



Asbury

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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2026

ASBURY UMC HOSTING NATIONAL NIGHT OUT PICNIC

**Tuesday, August 4
5:00 to 6:30 pm**

**Enjoy:
Sloppy Joes, Baked Beans,
Beverages, and more . . .**

**Games for the kids.
Special Project for CHUM.**

**Meet your neighbors and get
a renewed sense of community.**

National Night Out — August 4

National Night Out is coming up quickly and we hope you will join us for a great night of visiting, eating, games and our Special Outreach Project for CHUM!

We will deliver Door Hanger Invitations after church on August 2 and are looking for volunteers to help distribute them.

We could also use help with set up, take down and serving food. Please call Steve Kokotovich if you would like to help, 218-213-0205.

Thanks to all of the people who have already signed up to contribute food products. The sign-up sheet is in the Narthex. Currently we still need 3 cold salads, 1-16 oz box of potato chips, 3 large watermelons, 2 qt-size lemonade mix, 2 cases of 24 each 8 oz water and 2 dozen cookies/bars.

Hope to see you there!

— The Outreach Committee



Sharing the Journey

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Dear Friends at Asbury,

The practice of gratitude has long been touted as an antidote to feeling powerless or discouraged. Many years ago while navigating a tough patch in life, a wise mentor suggested to me that I create some sort of gratitude practice as a way to focus my attention on things that were going well, rather than dwelling on what was missing or causing stress.

While I didn't run right out and buy a journal to make a regular gratitude list as some folks do, I did adopt the habit of reviewing my day in the evenings as I was falling asleep, naming people, events, or even just the little things that I had appreciated that day. Sometimes my list was long and filled with big things: a major project at work completed, an especially meaningful conversation with one of our children, or a safe commute on a snowy morning. Other times, my list was simpler: good coffee, my favorite song on the radio while I was cleaning up the kitchen after supper, or a fresh bouquet of peonies from the garden.

As it turns out, there is a lot of power in gratitude. Practicing gratitude lowers our stress levels, enhances our mental resilience, strengthens our relationships, improves our physical health, and reduces our tendency to compare ourselves with others. That's a list of benefits I can support!

I'm finding myself drowning in gratitude for these 13 weeks I have spent in your midst here at Asbury. Your bright spirits and joyful hearts have been such a blessing to me. I have come to admire the way you serve one another with prayer and stay connected at church events (I'm looking at you, Men's Coffee group, work teams, and UWF Circles!). You have blessed the community with meatballs and Laundry Love. You have supported CHUM with your willingness to host the Rhubarb Festival for the second year in a row. In a few weeks you will again welcome the

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1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



community at the National Night Out event — food and yard games are great neighborhood ministry! You have provided beautiful music in worship, volunteered to read scripture, brought diapers for moms who are in need, given generously to monthly special offerings, awarded scholarships as a way to encourage young people in their education, supported Laura MacArthur School in a strong partnership, and tended to the gardens and landscape with skill and love. This is a church that loves to be active, **SERVING JOYFULLY** (the theme for this year's Annual Conference!) in the name of Jesus, as we continue on our mission to make disciples of Christ for the transformation of the world.

As this season comes to a close, please know how deeply grateful I am for the time we've shared. I think of you with such warmth and will hold you in my heart — continuing to offer prayers for you and giving thanks for your ongoing ministry in our community. The world needs churches like Asbury UMC, churches that model what it is to live in the way of Jesus. Soli Deo Gloria — to God alone be the glory!

Rev. MaryAnne

PASTORAL CARE: 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 Rev. MaryAnne Korsch at 218-343-8813 or email at maryanne.korsch@gmail.com. After July 5, please contact Jan Akervik at 218-626-1539 or email at jgakervik@aol.com. Pastor Katherine will be back on July 21. Please contact her at 828-263-2035 or email kcornell@wnccumc.net

Asbury News

Thank You!

Dear Asbury Family,

We would like to thank everyone for thinking of us on our 50th Wedding Anniversary. Thank you for joining us at the Open House and for all the cards, gifts and well wishes. It meant a lot to us.

