

Asbury
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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9:00 am to 2:30 pm
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Messenger

Mother Hubbard’s Cupboard 2021 Fundraiser

In a “normal year,” Asbury United Methodist Women (UMW) raise \$7,000 to \$8,000 at the Fall Pantry that supports UMW missions plus church needs such as kitchen and carpet cleaning, kitchen supplies and coffee.

This year, due to COVID-19, the UMW will have a “Mini” Fall Pantry on October 17 from 9:00 to 11:00 am in Asbury’s garage in the lower parking lot. More information is on page 9.

A Mother Hubbard Cupboard Fundraiser letter along with a Did You Know? itemized sheet of what mission projects Asbury’s UMW support was sent out recently. A self-addressed envelope was included for your convenience. Your gift will help the UMW meet financial obligations and maintain good fiscal health and will be so very much appreciated! Please make your check out to Asbury UMC and mark your check memo line Mother Hubbard’s Cupboard.

Once we get the all clear to schedule fundraisers, Asbury UMC will resume all fundraising activities.

With thanks and blessings, Asbury’s UMW



World Communion Sunday — October 4

Celebrated the first Sunday in October, World Communion Sunday focuses attention on the universal and inclusive nature of the church. United Methodists look forward to this celebration annually when they partake of Holy Communion together and share their gifts to support racial-ethnic students and others in their quest to become leaders who embody the mission of The United Methodist Church.

The offering facilitates the educational preparation and training of United Methodists from around the world and bolsters recruitment, training and retention of racial-ethnic people for leadership positions at every level of the church.

Please put your World Communion envelopes in the offering plate (checks made out to Asbury UMC) or mail to Asbury UMC, 6822 Grand Ave., POB 7135, Duluth, MN 55807. Thank you for your generosity.





A Penny For Your Thoughts

Deepening Our Connections

Greetings and peace to you! As we continue to weather the stresses and changes in our society and community, I want to pause and recognize our need for connection. We all have a basic need for connection to God and to one another needing fulfillment.

There are times in my life when I feel restless and dissatisfied. I eventually realize this restlessness is when I am distracted by things — many of which are good things to do — and have neglected to connect with God or my faith community in meaningful ways.

Thankfully, we have guidelines in our United Methodist tradition helping us orient our lives to being connected and fulfilled. These guidelines are found in our vows of membership in which we pledge to support the church through **our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness**. In this support, we find a helpful balance aiding our journeys of discipleship. Some might ask, why the focus on the church? Because the church is the body of Christ, an expression of God in this world today.

When we support the church through our **prayers**, we are focusing both on a stillness with God of listening to God's voice, and an outward focus of care and concern for our neighbors. In prayer, we can turn to scripture for reflection, nourishment, and guidance. Though some think of prayer as only happening with bowed head and folded hands, we know that prayer can take many forms from sitting still to active dance and song. Our prayers are an important part of our commitment to Christ.

Our **presence** allows for a connection with God and one another. We are present in worship in person or online — as well as in smaller gatherings of the church. In this commitment to “show up”, we rest assured we should come as we are, warts and all, to walk a journey of discipleship together.

As we enter the fall season, **gifts** come to the front of our minds. Our stewardship campaign,



“Committed to Christ”, for financial giving is approaching, but we also recognize that stewardship is more than just money. Our gifts can be talents of making things to sell, expertise in helping the church run smoothly or being present at the church for the internet installation (thank you Tom and Shirley). Everyone has gifts to offer, and we look forward to exploring our individual and corporate gifts.

Service is another way of connecting with God. In the greatest commandment, Jesus offers that we are to love our neighbor as ourselves. Through our interactions with the community around us we are able to feed, provide, learn and grow. Though many of the avenues for our service areas have changed, we are exploring new ways of connecting with our schools and neighbors.

Finally as we are connected to God and one another, a natural result is to invite another person into the joy, hope, and warmth of relationships that we have found. **Witness** can be a verbal telling of a story, but it can also be told through the manner in which we interact with one another and the people around us. Providing a witness of respect and civility is especially important these days.

As we continue to navigate our new normal, we all need to find these connection points. I am happy to walk with you on the journey. If you want to meet with me, please contact me at 828-263-2035, kcornell@wnccumc.net, call the church office, 624-0061, or stop by. I am in the office on Tuesdays and Wednesdays 9-2. Though times are always changing, our need for connection remains the same. Will you join me to deepen our connections as we are committed to a life of discipleship?

