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8:00AM SERVICE—FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST—SEPTEMBER 2ND, 2018

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING

Prelude “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing” — Sacred Harp Mrs. Carolyn Gregg, Organist
Bringing in the Light Mrs. Kim Brown
Welcome & Announcements Rev. Jerry Jones
*Please sign the Ritual of Friendship pads, passing them down the row and back again.

PROCLAMATION

*Lifting Our Voices in Praise “Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone” UMH #424
Congregational Hymn Congregational Choice
Young Persons’ Message Mrs. Kim Brown
Pastoral Prayer Rev. Jones
Call to Prayer “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus” Chancel Choir
The Lord’s Prayer UMH #895
Scripture **Luke 6:12-19**
Sermon “Grow in your prayer life!” Rev. Jones

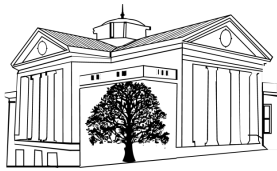
RESPONSE

A Service of Word & Table II UMH #12
*The Peace
Offertory “My Shepherd” — Hallett Mrs. Gregg
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.
The Great Thanksgiving UMH #13
Giving the Bread and Cup
*Closing Hymn “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” UMH #698

SENDING FORTH

*Taking the Light into the World Mrs. Brown
*Benediction Rev. Jones
Postlude “Stand Up and Bless the Lord” — Willard Mrs. Gregg

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Welcome & Announcements Mr. George Tvardy

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*Lifting Our Voices in Praise “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” UMH #140
Children’s Message Mrs. Kim Brown
*This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshipping throng.
Water, God’s Word, bread and cup, prayer and song. This is where children belong.*
Pastoral Prayer Rev. Jones
Call to Prayer “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus” Chancel Choir
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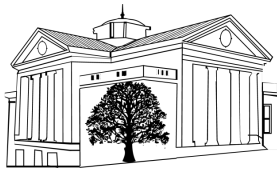
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Giving the Bread and Cup
*Hymn of Invitation “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” UMH #361

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OUR GIFTS AND PRESENCE

For August 26th, 2018

Budget Offering: \$5,405.00

Specials Fund: \$30.00 Second Mile: \$1,350.00

Capital: \$0.00

Year-to-Date Actual Offering: \$329,939.10

Organ Pledges: \$163,780.00 Pledges Received: \$152,575.00

8AM: 23 10AM: 109 11AM: 47

LIFE GROUPS: 43 TOTAL WORSHIP: 179

*Please make all checks out to Asbury UMC with your designated fund in the memo line. This would apply to any and all missions or giving, such as Holston Home, UMCOR, etc.

Depositor Schedule for:	August	September
8:00AM Service	Frank Jennings	Frank Jennings
10:00AM Service	Frank Holzschuh	Art Masker
11:00AM Service	Brenda Ottinger	Dale Landers

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. Janet Coates.

PRAYER REQUESTS

New requests in bold.

Cancer Patients: Riley Balcita; Boyce Berry; Tony Bible; Christy Yonz Bowlin; Maggi Brominsk; BJ Broyles; Brenda Bruce; Joe Cannon; Sandra Carter; Shirley Carter; Lisa Chapman; Tonya Creel; Marya Crotwell; Chris Cowens; Max Cox; Clinton Dalton; Robin Daniels; Patsy Dority; Alice DuMond; Eldon Duncan; Crystal Dykes; Gail Fletcher; Mike French; Michelle Garrett; Jason Green; Tony Hagan; Emma Lou Haney; Nan Hawkins; Judy Heningar; Judy Helton; Susan Hilgartner; Peggy Holt; Christy Hoover; Isaac Long; Ronnie Jaynes; Bea Jennings; George Kastendike; Janet Kukla; Gina Leach; David Leonard; Harper Marsh; Ken Martin; Rick McCamy; Cherrisa McInturff; Troy McInturff; Danny Morelock; Bill Moss; Gina Myers; Mike Myers; Beth Neas; Linda Nichols; Kathryn P; Oscar Payne; Tillery Phillips; Ellen Pilkington; Joan Richards; Gary Ross; Renee McCandless; Craig Shelton; Gene Shepherd; Cheri Smith; Jay Smith; Ronnie Smith; Mindi Southerland; Lori Coleman Sponcia; Brad Strange; John Swatzell; Carolyn Taylor; Charlene Thomas; Barbara Thomson; Barbara Weller; Glynn Wynne