— Joe and Candy Kokotovich

Minnesota Annual Conference — Created to Serve Joyfully!

(Adapted from Communications Director Reid Baumann's article at <https://www.minnesotaumc.org/newsdetail/2026-annual-conference-highlights-summary-19844411>)

What a joyful, educational, and thoughtful time we had in St. Cloud at the 2026 Minnesota Annual Conference! About 500 attendees — clergy and lay delegates from across the state — came to St. Cloud from June 16-18 for three days of worship, work, and fellowship under the theme of “Created to Serve Joyfully” based on the scripture focus of Philippians 4. Pictured below Reverend MaryAnne (l) and lay delegate Debbie Johnson (r) represented Asbury at the Conference. It looks like they are NOT having a very good time!



Our Resident Bishop, Reverend Lanette Plambeck, gave an inspirational episcopal address, challenging us to do big things for God. Our Guest Bishop, Cedrick Bridgeforth from the Greater Northwest Episcopal Area, reminded us that happiness comes from what is going on in the world, but joy comes only from Jesus. At the Celebration of Life and Ministry service, we honored 12 clergypersons who were retiring, commissioned three provisional elders, approved one clergyperson as a transfer into provisional membership, and ordained two new elders. In addition, seven individuals were honored as newly licensed local pastors, and two LLPs were recognized as completing their course of study. We heard from our conference preacher Reverend Dr. Genia Garrett, who gave a passionate and thought-provoking sermon on the power of being loved by God. Three other clergypersons provided TED-style talks on topics especially meaningful to our time and place. We also celebrated the 70th anniversary of the ordination of women, the 30th anniversary of the Order of Deacons, and 50 years of the United Methodist Volunteers in Mission.

Annual Conference is more than just a gathering — it's a little like a family reunion, where relationships are strengthened and joy is shared. Next year, the Conference will take place June 15-17, 2027 in St. Cloud.



Our July free-will Outreach Offering collection is for the Damiano Center.

Attendance . . .

June 7	66 In-church/39 views
June 14	63 In-church/53 views
June 21	64 In-church/42 views
June 28	64 In-church/39 views

Scripture Readers . . .

July 5	Jan Akervik
July 12	Terry Olson
July 21	Sue Soder
July 28	Carol Johnson



4	Karen Gokey
	Cindy Kari
4	Axel Tomaino
7	Bonnie Schroeder-Palmi
	Gary Winklesky
15	Leo Lambert
16	Piper Smisek
17	Dawn Parendo
19	Tom Yewell
20	Julie Hanson
	Danyel Winklesky
22	Tara Robinson
24	Steve Hanson
25	Lisa Greene
26	Bryan Green
	Eric Robinson
28	Dale Rogers

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

Asbury News



Additional Counters Needed on Sundays

Our Finance Team is recruiting a few more counters who could help count the offering each week after worship. It's not a complicated job, and best practice would be to have two people attending to the task regularly.



OFFERING COUNTERS

If you would be willing to assist with this project, it would mean a commitment of 15-20 minutes after worship, working with a partner, to count and record the offering so that Shirley has the information she needs each week to make the bank deposit.

Please reach out to Larry Sampson or any member of the Finance Team if this is something you could do on a rotating schedule. Thank you for considering this as a way to support the ministries of Asbury UMC.

Worship

In July

There are three ways to participate in worship:

- 10:00 am at Asbury UMC on Sundays. Join us live at 10:00 am and join us for fellowship, coffee and treats in the Fellowship Hall after worship.
- 10:00 am livestream service on Sundays via YouTube as the live service is taking place. An email with the YouTube link and an online worship bulletin is sent out prior to each Sunday.
- Or, you can watch the YouTube service at anytime by logging in using the link provided for each Sunday.

WORSHIP WITH US IN JULY!

Sunday, July 5:

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost/Communion/Independence Day

Rev. MaryAnne's final Sunday.

Scripture: Exodus 14:10-18 and 21-29

Sermon: Faith Mentors: MOSES

Sunday, July 12:

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost/Birthday Sunday

We welcome Rev. Dr. Karen Schuder to lead us in worship today.