Blessings and Peace,
Katherine

Asbury News

Thank You!

Dear Asbury Family:

A big thank you to everyone who sent cards, brought meals over, made phone calls, provided rides to appointments and mostly for your prayers. Rodger, little by little, is improving. It is going to take some time. We are so blessed to have such a wonderful church family. Blessings!
Cheryl & Rodger Parendo

Dear Asbury United Methodist Church:

Thank you for your meaningful gift to the Damiano Center. Your support is crucial to serving the most vulnerable in our community in the midst of the COVID-10 pandemic. Each week, hundreds of people visit the Center seeking to have their most basic needs met, especially in these difficult days. Because of you, we can continue to offer nutritious to-go meals to anyone who is hungry; to-go meals and activities for children; free apparel and essential hygiene items.

With gratitude, Kyra A. Gustafson, Community Dev. Mgr.

Dear Asbury Family:

Thank you for all the wonderful cards and calls following the death of my husband, Tom. I have appreciated your kinds words of support.

Kendra Sharkey

Communion Elements Available For Pickup

Asbury celebrates communion on the first Sunday of the month. If you are not attending in-church services and wish to pick up communion elements at the church, please come during open office hours. Please call the office prior to coming to make certain Shirley will be there, 624-0061.

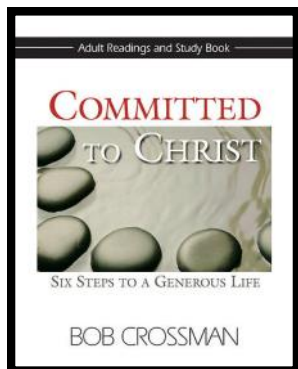
You may also gather your own elements (a piece of bread and some grape juice) if so desired.

Committed to Christ Book Study

Do you want to explore your journey and life of discipleship? Join us for a four-week small group study as we dig into our commitment to Christ through our prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness.

In our study we will explore ways in which we can stay connected and growing in our love of God and neighbor especially during these challenging times!

Pastor Katherine is offering two options for the study: In-person on Thursdays at 1:00 pm (October 22, 29, November 5, 12) with all the COVID-19 precautions and/or online over Zoom on Sundays at 2:00 pm (October 25, November 1, 8, 15). The study will follow the book *Committed to Christ* by Bob Crossman. The cost of the book is \$13.00. Please **call the office, 624-0061, by October 11** to sign up and order your books.



Pastoral Care:

Because of the privacy act, hospitals no longer telephone churches to let us know that one of our members have been admitted. Please notify the church office (218-624-0061) if you or someone you know is in need of pastoral care for illness, hospitalization or surgeries. In case of emergency and there is no answer at the church, please contact Pastor Katherine at 828-263-2035 or email at kcornell@wnccumc.net.



Our October Outreach/ Communion Offering collection is for the World Communion Sunday.

Attendance . . .

Sept. 6	42 views
Sept. 13	50 views/27 in-church
Sept. 20	53 views/22 in-church
Sept. 27	44 views/24 in-church

OCTOBER Birthdays

- 3 Tom Houle
- 4 Carl Larson
Sue Newberry
Ray Peters
Michael Smisek
- 5 Melissa Abbett
Gloria Schultz
- 7 James Cornell
Paul Cornell
Larry Sampson
- 10 Stan Johnson, Jr.
- 12 Logan Peterson
- 15 Sheri Scanlon
- 17 Gene Kubis
- 21 Jordan Nickila
- 22 Pat Anscomb
Carol Johnson
- 23 Julien Melgarejo
- 24 Linda Warner
- 25 Judi VanDell
- 26 David Cornell

*Not included?
Please contact the
church office at 624-0061.*

Asbury News

2020 MN Annual Conference Report

On August 29 the Minnesota Methodist Church held its 2020 Annual Conference. Due to COVID-19 it was a virtual Zoom meeting. Pastor Katherine and Lay Leader Steve Kokotovich participated, representing Asbury UMC. Over 500 people participated in the meeting.

Minnesota's Bishop Ough led the conference. He started with a talk about how we are all going through trying times with the pandemic and the social unrest in our society. His hope is that "each congregation will be a light in the world".

