the Father” #70

ANTHEM: “The Fruit of the Spirit” Natalie Sleeth

A TIME WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES

SCRIPTURE READING: Acts 2: 1-21

(To better understand the “speaking in tongues”, part of today’s reading will be read together in various languages: Willow Terrell - English, Erdem Lukomyansky - Ukrainian, Marianne Scott - German, & Krista Juczak - Spanish.)

MESSAGE: “Happy Birthday, Church!”

☙ HYMN: “Spirit of the Living God” #393

PRAYER FOR FORGIVENESS AND INSPIRATION

Holy One, Divine Spirit, be with us now. It’s easy to feel like our gifts and our talents aren’t good enough for you. Help us see ourselves as part of a larger creation. While our gifts differ, each one is important, adding something wonderful to your world. Our gifts come from you, and they are what you want for us. Help us accept our own gifts. Enlarge our hearts, so that we may recognize and welcome others, each with differing gifts. 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: “Poem” op. 32 #1 by Skryabin
Erdem Lukomyansky

☙ DOXOLOGY #95

☙ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

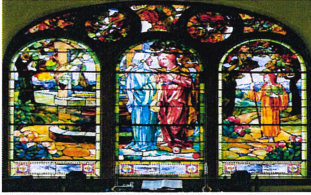
ANNOUNCEMENTS & MISSION MINUTE

☙ CLOSING HYMN: “Forward Through the Ages” #555

☙ DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

☙ BENEDICTION: “Go Now in Peace” Jablonski

POSTLUDE: Fantasia on “Materna” by R. Hughes



ASBURY UMC

Opportunities to Share Our Love
for God and Each Other



This Week: May 24 - May 31, 2026

Let's Celebrate!

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK
May 27 **Brindle Veretto**

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK
Dale and Marianne Scott
May 29, 1965

Opportunities to Share

Prayer Circle @ Parlor
- Tuesday, May 26: 10:30 A.M.

Choir Practice @ Choir Room
- Thursday, May 28: 5:15 P.M.

Agape Ringers Practice @ Sanctuary
- Thursday, May 28: 6:15 P.M.

Choir Warm-Up @ Choir Room
- Sunday, May 31: 9:30 A.M.

The church office will be closed on Monday, May 25, in observance of Memorial Day.

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

"The Promise of Heaven"

Join Max in the Parlor for a one hour study of Paul's letters:
1+2 Timothy, Titus, and Philemon

Monday nights at 6:30 P.M., beginning June 1

This study is estimated to take 7 weeks.
Please bring your favorite Bible.

Questions to Max @ 315-232-4158.

MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

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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 31

Worship Services:

8:15 A.M. in the Chapel:

Michelle Rudd will be preaching.

10:15 A.M. in the Sanctuary:

Pastor Michael Terrell will be preaching.

Scripture: Matthew 28: 16-20



Peace with Justice Sunday, May 31

An offering envelope labeled "Peace with Justice Sunday" will be available in next Sunday's bulletin. Your gift supports Peace with Justice ministries in your annual conference.

CELEBRATION
OF
Life

**David B.
Heasley**

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

"Faith, Life and
Melody"

MUSIC ON PIANO, STORIES OF FAITH AND
TESTIMONY BY MICHAEL H. TERRELL

SUNDAY, JULY 12, 5-7 P.M.

JOIN US FOR AN INSPIRING JOURNEY WITH GOSPEL MUSIC, HYMNS, AND TESTIMONY
THAT HAS SHAPED MICHAEL'S LIFE...WHY CERTAIN SONGS MATTERED, TIMES GOD
HELPED THROUGH HARDSHIP, AND MOMENTS OF DOUBT, JOY AND HEALING MINISTRY.

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

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