Scripture: Psalm 139:1-18 and Matthew 28:16-20

Sermon: Finding Peace in an Anxious World

Sunday, July 19:

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost/Praise Sunday

Rev. Dr. Karen Schuder will lead us in worship again today.

Scripture: John 21:15-17 and Romans 8:31-39

Sermon: Imperfection Empowered by Grace

Sunday, July 26:

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome back, Pastor Katherine!

Scripture: Psalm 105:1-11, 45b and Romans 8:26-39

Sermon: Can You Tell the Difference?

Join us after worship for a reception in the Fellowship Hall for Pastor Katherine to welcome her back after her renewal leave.

Calendar

July 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Gentle Yoga meets on Wednesdays, 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall (unless otherwise specified). Call Cheryl Zupec at 218-343-4478 for more info. Our Asbury Singers will be back in September. Praise Team practice will begin again in September. Bone Builders will resume meeting in September. Faith Circle will resume meeting in August. Hope/Love Circle will resume meeting in September.			1 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 9:30 am UWF Board will not meet in July. 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	2 Bone Builders will resume again in September.	3 OFFICE CLOSED	4 
5 10:00 am, Worship/ HOLY COMMUNION Rev. MaryAnne's last day! 11:00 am, Fellowship, FH THANK YOU REV. MARYANNE!	6 OFFICE CLOSED	7 8:30 am Landscape/Garden Team, FH 11:00 am, MS Support Group, FH Bone Builders will resume again in September.	8 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	9	10 OFFICE CLOSED Dumpster Pick Up	11 Damiano Center Volunteers 8:30—10:30 am 11:00 am—1:00 pm
12 10:00 am, Worship/ BIRTHDAY Rev. Dr. Karen Schuder will preach. 11:00 am, Fellowship, FH	13 9:00 am Kitchen cleaning 2:00 pm Knitting Klub, WR	14 8:30 am Landscape/Garden Team, FH Love/Hope Circle will meet in September.	15 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 5:30 pm, Yoga, FH	16 Faith Circle will meet in August.	17 OFFICE CLOSED	18
19 10:00 am, Worship/PRAISE Rev. Dr. Karen Schuder will preach. 11:00 am, Fellowship, FH	20 9:30 am Green Door Book Group does not meet in July.	21 8:30 am Landscape/Garden Team, FH 4:30 pm Ad Council will not meet in July. MESSENGER	22 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	23	24 OFFICE CLOSED Dumpster Pick Up	25 9:00-10:30 am Free Breakfast, Our Savior's Lutheran
26 10:00 am, Worship 11:00 am, Fellowship, FH WELCOME BACK PASTOR KATHERINE!	27	28 7:15 am—4:45 pm Head of the Lakes United Way Babysitting Clinic 8:30 am Landscape/Garden Team, FH	29 8:30 am Men's Coffee, FH 5:30 pm, YOGA, FH	30 MESSENGER EMAILS/MAILS	31 OFFICE CLOSED	

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Church-School Partnership Team Receives Recognition

In recognition of all the time, effort, commitment and dedication our Asbury Church-School Partnership Team has devoted to Laura MacArthur Elementary School over the years, the Team was presented with Certificates of Recognition at the School Board meeting on May 19, 2026. It was unexpected recognition which re-affirmed the close connection we have developed with Laura MacArthur and the need to continue to strengthen our relationship.

Asbury's Church-School Partnership Team has been active since 2022 when the Minnesota Methodist Conference encouraged all Methodist churches in the conference to connect with neighborhood schools.

We started with nine members and have grown to 20. Many

members of our Team have been active in the weekly distribution of food bags (formerly Backpack Program) to over 80 kids at Laura MacArthur Elementary School.

We have also been very active serving dinner to teachers and staff during conference week. We help with the Cultural Diversity event by greeting families, serving dinner to everyone attending and assist with the varied activities throughout the evening. We are also an active part of the annual Giving Tree distribution!

