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### Prayer Request

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Can this be shared with church?

Yes  No

For church staff only?

Yes  No

Do you request a Minister's Call?

Yes  No

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Wednesday Night Dinner RSVP

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_ No. of Children's Meals—\$3

\_\_\_\_ No. of Adult Meals—\$6

\_\_\_\_ Standing Reservations

If you make reservations and do not cancel by Noon on Monday, you may be billed.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Wednesday Night Meals will  
resume on January 11th, 2017**

### 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 in desperate need of **towels and twin size bed linens**. If you would like to donate these items they may be dropped off at the church office. Also need volunteers who can pick up furniture donations. If you can help, please let us know!

#### Food Bank Needs

**December's need is Pasta.** The collection container is in the Library. Thank you for your continued generosity.

### Sunday School Class Opportunities: Other Areas of the Church

9:30A Nursery, Preschool & K-5th Grade in Children's Dept.

(under Sanctuary)

9:30A Youth in Youth Room

#### 1st Floor Education Building

9:15A D&H Brown  
(mixed gender, 50-70s)

9:30A Disciple  
(mixed gender, mixed age)

9:30A Sisters by Grace  
(females, mixed age)

9:15A LaRue  
(mixed gender, senior adults)

#### 2nd Floor Education Building

9:30A Seekers  
(mixed gender, 30-50s)-Parlor

9:30A Choir  
(mixed gender, mixed age)

### Announcements

*Announcement entries should be submitted to  
general@asburyumconline.com or by calling 423.798.1050  
by 12N on Wednesdays.*

*Newsletter entries are due by the 20th of each month.*

**On Call 12/23—12/25: Rev. Jones, 423.620.2668**

**Wednesday's Meal: NO MEAL until January 11th, 2017**

**Special thank you to Director of Traditional Worship, Cindy Sams; Organist, Carolyn Gregg; and all that performed and helped with the Christmas Cantata!**

**Many thanks to all the volunteers and parents that made our Children's Christmas program a success! Without you it would not be possible.**

**Christmas Caroling:** Everyone is welcome to come caroling to our shut-ins on Wednesday, December 21st. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 5:30 then head out to spread good cheer.

**Stable Service:** The D & H Brown Class invites you to their Stable Service on Sunday, tonight at 6:30PM at the Holston Home Horse Barn. It will be dark so bring a flash light or glow stick for light. Dress for comfort and warmth. Experience that wonderful night in Bethlehem.

#### **Children's Ministries:**

- There will be no afterschool pick up until January 11th, 2017. We will be caroling with the church at 5:30PM on Wednesday, December 21st.
- Children will sing the "Advent Candle Song" each Sunday of Advent. It would be great to have as many kids here as possible each Sunday.

#### **Upcoming Worship Services:**

- Wednesday, December 21st—**7:00PM**, Blue Christmas Services, Chapel
- Saturday, December 24th—Christmas Candlelight Services, "PEACE," **5:30PM, Sanctuary; 11:00PM Fellowship Hall**
- Sunday, December 25th—Christmas Day, "WORD," **ONE SERVICE SUNDAY, 10:00AM, Sanctuary**—Come as you are in Christmas Pajamas, Christmas Sweaters, or Festive Attire.
- Sunday, January 1st—Epiphany Sunday, "REVEAL," **ONE SERVICE SUNDAY, 10:40AM, Fellowship Hall.**

**Sevier County Recover Efforts:** Volunteers (individuals and teams) continue to be needed. For general volunteer work, visit mountaintough.org A priority need this week is for bilingual volunteers to help with translation when victims are working with Dollywood Foundation. To volunteer, text Whitney Winston at 865-

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# Welcome

## Contemporary Worship Service

## December 18th, 2016



**ASBURY UMC**  
Loving, Growing, Reaching

201 S. Main Street,  
Greenville, TN 37743  
Main Phone: 423.798.1050  
Website: asburyumconline.com

**The Message**  
**Sermon— “Dream”**  
**Scripture—Matthew 1:18-25**

Please use the space below to take notes on the sermon.

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**Our MISSION:** “To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the entire world.” To fulfill our mission, we will **love** God, **grow** together, and **reach** out.