Other Requests: Darlene Collins; Aaliyah Davis; Judy Douthat; April Fox; Jake Hartman; Oscar Holt; *Sharon Jeffers; Kathy Jones; Joy Jones; *Brooke Ripley; Bernie Sams; Katie Smelcer; David Wallen; Landon Wright; Audrey Wyatt; Asbury's shut-ins; brothers & sisters in the faith with addictions; our country; **Betty Barkley; Susan Barkley; Ally Carter; June Henry; Tom Mason; Mary Virginia Taylor;** **Family of Brenda Friend**

Service: Tayler Andrew; Jason Angel; Bob Croxdale; Chase Ellenburg; John Ewing; Paul Garritt; Connor Gulmire; John Junio; Michael King; PFC Marshall Lane; Stephen Leifert; Jason Miller; Phillip Moody; Duncan Powell; Jacob Richey; Robert Riley; Jared Saylor; Lincoln Taylor; Hunter Waddell; Tyler Waddell; Chase Wagner; 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 or by calling 423.798.1050 by 12PM on Wednesdays. Newsletter entries are due by the 20th of each month.

This Week at AUMC

Sunday, Sept. 2nd: 4PM—Our Father's Place—CH
Tuesday, Sept 4th: 3PM—Benevolence Team—LB
Wednesday, Sept. 5th: 8AM—Van Dreal Study Group—DC
 10AM—Prayer Shawl Ministry—PSR
 6:30PM—Confirmation Class—DH
SEE WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE

Thursday, Sept 6th: 9AM—Grandparents Tea—FH
 5PM-YOGA-FH

Abbreviation Key

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

Wednesday Night Meal: This week's menu: Upside down pizza, salad & dessert by the Children's Ministries for Operation Shoe Box. 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 can reserve meals on your connection cards in the pews, online at www.asburyumconline.com, or by calling the church office.

Way Forward: There are copies of the "Way Forward" for the 2019 General Conference being held in February available for check out in the library.

Family Ministries

CM-Wonderful Wednesday are in need: Snack donations for our youth and kids on Wednesdays. If you would like to donate, please bring to the church office. Thank you in advance.

Children Sunday School: Kids, K-5th grade, are invited to join us as we kick off our new SS curriculum on Sunday, September 9th. We will journey with the Trackers of Truth as we learn about God's word!

CMA: Children will host the Wednesday Night Meal, Sept. 5th. Parents, don't forget to let Mrs. Kim know what you can help with to make our meal a success for our Operation Shoe Box Missions.

Wednesday Small Groups: We will start new adult small groups starting in September, "Twelve Voices of Truth: Confronting a Falling World with Hope." Begins 6:30PM Wed. Sept. 5th in the D&H Brown Classroom. Led by Rev. Jerry & Joy Jones.

Women's Study led by Ms. Debby Hendrix. "When God Doesn't Fix It: Lessons you never wanted to learn. Truth's you can't live without." Start date & details to come.

Sunday Small Group: Sunday Morning 10AM. "Love Labs: The Great Reversal," begins Sept. 9th

Thursday Yoga: Starting Thursday, August 30th at 5PM we will be offering a Yoga class. It is a \$3 donation. This is an easy beginners class. Please bring a mat if you need one. If interested please contact Susan in the Church Office.

UMYF-No UMYF tonight, Labor Day Holiday. New UMYF schedule begins Sept. 5th with Wed. night small groups and Sept 9th with UMYF activities on Sundays.

Painting Class: We will have a painting class led by Sharon O'Neal on September 9th at 3PM in the Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$25 and that includes supplies and instructor. Open to all ages. Please register with Mrs. Kim by Sept. 5th.

<p>Sunday Worship Schedule 8:00AM—Chapel Worship—CH 9:00AM—Sunday School Classes 10:00AM—Traditional Worship—ST 11:00AM—Contemporary Worship—FH</p>	<p>Wednesday Night Schedule 3:30PM—Homework Club 4:15PM—Children's Activities 5:15PM—Wednesday Night Meal 6:00PM—Small Groups 6:30PM—Chancel Choir Practice</p>
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