

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Oct 23 2:30P-Love&Logic-DH 4P-Our Father's Place-CH. 5P-UMYF 6P-Methodism 201A ON Call: Rev. Berry	Oct 24 7P-Troop 94-FH	Oct 25 3P-Benevolence-LB 5:30P-Childcare Resource Referral Training-FH	Oct 26 10A-Prayer Shawl Ministry 12P Trad. Worship Planning-LB SEE WED. NIGHT PROGRAM	Oct 27 9A-PEP CLUB-LB 6:30P-Love&Logic-DH 7P-Divorce Recovery-PL 7P-Praise Team Practice-FH	Oct 28 6PM-Parents Night Out	Oct 29 On-Call: Rev. Jones 9A-Strategy Team Meeting -DC
Abbreviation Key						
Boots Bewley-BB		LaRue Classroom-LR		Sisters by Grace-SG		
Chapel-CH		Library-LB		Sanctuary-ST		
Choir Room-CR		Parlor-PL		Youth Room-YR		

Sunday Worship Schedule	Wednesday Night Programming
8AM-Chapel Worship Service 9:15 / 9:30AM Sunday School Classes 10:30AM Traditional Worship Service in the Sanctuary 10:40AM Contemporary Worship Service in the Fellowship Hall	After School: Homework Club for Children & Youth 4:30PM Music in Motion 5:30PM Fellowship Meal in the Fellowship Hall 6:15PM Handbell Practice –Boots Bewley 6:30PM Kidz Klub, Youth & Adult Studies 7:00PM Chancel Choir

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, 2016
10:30 AM
TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

GATHERING

Prelude *"The Father's Love" — Moore* Mrs. Carolyn Gregg, Organist
 Bringing in the Light Acolytes
 Welcome & Announcements Mr. Russ Crum
**Please sign the Ritual of Friendship pads, passing them down the row and back again.*

PROCLAMATION

**Lifting Our Voices in Praise* *"Here I Am, Lord"* UMH #593
**Children's Message* Mrs. Barbara Lawson
This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng.
Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song. This where children belong.

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Norman Wilhoit
 Call to Prayer Chancel Choir
 The Lord's Prayer UMH #895
**Scripture* Romans 5:6-8 Mr. Crum
 Anthem *"Good News Celebration" - arr. Wood* Chancel Choir
 Sermon *"God's Wayward Children"* Rev. Wilhoit

RESPONSE

**Hymn of Invitation* *"Grace Greater than Our Sin"* UMH #365
 Giving of Our Tithes and Offering
 Offertory *"Praise You in the Storm"* Liturgical Dance, Tiffany Yonz
 Doxology UMH #95
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.
**Closing Hymn* *"To God Be the Glory"* UMH #98

SENDING FORTH

**Taking the Light into the World* Acolytes
**Benediction* Rev. Wilhoit
 Postlude *"The Lord Has Spoken It" — Paxton* Mrs. Gregg

Our Gifts and Presence
For Oct. 16th, 2016

Budget Offering: \$12,162.00
 Specials Fund: \$20.00 Second Mile: \$380.00
 Capital: \$250.00 Missions: \$0.00
 Year-to-Date Budget Offering: \$404,437.88
 Budget Shortfall Amount \$23,021.44

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 73 TOTAL WORSHIP: 208

Depositor Schedule	Oct 23rd	Oct 30th
8:00AM Service	Frank Jennings	Frank Jennings
10:30AM Service	Judy Kennon	Judy Kennon
10:40AM Service	Brenda Ottinger	Scott Whitaker

Childcare is available during the worship service for children ages newborn to preschool in the Children's Area, under the Sanctuary. Please see an usher, greeter, or staff person for more information.

Childcare is provided by Mrs. Laci Wiggin, Ms. Toni Weems & Ms. Janet Coates.

Prayer Requests
New requests in bold.

Cancer Patients: Harold Andrew; Tony Bible; Maggi Brominsk; BJ Broyles; Brenda Bruce; Jack Bullen; Shirley Carter; Chris Cowens; Max Cox; Bob Dappert; Patsy Dority; Johnnie Eagle; Barbara Ellenburg; Lori Fawbush; Darrell Foulks; Mary Louise Flanders; Mike French; Sue Garland; Jean Henard; Charles Holland; Bea Jennings; Debbie Johnson; George Kastendike; Harper Marsh; Ken Martin; Cherrisa McInturff; Troy McInturff; Danny Morelock; Gina Myers; Mike Myers; Kathryn P.; Tillery Phillips; Ellen Pilkington; Mary Rhul; Lisa Self; Gene Shepherd; Jay Smith; Mindi Southerland; Brad Strange; Carolyn Taylor; Charlene Thomas; Tim Turner; Barbara Weller; Joyce Wills; Peggy Williams; Jeff Worley.