Team member Sue Baker has been instrumental in keeping communication flowing between Asbury and Laura MacArthur. Thank you to Sue and to all our Team members for all you do! — Alice Brenny



AUMC 2026 Events

August 4, 2026
NATIONAL NIGHT OUT PICNIC
5:00 TO 6:30 pm
Asbury UMC lower parking lot
Join us for a great night of visiting, eating, games and our Special Outreach Project!

September 11-12, 2026
PASTY SALE/\$7.00 EACH
Call 218-624-0061 to order.
Deadline to order:
NOON on September 3

October 1-2, 2025
APPLE PIE SALE/\$16 EACH
Preorders recommended.
Call 218-624-0061.
Deadline to order: **September 28**

October 10, 2026
FALL PANTRY
9:00 to 11:00 am, Fellowship Hall
homemade apple pies
(frozen to take-and-bake);
freshly fried donuts;
350 pasties (come early!);
pickles, jams, jellies and more;
Cookie Table; breads, baked goods;
craft/knit items, **Silent Auction**

October 10, 2026
DONUT SALE \$7/DOZEN
Preorders recommended.
Call 218-624-0061.
Deadline to order: **October 8**

December 5, 2026
ADVENT TEA

RHUBARB FEST AT ASBURY



Drone shots of the Rhubarb Fest at Asbury on June 27 by Tim Zager

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Ad Council Meeting Minutes — 6-23-26

Opening

Sandy Winklesky, Ad. Council Chair, called the meeting to order at 4:30 pm. The council met in the Wesley Room. Interim Pastor, Reverend MaryAnne Korsch, led us in prayer.

Secretary's Report

Minutes of the May 19, 2026 Ad. Council were reviewed. Steve Kokotovich made a motion to accept the minutes as read. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Steve Kokotovich S – Pat Anscomb

Lay Leader's Report – Steve Kokotovich

Debbie Johnson attended Annual Conference and presented an enlightening summary of her experience during last Sunday's church service.

Treasurer's Report – Pat Anscomb

The monthly summary was presented. Balance on Hand, 5/31/2026, is \$17,559.69.

As of 5/31/2026 we have paid 8.8% of our 2026 Conference Apportionments with a balance due of \$17,637.00.

Pat made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Pat Anscomb, S – Dawn Jones

Finance Report – Larry Sampson

We need to have two people counting each Sunday's offerings. A note will be put in the Messenger asking for volunteers.

In the near future, the MN Conference will be providing forms for the Finance committee to complete for an internal audit.

Staff Parish Relations Committee – Barb Kokotovich

Phyllis will be having her second hip replacement surgery this week. Plans have been made for her replacement on the two weeks that she is recuperating.

Shirley will be taking a two-week vacation at the end of July.

The next meeting will be August 25 at 4:30 pm.

Trustee's Report

A youth group from Centenary United Methodist Church in Mankato will be staying at our church on July 7 to 11. They will be sleeping at the church while they work on mission projects in the area.

United Women of Faith – Dawn Jones

This time is a well-deserved rest for the women before they get busy with Fall activities.

Outreach and Missions Team – Steve Kokotovich

The Rhubarb Festival is this coming Saturday. There is a pre meeting at Asbury for the fest this coming Thursday at 4:30 pm. The tents will be put up on Thursday. The Festival happens rain or shine.

National Night Out is on August 4. Asbury will once again do a project for CHUM. Due to a generous donation, a larger banner is being made to advertise the event.

The Outreach Endowment Fund has about \$5000 annually to give to Asbury outreach projects.

Education Team – Sandy Winklesky

The committee will meet on Wednesday, August 12, at 4:00 pm.

Worship Team – Rev. MaryAnne

A small grand piano has generously been offered to our church to replace the piano in the Fellowship Hall. After careful thought, we decided to decline the

TREASURER'S REPORT:

5-31-26

GENERAL FUND:

Balance on Hand 4/30/26	\$ 9,119.06
Deposits	\$ 24,380.05
Total to Account for	\$ 33,499.11
Checks Written	<\$ 15,939.42>
Balance on Hand, 5/31/26	\$ 17,559.69
Unpaid Bills through 5/31/26 (includes apportionments)	<\$ 7845.62>
Net Ending Balance at 5/31/26	\$ 9,714.07

piano because it is too big for the basement for when we have large gatherings.