We then went into the business of the MN Church. The retirement of Bishop Ough was discussed. His interim replacement,

Bishop David Bard, spoke in a taped message. Bishop Bard is the Bishop of the Michigan Conference and will be working with the MN Conference until a final plan is made. Bishop Bard is a Duluth native and served as a pastor at First Methodist in Duluth.

The legislation of the Conference was discussed and voted on. The 2021 budget was approved. Due to the pandemic, the MN Conference budget was reduced 11%. No salaries were increased for Conference staff.

Next year's Annual Conference will be June 22-24 in St Cloud again. The every-four-year General Conference of the worldwide Methodist church (which was postponed this year due to the pandemic) will be rescheduled for August 29 – September 7, 2021 in Minneapolis.

If you would like to know more about the Minnesota Annual Conference, please speak with Pastor Katherine, Steve, or go to <https://www.minnesotaumc.org/annualconference>

Message From Our Sponsored Child

We recently received correspondence from Katerin, our sponsored child at Compassion. It is written below verbatim as translated from Spanish to English by Alejandro Mendoza.

With love for my dear Friends: It is a pleasure to write to you all again and wish many blessings for you. Thank you so much for the gift that you sent to me. I bought cereal, milk, oil, cookies, rice, cleaning supplies and sugar. My family and I are so thankful for this big blessing. Today I want to tell you about



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Lisa Greene
Jim & Bobbi Gimpel
Ray & Carol Peters
Roy & Sherry Peters
Nathan Peters
Anna & Bill Guldner
Pat Anscomb
Pat Ballantine
Ron Brosdal
Floss Johnson
Amy Applebee
Marilyn Lutz
Louise Anderson
Ed Lone
Shirley Brandt
Dick & Karen Holm
Fred Little
Barb & M. George Downs
Vivian Simmons
Karter Lauderville
Ted & Mary Jo Plys
Barbara Larson
Bill Swanstrom
Bob Cherne
Ardelle Peterson
Jill Spencer
Colleen Carlson
Our Nation
General Conference 2021
Our sponsored child, Katerin
Bill Schultz
Marshall & Florence Froland
Mike Soder's Aunt Martha

THE
POWER
OF PRAYER

Donna Mickelson
Brian Herrick
Clark & Patty Bennett
Rodger Parendo
Carl Larson
Sheri Scanlon
Pat Nelson

In honor and gratitude for those serving in the military; we pray God's sustaining presence upon each one.

Steve Bennett
Rory Blazevic
Michaela Bock
Alex Bourdage
Ian Evans
Daylon Moore
Anika Pavlich
Dominic Pavlich
Rick Peterson
Alex Plys
Roger Reinert
Renee Ruppel
Scott Stumbo

my favorite birthday. I am 16 years old and my birthday is November 5. My best birthday was when I turned 15 years old because my family celebrated with a beautiful thanksgiving service and I used a nice new dress. I shared delicious bread with chicken with my family and friends and also a delicious strawberry cake. I like to spend my birthday at home with my family and what I like the most about my birthday is the cake and also the food and get gifts. How do you celebrate your birthdays? Thank you for the letter that you sent to me. I hope that you had a blessed Christmas. I would like your prayers for me, so that I can be responsible with my studies this year.

Love, Katerin Paola Lopez.

"Sock" tober Collection

The Outreach Committee will be collecting socks during the month of October to bring down to the Damiano Center. We are especially looking for warm winter socks.

Please place your donations in the green bin in the Narthex. You may also drop socks off during church office hours, Mondays, 10:00 am to 3:30 pm and Tuesdays-Thursdays, 9:00 am to 2:30 pm. Please call first, 624, 0061, to make certain Shirley is in the office. Thank you!



