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**8:00AM SERVICE—SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST—SEPTEMBER 9TH, 2018**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**GATHERING**

Prelude “Morning Has Broken” — Colvin 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 “Onward, Christian Soldiers” UMH #575  
Congregational Hymn Congregational Choice  
Young Persons’ Message Rev. Jerry Jones  
Pastoral Prayer Rev. Jones  
Call to Prayer “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus” Mrs. Gregg  
The Lord’s Prayer UMH #895  
Scripture **2nd Timothy 3:15-17**  
Sermon “Read It For Yourself!” Rev. Jones

**RESPONSE**

\*The Peace  
Giving of Our Tithes and Offering  
Offertory “Fill My Cup, Lord” — Blanchard 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.*  
\*Closing Hymn “Amazing Grace” UMH #378

**SENDING FORTH**

\*Taking the Light into the World Mrs. Brown  
\*Benediction Rev. Jones  
Postlude “Jesus in the Morning” — Colvin Mrs. Gregg

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Bringing in the Light		Acolytes
Welcome & Announcements		Mr. Matt Ripley

**PROCLAMATION**

*Lifting Our Voices in Praise	"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"	UMH #110
*Affirmation of Faith	"The Apostles' Creed"	UMH #881
*Gloria Patri		UMH #70

*Glory Be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end Amen. Amen.*

Children's Message		Rev. Jerry Jones
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*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
The Lord's Prayer		UMH #895

*Scripture	<b>2nd Timothy 3:15-17</b>	Mr. Ripley
Anthem	"Walkin' To Jordan" —Althouse	Chancel Choir
Sermon	"Read it for yourself!"	Rev. Jones

**RESPONSE**

*Hymn of Invitation	"There's Something About That Name"	UMH #171
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Giving of Our Tithes and Offering		
Offertory	"Fill My Cup, Lord" — Blanchard	Mrs. Gregg
Doxology		UMH #95

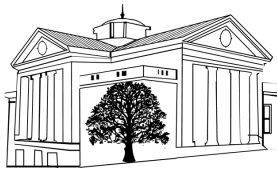
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;  
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*Closing Hymn	"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"	UMH #140
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*Benediction		Rev. Jones
Postlude	"Jesus in the Morning" — Colvin	Mrs. Gregg

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**OUR GIFTS AND PRESENCE  
For September 2nd, 2018**

Budget Offering: \$8,426.75.00  
 Specials Fund: \$50.00      Second Mile: \$420.00  
 Capital: \$125.00  
 Year-to-Date Actual Offering: \$338,365.85  
 Organ Pledges: \$163,780.00      Pledges Received: \$152,700.00

8AM: 28      10AM: 94      11AM: 53

**LIFE GROUPS: 40      TOTAL WORSHIP: 175**

\*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 Thompson; Barbara Weller; Glynn Wynne

**Other Requests:** Betty Barkley; Susan Barkley; Ally Carter; Darlene Collins; Aaliyah Davis; Judy Douthat; April Fox; Jake Hartman; June Henry; Oscar Holt; Kathy Jones; Joy Jones; Tom Mason; Ben Mathis; Bernie Sams; Katie Smelcer; Mary Virginia Taylor; David Wallen; Landon Wright; Audrey Wyatt; Asbury's shut-ins; brothers & sisters in the faith with addictions; our country; **Beverly Barwick; Bill & Fran Crouch; Don Miles; The Family of Glen Muncy; Jack Robinson; Lori Ann Sparks; Zak Tucker; Mary Van Dreal; The family of Jordan Greenway**

**Service:** Tyler 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**

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**This Week at AUMC**

**Sunday, Sept. 9th:** 4PM—Our Father's Place—CH  
 3PM —Fall Painting Class-FH  
 5:30PM—UMYF-FH  
**Monday, Sept 10th:** 5:30PM—SPRC—DH  
 6:30PM—Nominations Meeting—DC  
**Tuesday, Sept 11th:** 3PM—Benevolence Team—LB  
 5:30PM—Trustees Meeting—DC  
**Wednesday, Sept. 12th:** 10AM—Prayer Shawl Ministry—PSR  
**SEE WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE**  
**Thursday, Sept 13th:** 9AM—PEP Club—LB  
 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: Chicken & Dumplings, slaw, cornbread, dessert by Mrs. Judy. 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](http://www.asburyumconline.com), or by calling the church office.

**Special Thank You:** Thank you to Ronnie Jaynes Flooring for the materials donated to repair the organ area of the choir loft.

**Church Directory:** New directory is coming, plan now to have your picture made in October!

**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 Council Meeting:** September 16 at 3 pm in Fellowship Hall. **Children Sunday School:** Kids, K-5th grade, are invited to join us as we kick off our new SS curriculum on Sundays. We will journey with the Trackers of Truth as we learn about God's word! **Wednesday Small Groups:** We will start new adult small groups starting in September, "Twelve Voices of Truth: Confronting a Falling World with Hope." 6:30PM, Wednesdays 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. Truths you can't live without." Starting September 12th at 6:30 in the LaRue Classroom.

**Sunday Small Group:** Sunday Morning 10AM. "Love Labs: The Great Reversal," in the Disciple Class.

**UMYF-** Tonight, 5:30PM, supper provided. Wednesday, Sept. 12th, we will pack service project bags after meal. Please place any donations in baskets in each service. UMYF will host the WNM on Sept. 19th. Please let Jonathan know what you can donate and if you can volunteer to work. **Youth Council meeting** Sept. 23rd, 4PM.

**Sunday Worship Schedule**

8:00AM—Chapel Worship—CH  
 9:00AM—Sunday School Classes  
 10:00AM—Traditional Worship—ST  
 11:00AM—Contemporary Worship—FH

**Wednesday Night Schedule**

3:30PM—Homework Club  
 4:30PM—Children's Activities  
 5:30PM—Wednesday Night Meal  
 6:00PM—UMYF  
 6:30PM—Small Groups  
 6:30PM—Chancel Choir Practice