Nurture/Congregational Care – Sandy Winklesky

Membership Committee – no report

Visitation Committee – The 80 Plus Luncheon is scheduled for August 20.

A meeting to finalize plans for the luncheon is on August 12.

Scholarship Committee – no report

Pastor's Report – Rev. Mary Anne Korsch.

MaryAnne's last day of preaching is on July 5.

On July 12, Reverend Dr. Karen Schuder will be preaching.

Rev. MaryAnne is still working on securing a pastor or a lay speaker for July 19.

Old Business - none

New Business

A request has come for United Way to hold a one day babysitting clinic in July. The training will take place in the Fellowship Hall. Steve Kokotovich made a motion to allow the United Way to hold their babysitting clinic at Asbury with a donation cost of \$50.

The Motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Steve Kokotovich, S – Barb Kokotovich

Larry Sampson brought up the dead trees in the front of the church. After lengthy research, Larry discovered that it will be the church's responsibility to take the trees down. Larry has offered to do this in the Fall.

Patty Bennett has asked if there was a possibility for the Western Duluth Alzheimer caregiver support group to meet at Asbury on the second Wednesday of the month from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. The Ad. Council was open to the idea and it was suggested that the Outreach Endowment Fund could be used to pay for their use of the church, whether the meetings are at Asbury, or at the location they are currently using. There will be further discussions on this topic.

Closing

The next Ad. Council meeting will be on Tuesday, August 18, at 4:30 pm.

Pat Anscomb made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

M – Pat Anscomb, S – Barb Kokotovich

The meeting was adjourned at 5:17 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Patricia Bennett, Recording Secretary

Kid's Corner



JOYFUL PSALMS

Psalm 146, 147, 148, 149 and 150 are happy songs of praise.
They all begin and end with the same sentence.

Put the words below in alphabetical order in the boxes. Then read down
the second column to discover the special sentence from Psalms!



FEAST
KHAKI
MOUTH
ESSAY
LLAMA
ORBIT
CARRY
UDDER
BRUSH
ITEMS
APPLE
LEARN
CIDER



_____!

Answer: Praise the Lord!



Transform slice-and-bake
cookies into cheerful lollipop
treats and share
a few edible smiles.

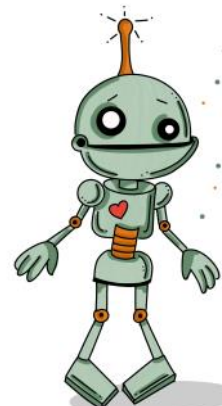
What you need:

- 1 roll refrigerated sugar cookie dough
- Knife
- Baking sheet
- Wooden craft sticks
- Frosting
- Sprinkles
- Clear treat bags
- Ribbon



What you do:

1. Freeze the cookie dough for 15 to 20 minutes to firm it up, then slice into 1/4-inch rounds.
2. Place cookies on a baking sheet about 2 inches apart.
3. Bake at 350 degrees for 5 minutes.
4. Remove from the oven and gently press a wooden stick halfway into the bottom of each cookie.
5. Return to the oven and bake 3 to 5 more minutes, until lightly golden.
6. Let cookies cool completely.
7. Decorate with frosting to create smiling faces and add sprinkles.
8. Slip each cookie pop into a treat bag and tie with ribbon.



Jesus
loves
you
a lot!

United Women in Faith



United
Women
in Faith



Fall Pantry Planning Ahead

Please mark your calendars for UWF's Fall Pantry from 9:00 to 11:00 am on October 10. We are planning ahead and are asking for help with pie making, donut making or share your special talent in baking, knitting or crafting.

We will again be having a Silent Auction at the Fall Pantry. More details to come in upcoming bulletins and Messengers.