Calendar

October 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>In-church worship at 10:00 am. Worship will continue online at 10:00 am. Please join us Sunday in-church or online at www.facebook/asburyduluth or https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2V1xSPTLmP2kxHhsR807Qg?view_as=subscriber All online worship services may also be viewed on Asbury's website at www.asburyduluth.org</p>				1 10:00 to 11:00 am, 2nd Harvest Food Dist	2	3
4 10:00 am In-person Worship Communion World Communion Sunday On-line Worship, 10:00 am Please use Asbury's Face- book and YouTube links.	5 8:30 am (weather permitting) Garden Team	6 9:00 am, SVFC, FH 7:00 pm Finance, Zoom Mtg	7 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 9:30 am UMW Board Meeting, FH 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	8 9:30 am Bone Builders, FH	9 Dumpster Pick Up	10
11 10:00 am In-person Worship Birthday On-line Worship, 10:00 am Please use Asbury's Face- book and YouTube links.	12 9:30 am Bone Builders, FH	13 9:00 am, SVFC, FH 1:00 pm Love/Hope Circle, FH Wear your mask!	14 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	15 9:30 am Bone Builders, FH 1:00 pm Faith Circle, FH Wear your mask! Pastor Katherine on vacation 10/15 to 10/20	16	17 9:00 to 11:00 am UMW "Mini" Fall Pantry Asbury's garage, lower parking lot
18 10:00 am In-person Worship Laity Sunday/Praise Debbie Merrick preaching On-line Worship, 10:00 am Please use Asbury's Face- book and YouTube links	19 9:30 am Green Door Book Club, FH Wear your mask!	20 9:00 am, SVFC, FH 6:30 pm Ad Council Zoom Meeting, FH	21 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	22 9:30 am Bone Builders, FH 1:00 pm Committed To Christ Book Study, FH MESSENGER DEADLINE	23 Dumpster Pick Up	24 9:00-10:30 am Free Community Drive-Through Breakfast, Our Savior's Lutheran
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Asbury News

Ad Council Meeting Minutes — 9-15-20

Opening

Steve Kokotovich called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic, the Ad. Council used Zoom to virtually meet. Pastor Katherine thanked members for their faithfulness.

Pastor Katherine introduced Jim Nemeč, the new Scout Master for the Asbury Boy Scouts. Jim said that the Scouts are currently meeting through Zoom because of COVID-19, but he is hoping to do some in-person gatherings soon.

Secretary's Report:

Minutes of the August 18, 2020, Administrative Council were reviewed.

Sandy Winklesky made a motion to accept the minutes as read. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Sandy Winklesky, S – Jan Akervik

Lay Leader's Report – Steve Kokotovich

Steve reported on last Sunday's in-person church service. 27 people were in attendance. Face masks and social distancing were observed. Online services are also an option for those who wish.

Treasurer's Report – Pat Anscorb

The August monthly summary was given. Balance on Hand, 8/31/2020 is \$13,484.68.

We have paid half of our 2020 Conference Apportionments for a total of \$11,400.48, with a balance due of \$11,400.52.

Jan Akervik made a motion to accept the treasurer's report as read. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Jan Akervik, S – Cheryl Parendo

Staff Parish Relations Committee –

Pastor Katherine for Cathy Sampson

The committee has drafted their feedback form and is waiting for a DS date.

All staff reviews will be completed this month.

The team is on track with its committee work.

Trustee's Report

The new riding lawn mower is here.

Cable lines are being installed at the church.

United Methodist Women – Jan Akervik

The UMW has written a check for the riding lawn mower.

30 new aprons have been purchased.

A "mini" Fall Pantry will take place on October 17th. Some canned goods, pot scrubbers, dish cloths and face masks will be sold.

The UMW will be sending out a letter that lists the many projects that UMW supports. Because of COVID-19, most of UMW's fundraising events have been cancelled. UMW is hoping that people will donate money to help make it possible for UMW projects to continue.

Outreach and Missions Team – Steve Kokotovich

The church is collecting backpacks for the start of the school year.

Other outreach and mission projects include "Sock-Tober", Mitten and Hat Tree and the Salvation Army Toy Drive.

Education Team – Sandy Winklesky and Cheryl Parendo

Starting next week, the Education Committee will be sending out Sunday school packets to the children.

TREASURER'S REPORT: 8/31/20

GENERAL FUND:

Beginning Cash Balance, 7/31/20	<\$ 24,354.84>
Deposits	\$ 13,686.15
Total to Account for	\$ 38,040.99
Checks Written	<\$ 24,556.31>
Balance on Hand, 8/31/20	\$ 13,484.68

Unpaid Bills through 8/31/20 (includes apportionments)	<\$ 5,216.44>
Net Ending Balance at 8/31/20	\$ 8,268.24

Kat, the El Salvadorian girl that the Sunday school sponsors, has written the children a letter. The Sunday school will be sending her a card and money for her birthday.

