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Main Phone: 423.798.1050/Website: asburyumconline.com

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**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**GATHERING**

Prelude "I Am Thine, O Lord" — Doane Mrs. Carolyn Gregg, Organist  
Bringing in the Light Acolyte  
Welcome & Announcements Rev. Shannon Marie Berry  
\*Please sign the Ritual of Friendship pads, passing them down the row and back again.

**PROCLAMATION**

\*Lifting Our Voices in Praise "Rise Up, O Men of God" UMH #576  
\*Congregational Hymn Congregation Choice  
Young Person's Message Rev. Jerry Jones  
Pastoral Prayer Rev. Berry  
Call to Prayer "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" Mrs. Gregg  
The Lord's Prayer UMH #895  
\*Scripture **Psalm 135:15-18** Rev. Berry  
Sermon "Naming Our Idols" Rev. Jones

**RESPONSE**

A Service of Word & Table II UMH #12  
\*The Peace  
Offertory "Still, Still With Thee" — Barnby Mrs. Gregg  
Doxology UMH #94  
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!  
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

The Great Thanksgiving UMH #13  
Giving the Bread and Cup  
\*Closing Hymn "Take My Life and Let It Be" UMH #339

**SENDING FORTH**

\*Taking the Light into the World Acolyte  
\*Benediction Rev. Jones  
Postlude "Double Chorus" — Wilson Mrs. Gregg



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*This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God’s Word, bread and cup, prayer and song. This is where children belong.*

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Jones  
Call to Prayer Chancel Choir  
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\*Scripture Mr. Lund  
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\*Hymn of Invitation “Take My Life, and Let It Be” UMH #399

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**OUR GIFTS AND PRESENCE  
For August 27th, 2017**

Budget Offering: \$10,021.00  
 Specials Fund: \$500.00      Second Mile: \$75.00  
 Capital: \$18,199.04  
 Year-to-Date Actual Offering: \$328,559.55      Behind Budget: \$19,489.45  
 Organ Pledges: \$157,780.00      Pledges Received: \$60,960.00

8:00AM: 35      10:30AM: 131      10:40AM: 83  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL: 60      TOTAL WORSHIP: 249**

**Depositor Schedule for:**      **September**      **October**  
 8:00AM Service      Frank Jennings      Frank Jennings  
 10:30AM Service      Art Masker      Judy Kennon  
 10:40AM Service      Dale Landers      Cindy Tannert

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 Ms. Toni Weems & Ms. Janet Coates.

**PRAYER REQUESTS**  
*New requests in bold.*

**Cancer Patients:** Riley Balcita; Victoria Batts; Mary Bettis; Tony Bible; Maggi Brominsk; BJ Broyles; Brenda Bruce; Sandra Carter; Shirley Carter; Tonya Creel; Chris Cowens; Max Cox; Clinton Dalton; Bob Dappert; Jack Deaton; Crystal Dykes; Johnnie Eagle; Lori Fawbush; Mary Louise Flanders; Gail Fletcher; Mike French; Judy Helton; Laine Howells; Bea Jennings; Debbie Johnson; **Shirley Jones**; George Kastendike; Bill Langston; Harper Marsh; Ken Martin; Cherrisa McInturff; Troy McInturff; Clint McClure; Danny Morelock; Gina Myers; Mike Myers; Linda Nichols; Kathryn P; Patsy Dority; Oscar Payne; Tillery Phillips; Ellen Pilkington; Judith Plucker; Julie Proffit; Gene Shepherd; Cheri Smith; Jay Smith; Ronnie Smith; Mindi Southerland; Brad Strange; Carolyn Taylor; Charlene Thomas; Nancy Wagner; Hugh Wells; Barbara Weller; Peggy Williams; Glynn Wynne. **Nan Hawkins, Nathan House**

**Other Requests:** Rev. Linda Bass; Shelley Berry; Leigh Ann Brookman; Nicole Bruce; Jacob Bullard; Pete Haga; Kathy Jones; Rob Russell; Lucas Vaden; Helen Wilhoit; Kenny Hartman & Becky Wright; Asbury's shut-ins; brothers & sisters in the faith with addictions; our country. **Isaiah Fasnacht**