As you are growing your gardens this summer, please think about making a batch of jam or perhaps some pickles or other canned delicacy, or a batch of zucchini muffins or bread. We especially need jams and jellies and items for the bake sale table plus cookies for the cookie table. Cash donations are also most welcome! Please make checks out to **Asbury UWF** and give checks or cash to our UWF treasurer, Lynn Tollefson.

UWF's budget is established for the next year as a result of the Fall Pantry sales of all the delicious homemade items including baked goods and craft items! We also host a Silent Auction!

Thank you all for participating in this event as it helps us do many good ministries throughout the year. We appreciate everyone's talent.



UWF Reading Library Book Review

Summer is a great time to read, especially if you can find a relaxing place outdoors. A book from the UWF Reading Library that you may want to consider is *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict and Christopher Murry. This is a historical fiction novel about Belle da Costa Green, a Black American who worked as the personal librarian for J.P. Morgan. To become one of the most powerful people in the art and book world, and find success in New York's society, Belle was forced to hide her identity as a Black American. This book is in the UWF Reading Library located in the Wesley Room. If you have any questions about the library, please feel free to ask Patty Bennett.

Donut Sale Thank You

Thank you to all the volunteers who showed up to work on the donut sale on Thursday and Friday, June 4-5. It was so much fun to be together again working and socializing. We had an amazing group who worked hard and were a part of a very successful donut sale. We made approximately \$1,238. Our profits will be the start of the UWF budget for 2027. Thanks, too, to everyone who purchased donuts.



Kitchen To Be Cleaned July 13

Asbury's kitchen will be cleaned on July 13 at 9:00 am by a professional cleaner in anticipation of upcoming Fall events. The UWF pays for this being done. Please help keep our kitchen clean by wiping up after your meeting and putting things away. Thank you.

UWF Meetings

- UWF board members meet at 9:30 am in the Wesley Room on the 1st Wednesday of each month. **The UWF Board will not meet in July**
- Love/Hope Circle meets at 1:00 pm in the Wesley Room on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. **NEW MEMBERS WELCOME. Love/Hope Circle will not meet again until September.**
- Faith Circle meets at 1:00 pm on the 3rd Thursday of each month in the Wesley Room. **NEW MEMBERS WELCOME. Faith Circle will not meet in July. Meetings will resume on August 20 with a potluck luncheon at Sandy Winklesky's home. The Circle will be discussing plans for the September pasty sale and the Fall Pantry.**
- Knitting Klub meets at 2:00 pm in the Wesley Room on the 2nd Monday of the month. **NEW MEMBERS WELCOME. The Knitting Klub will meet on July 13.**
- Green Door Book Group meets at 9:30 am in the Wesley Room on the 3rd Monday of each month. **The Green Door Book Group will resume meeting again on September 21.**
- Bone Builders Plus will be taking the months of June, July and August off from regular meetings on Tuesday and Thursday from 9:30 am to 10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. Members are encouraged to walk and do exercising on their own. The group will restart after Labor Day. Questions, call Jan at 218-626-1539 for more info.



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Return service requested

Meet Our Staff



ReverendMaryAnne Korsch
Administrative Asst.:Shirley Brandt
Music Coordinator/Organist:Phyllis Kruell
Praise Team Leaders.....varies
Custodian: Martin Larson
Ad Council Chair:Sandy Winklesky
Treasurer:Pat Anscomb
FinanceLarry Sampson
Lay Leader/Outreach: Steve Kokotovich
Trustees:Nancy Wagner, Terry Olson
UWF President.....Bev LeClair, Dawn Jones
SPRC ChairBarb Kokotovich
Worship ChairRenee Randa
Christian Ed.: Alice Brenny/Sandy Winklesky
ScholarshipShelly Vanneste
MembershipCandy Kokotovich
VisitationKaren Gokey
Landscaping/Garden.....Pam Perich

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NEXT MESSENGER DEADLINE: July 21 for August 2026 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 Vision & Mission Statement

Vision: At Asbury UMC, we believe God's words and ways are key to abundant life for ourselves and our community.

Mission: Asbury UMC is a welcoming, active church that exists to
serve, grow, build, and bless our congregation, community, and the world.