Worship Team – Pastor Katherine

A parking lot church service will be held this Wednesday, September 16th. It will take place in the lower parking lot. Gratitude is the theme for the worship service.

Sunday online church services are still prerecorded and we continue to work towards live streaming.

More young people have been added to the technology team.

Pastor's Report – Katherine Cornell

Pastor Katherine is looking to see if there is enough interest for Confirmation this year.

Pastor Katherine continues to work with the leadership teams. There are beginning talks for the stewardship campaign plans.

Nurture/Congregational Care Team – Sandy Winklesky

No reports from any of the committees.

Old Business - none

New Business

Virtual Annual Conference was held on Saturday, August 29th.

General Conference is scheduled for 2021 in Minneapolis.

Steve said that it is good that people are moving on and becoming creative on continuing church programs.

Closing

The next Ad. Council meeting will be on Tuesday, October 20th, at 6:30 pm. It will be held in the Fellowship Hall, practicing social distancing.

Jan Akervik made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Jan Akervik, S – Pat Anscorb.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Patricia Bennett, Recording Secretary

**DON'T
FORGET
TO VOTE!
NOVEMBER 3
Asbury UMC is a primary
election site.
7:00 am to 8:00 pm**



Asbury News

Gardening Committee Report

With Fall officially here, we are ending our summer schedule of the Gardening Committee. I would like to thank our dedicated, hardworking team of volunteers consisting of Dale Thorpe, Jeanne Rychlak, Dick Wolden, Tom Houle, Ted Plys, Gerry Smith, Jim Anderson and our special lawn mowing team, Mick and Kathy Levinski, for their ongoing support.

Our summer has been one of our warmest ever as has been evident in our very colorful blooms lasting longer this year. It has certainly been great to watch. Many are still blooming on. Did you miss the tree that fell during one of the powerful windstorms we experienced? Our guys cleaned it up ASAP (photo on the right).

THANKS TEAM!

Judy Pearson, Facilitator



Garden Team members L to R: Gerry Smith, Tom Houle, Dick Wolden, Dale Thorpe and Jim Anderson removed a tree by the side of the garage that was blown down by wind this year.



Kid's Corner



PUZZLE

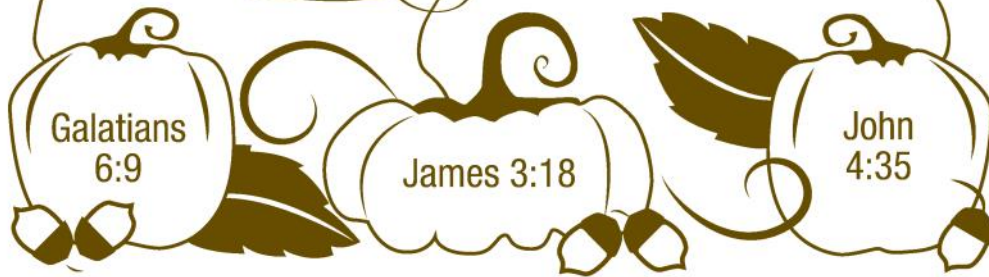
Harvest hunt

Directions: After unscrambling each leaf's word, follow the vine to complete the Bible verse.

caepe

reway

delfis



Peacemakers who sow in _____ reap a harvest of righteousness. James 3:18, NIV

Let us not become _____ in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Galatians 6:9, NIV

I tell you, open your eyes and look at the _____!
They are ripe for harvest. John 4:35, NIV

Answer: peace, weary, fields

BLESSING BAGS



Make these practical gifts to share blessings with homeless people and others in need.

What you need:

- Gallon-size zippered baggies
- Clothing (socks, mittens, scarves, rain ponchos)
- Travel-size toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrush, deodorant, sunscreen, lip balm, lotion, tissues, bandages)
- Snacks
- Water bottles
- Paper
- Pencil

What you do:

1. Pack baggies with supplies listed above (and more, if desired).
2. Write encouraging notes (including Bible verses), and add them to the baggies.
3. Keep the gifts in your car, and give them to people who are homeless or asking for help.