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.
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**Our Gifts and Presence**  
**For Dec. 11th, 2016**

Budget Offering: \$11,284.23  
 Specials Fund: \$0.00                      Second Mile: \$635.00  
 Capital: \$100.00                          Missions: \$0.00  
 Year-to-Date Budget Offering: \$500,578.12  
 Budget Shortfall Amount \$28,118.25

8:00AM: 10:30AM:    10:40AM: 243  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL: 73    TOTAL WORSHIP: 243**

<b>Depositor Schedule</b>	<b>Dec 18th</b>	<b>Dec 25th</b>
8:00AM Service	Frank Jennings	Frank Jennings
10:30AM Service	Linda Maupin	Linda Maupin
10:40AM Service	Rodney Bell	Rodney Bell

**Prayer Requests**  
*New requests in bold.*

**Cancer Patients:** Riley Balcita; Tony Bible; Maggi Brominsk; BJ Broyles; Brenda Bruce; Shirley Carter; Chris Cowens; Max Cox; Clinton Dalton; Bob Dappert; Patsy Dority; Johnnie Eagle; Barbara Ellenburg; Lori Fawbush; Darrell Foulks; Mary Louise Flanders; Mike French; Sue Garland; 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; Julie Proffit; Lisa Self; Gene Shepherd; Jay Smith; Mindi Southerland; Brad Strange; Carolyn Taylor; Charlene Thomas; Tim Turner; Barbara Weller; Joyce Wills; Peggy Williams; Jeff Worley; Nancy Worley. **Judith Plucker, Ronnie Smith.**

**Other Requests:** Sally Andrew; James Ashley; Blake Ayers; Tom Ballard; Shelley Berry; Pam Gentry; Cynthia Harris; Rev. Danny Hensley; Ralph Hensley; Kathy Jones; Janice Justis; Andrea Key; Derek Lund; Pam McCray; Clint McClure; Janice Moore; Jimmy Sams; Christie & Grayson Sauceman; Teresa Smith; Ashley Steele; Ellen Thomas; Jim Whittenburg; Jody Wiggin; Brenda Wood; Charles Worley; Asbury’s shut-ins; brothers & sisters in the faith with addictions; our country. **Rick Hilgartner, Lois Teague.**

**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; Zach Whitlock; 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@asburyumconline.com  
**(Prayer concerns will remain on our list for six weeks.)**  
**All names marked with an \* will be removed**

**THIS WEEK AT AUMC**

**Sunday, December 18th**  
 8:00AM—Chapel Worship Service-CH  
 9:15/9:30AM—Sunday School Classes  
 10:30AM—Trad. Worship Service-ST  
 10:40AM—Cont. Worship Service-FH  
 4:00PM—Our Father’s Place-CH  
 4:00PM—Leadership Team Meeting-ST  
 5:00PM—UMYF-FH

**Monday, December 19th**  
 7:00PM—Troop 94

**Tuesday, December 20th**  
 11:00AM—Worship Staff Meeting  
 3:00PM—Benevolence Team Meeting-LB

**Wednesday, December 21st**  
 10:00AM—Prayer Shawl Ministries-PSR  
 12:00PM—Trad. Worship Meeting-LB  
 7:00PM—Blue Christmas Service-CH  
 NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM

**Thursday, December 22nd**  
 9:00AM-PEP Club-LB  
 7:00PM—Praise Team Practice

**Friday, December 23rd**  
 OFFICE CLOSED

**Saturday, December 24th**  
 5:30PM—Christmas Eve Service-ST  
 11:00PM—Christmas Eve Service-FH

Abbreviation Key  
 Boots Bewley-BB  
 Chapel-CH  
 Choir Room-CR  
 Disciple Classroom-DC  
 D&H Brown Classroom-DH  
 Fellowship Hall-FH  
 LaRue Classroom-LR  
 Library-LB  
 Parlor-PL  
 Sisters By Grace-SG  
 Sanctuary-ST  
 Youth Room-YR

**Attendance and Registration**  
**December 18th, 2016**  
**Check all that applies, detach, and place in offering basket.**

- 1st time guest
- Returning guest
- Wish to Join AUMC
- Out-of-town guest
- Member
- Looking for a church home
- Membership Class
- Small Group

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- Married       Single

Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Children (under age 18)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_

Guest Information  
 (returning guest complete only if information has changed)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- Services Attended?
- Chapel 8:00AM
  - Traditional 10:30AM
  - Contemporary 10:40AM

\*Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Would you like to receive the AUMC Newsletter?: Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate category:

- General
- Children’s Ministries
- Youth
- UMW