**Service:** Jason Angel; Rev. Amy Beth Bartee; Bob Croxdale; Rev. Ryan Davenport; Chase Ellenburg; Ajayla Ewing; John Ewing; Anthony Faitel; Paul Garritt; Connor Gulmire; Brandon Hoban; John Junio; Michael King; PFC Marshall Lane; Stephen Leifert; Jason Miller; Duncan Powell; Jacob Richey; Robert Riley; Jared Saylor; Alexander Small; Hunter Waddell; Tyler 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.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Announcement entries should be submitted to [general@asburyumconline.com](mailto: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 9/8–9/10 Rev. Jones, 423.620.2668**

**This Week at AUMC**

**Sunday, Sept. 3rd:** 4:00PM—Our Father's Place—CH  
**Monday Sept. 4th:** **OFFICE CLOSED**  
**Tuesday, Sept. 5th:** 3:00PM—Benevolence Meeting—LB  
**Wednesday, Sept. 6th:** 8:00AM—Van Dreal Study Group—DC  
 10:00AM—Prayer Shawl Ministries—PSR  
 6:30PM—Kids Klub, UMYF, Adult Groups  
 SEE WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM  
**Thursday, Sept. 7th:** 9:00AM—ACEC Grandparents' Tea—FH  
 2:00PM—Women's Study Group—RBS  
 7:00PM—Praise Team Practice—FH

**Abbreviation Key**

Boots Bewley-BB	Children's Area-CA
Chapel-CH	Choir Room-CR
Disciple Classroom-DC	
D&H Brown Classroom-DH	
Fellowship Hall-FH	John Wesley Class-JWC
LaRue Classroom-LR	Library-LB
Parlor-PL	Prayer Shawl Room-PSR
Rev. Berry's Study-RBS	Rev. Jones' Study-RJS
Sisters By Grace-SG	Sanctuary-ST
Youth Room-YR	

**Wednesday Night Meal:** This week's menu: Frito pie & desserts, by the Confirmation Class. Cost is \$6.00 for adults, \$3.00 children ages 2-10, \$30.00 family. Please reserve your meal by Tuesday at noon each week, you may do so by pew card, bulletin cutoff, online, or by contacting the church office. If your class or group would like to host a meal, please contact Mrs. Judy Kennon.

**Children's Ministries:** Homework Club/Kids Klub: It's not too late to join us! Join us for KIDS KLUB, 6:15PM—7:30PM, after our Fellowship Meal as we begin our Bible study on Creation during the month of September beginning with storytelling and games. Starting in October: Family Worship will happen on the first Sunday of each month. Families will worship together for communion, no children's church. Childcare is still available in the nursery for children ages 3 years and younger.

**Upcoming Classes:** Starting September 6th at 6:30PM. Divorce Recovery will meet in the Parlor. To RSVP or for more information contact Mrs. Linda Fitzpatrick, 423.202.0173. Methodism 101 will meet in the LaRue Class. We will be using "The Book of Discipline" as we explore the doctrines, tenets, and social principles of The United Methodist Church. Women's Study, "Jeremiah: Daring to Hope in an Unstable World": Wednesday's Class will meet at the Parsonage. Thursday's class will meet at 2:00PM in Rev. Berry's Study.

**Hurricane Harvey:** United Methodist churches in the Holston Conference are collecting cleaning supplies and hygiene items to help survivors of Hurricane Harvey. Instructions for cleaning buckets and health kits are provided at [www.umcor.org/UMCOR/Relief-Supplies](http://www.umcor.org/UMCOR/Relief-Supplies). All kits and buckets can be delivered to Asbury and Rev. Berry will get them delivered. For more information, you may contact the Church Office.

**Sunday Worship Schedule**  
 8:00AM—Chapel Worship—CH  
 9:15 / 9:30AM—Sunday School Classes  
 10:30AM—Traditional Worship—ST  
 10:40AM—Contemporary Worship—FH

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