Apart for a Time,



Together in Spirit

“Mini” Fall Pantry On October 17

Because the the UMW were not able to have their normal activities due to the pandemic, they are unable to supply the UMW Fall Pantry with delicious apple pies, donuts, pasties and cookies. As a result, this year, the UMW are holding a “Mini” Fall Pantry in the Asbury garage in the lower parking lot where they will have canned goods and some craft items. Mary DeMars will have many kinds of her pickles, the Cassia Bud Crew have made their pickles and several kinds of jams also will be sold. Many of our craft persons have said they will have items available for sale.

All items (either canned goods or craft items) for the sale should be brought to the church office by Thursday, October 15 at 1:00 pm. The Faith Circle will be setting up the tables that Thursday and need to know how many items they will have for the sale to determine how many tables to set up.

Five Star and Mission Today Awards

Once again the UMW has been awarded the 2019 Five Star and Mission Today Awards. To qualify for the Five Star Unit the unit must give to: Pledge to Mission, Special Mission Recognition, Gift to Mission, Gift in Memory and World Thank Offering.

To qualify for the Mission Today Unit the unit

must fill out a form that indicates how many members the unit has and complete 8 actions that show how the unit is participating in their community, congregation, country and world in Mission studies, events, and giving. We have qualified for 2019 in both areas.

Reading Program Certificate Awards

The following women have participated and earned awards for 2019 Reading Awards. Plan 1 having read 5 books is: Avon Power; Plan 2 completing 10 books are: Patty Bennett, Caroline Carlson and Judy Pearson. Plan 3 completing 15 books is Jan Akervik.

Books are available in the Wesley Room and we hope some of you are still reading for the 2020 program. Some books also are formatted for the Kindle.

Asbury Bone Builders

The Bone Builders exercise group will reconvene on Mondays (instead of Tuesdays) and Thursdays at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Small group social distancing rules will be followed. Masks will be required.

The first meeting will be on Thursday, October 8.



UMW Meetings

- UMW board members meet at 9:30 am in the Wesley Room on the 1st Wednesday of each month. **The UMW Board will meet on Wednesday, October 7 at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Small group guidelines will be followed. Please wear a mask. Pat Anscomb will present devotions.**
- Love/Hope Circle meets at 1:00 pm in the Wesley Room on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. **Love/Hope Circle will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Tuesday, October 13 at 1:00 pm. Small group guidelines will be followed. Please wear a mask.**
- Faith Circle meets at 1:00 pm in the Wesley Room on the 3rd Thursday of each month. **Faith Circle will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, October 15 at 1:00 pm. Small group guidelines will be followed. Please wear a mask. Jan Akervik will present devotions. We will set up the garage tables for the “Mini” Fall Pantry taking place on Saturday, October 17 from 9:00 to 11:00 am.**
- Knitting Klub members meet at 2:00 pm in the Wesley Room on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month. **Meetings are postponed until further notice.**
- Green Door Book Club members meet at 9:30 am in the Wesley Room on the 3rd Monday of each month. **The Club will meet on Monday, October 19 at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Small group guidelines will be followed. Please wear a mask and bring your own coffee/ beverage.**

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Return service requested

Meet Our Staff



Pastor:..... Katherine Cornell
Administrative Asst.: Shirley Brandt
Music Coordinator/Organist: Phyllis Kruell
Children's Music:..... Ruby Slennes
Praise Team Leaders..... varies
Custodian: Dan Mokros
Ad Council Chair: .. Bonnie Schroeder-Palmi
Treasurer: Pat Anscorb
Lay Leader: Steve Kokotovich
Trustees: Nancy Wagner
..... Tom Houle, Dale Thorpe
UMW President..... Jan Akervik
SPRC Chair Cathy Sampson
Worship Chair
Christian Education: Cheryl Parendo
Christian Education: Sandy Winklesky

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NEXT MESSENGER DEADLINE: October 22 for November 2020 Messenger.

Please submit all articles of interest to Shirley in the church office by the deadline listed above.
Items may be dropped off, e-mailed or mailed. Thank you.

Worship With Us

Every Sunday at 10:00 am.

NOTE:

1st Sunday of each month we share Holy Communion,
2nd Sunday we recognize those celebrating birthdays.
3rd Sunday our music is led by our Praise Team.
***Every Sunday we give thanks and celebrate
God's great gifts and presence in our lives.***



Asbury's Mission Statement

*Asbury United Methodist is a caring, Christian community which welcomes all persons as God's children.
We will strive to grow in spirit and seek God's vision of hope, love and peace in the community and world.*