Other Requests: Bob Andrew; Tom Ballard; Gordon Bell; Rev. Shannon Marie Berry; Shelley Berry; J.T. Brooks; Kim Brown; David Cole; Kim Gardner; Rev. Charles Hutchins; Kathy Jones; Synthia Lyle; Robert MacIntosh; Christie & Grayson Sauceman; Teresa Smith; *Ellen Thomas; Cricket Wine; Asbury's shut-ins; brothers & sisters in the faith with addictions; our country. **Janice Moore, Drema McCord.**

Service: Jason Angel; Chase Bailey; Justin Bragdon; Bob Croxdale; Chase Ellenburg; John Ewing; Anthony Faitel; Paul Garritt; Connor Gulmire; Brandon Hoban; Taylor Jones; John Junio; Michael King; PFC Marshall Lane; Stephen Leifert; Jason Miller; Duncan Powell; Jacob Richey; Robert Riley; Jared Saylor; Alexander Small; Hunter Waddell; Kenny Wells; Captain David Weston; Rob Wright.

Note: If you wish to add someone's name or update the information requested in this prayer request section of the bulletin, please contact the church office at 423.798.1050 or email general@asburyumonline.com
(Prayer concerns will remain on our list for six weeks.)
All names marked with an * will be removed

Announcements

*Announcement entries should be submitted to
 general@asburyumonline.com or by calling 423.798.1050 by 12N on Wednesdays.
 Newsletter entries are due by the 20th of each month.*

- **Wednesday's Meal:** Dinner is a fundraiser for the ACEC: Soup, salad, and assorted desserts. \$3:2-10 years old/ \$6:11 and up/ \$30 family max. Reserve online or with pew cards. Please remember if you have a standing reservation and will not be able to attend to let the office know. The Children's Ministries will be decorating pumpkins following the meal.
- **Chapel Pews:** The pews in the Chapel have been reupholstered in honor of Carolyn Gregg by James Gregg. Please visit the Chapel today.
- **Christmas Cantata:** Our cantata practice begins at 7:30PM on Wednesday nights. Please join us following the Study Groups and Youth Bible Study to sing in our choir on Sunday, December 11th.
- **Strategy Team:** Our entire church is invited to join the Strategy Team for our meeting next Saturday, October 29th from 9:00AM-3:00PM. Your input is valuable! RSVP to Susan Gregg by Wednesday, October 26th, as we will be providing lunch and snacks.
- **LOST & FOUND:** We have several items in the Reception Office that have been left in the church. Please check for any items you may have lost. There are also several coats and jackets. If not picked up, we will be donating these to those in need.
- **ACEC:** Applications are now be taken for two Teacher Assistants in our preschool classrooms and for Substitute Teachers. Please contact Mrs. Debby Hendrix at 423-798-1060 or email at hendrix@asburyumonline.com
- **Children's Ministries: Pumpkin Decorating:** Wednesday, October 26th, following the meal, bring your pumpkin and a friend, we will provide decorating items! **Parent's Night Out:** October 28th, 5:30PM-8:30PM. Wear your Halloween costume for a Halloween Fashion Show. \$10 each or \$25 family max, 4 kids or more. For more information contact Jackie Crawford at 329-5763. Today is the last day to vote for Asbury's scarecrows, "Sail on in with Asbury Kids," by emailing your vote to scarecrowsofmain16@gmail.com. We are entry #11.
- **The Wesley Foundation:** Annual Auction & BBQ on October 29th at 12:30PM to 4:30PM at the Wesley Foundation located at 1100 Seminole Dr., Johnson City. Adults \$15, Students \$10.
- **Missions:**
 - Mary and Joseph Projects— Personal hygiene items for young women and men in the city and county school systems are needed for these on-going projects. Place items in the cabinet outside the Fellowship Hall.
 - 2nd Mile Local Assistance—When you give to Asbury UMC and designate "Local Assistance," you make it possible for us to meet or supplement a wide variety of needs in our community including the work of our Benevolence Team.
 - Restoration Depot—We are still in desperate need of all kinds of appliances, furniture, and volunteers who can pick up furniture donations. If you can help, please let us know!
 - Food Bank Needs—**October's** need is **Powdered Milk**. The collection container is in the Library. Thank you for your continued generosity.
- **Study Opportunities:**
 - "Methodism 201A":** Taught by Rev. Berry and Rev. Jones in the LaRue Classroom on Sunday nights at 6:00PM.
 - "Life of John":** Taught by Rev. Jerry Jones in the LaRue classroom on Wednesday nights at 6:30PM. Bring your bible.
 - "Joseph":** A women's study taught by Rev. Berry in the Disciple Classroom on Wednesday nights at 6:30PM.
 - "Divorce Recovery":** Thursday Nights in the Parlor from 7PM to 8:30PM. For those who have been, or are going through separation or divorce. Contact Linda Maupin at 423-202-0173

Sunday School Class Opportunities:	1st Floor Education Building	2nd Floor Education Building
Other Areas of the Church	9:15A D&H Brown (mixed gender, 50-70s)	9:30A Seekers (mixed gender, 30-50s)-Parlor
9:30A Nursery, Preschool & K-5th Grade	9:30A Disciple (mixed gender, mixed age)	9:30A Choir (mixed gender, mixed age)
in Children's Dept. (under Sanctuary)	9:30A Sisters by Grace (females, mixed age)	
9:30A Youth in Youth Room	9:30A Family Class in John Wesley	
	9:15A LaRue (mixed gender, senior adults)	