

Asbury United Methodist Church

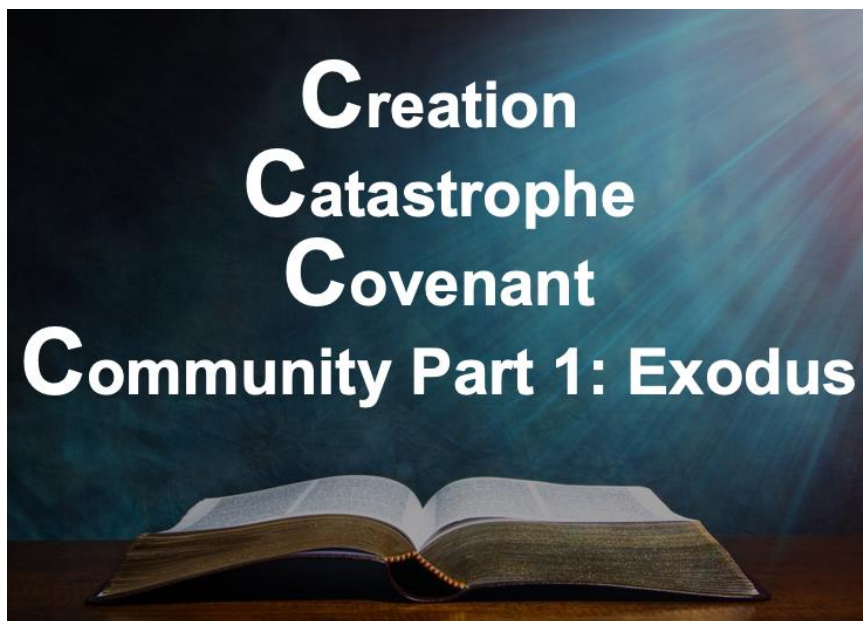
Building a community of strength, hope and love

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Worship: 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Rev. Tori Heath, Pastor



OUR MISSION

Asbury Church exists to glorify God by obediently making disciples of Jesus Christ locally and globally with all its ministries supporting that task.

Morning Worship
Transfiguration Sunday - February 14, 2021

*"It is in the worship of God that our focus is turned from the world,
to the One who created the world"*

Be still, and know that I am God – Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE "The King of Love, My Shepherd Is" Irish Melody
(Prepare for worship as the Light of Christ is brought into the Sanctuary)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

"Obstacles" Video

INVOCATION PRAYER

Everlasting Father, we give thanks to you today, we bless your name together. You alone are good and your steadfast love endures forever. Your faithfulness endures from generation to generation. As we gather together today fill our minds and our mouths with praise to you. Guard our thoughts and our hearts that we may glorify you in every aspect of our lives. You are the name above all other names, the king above all other kings. Blessing and glory, wisdom and thanksgiving, honor, and power and strength, be unto you our God forever and ever. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

* PRAISE HYMN "My Life Is In You, Lord"

My life is in You, Lord,
My strength is in You, Lord
My hope is in You, Lord
In You, it's in You.

I will praise You with all of my heart.
I will praise You with all of my Strength
With all of my life, and all of my strength.
All of my hope is in You.

My life is in You, Lord,
My strength is in You, Lord
My hope is in You, Lord
In You, it's in You.

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FEBRUARY MEMORY VERSE

We know how much God loves us, and we have put our trust in his love. God is love, and all who live in love live in God, and God lives in them. 1 John 4:16

JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

* OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory
Doxology
Prayer of Dedication

* SCRIPTURE LESSON

Exodus 12:21-32 & 37

SERMON "Community Part 1: Exodus" Pastor Tori Heath

* HYMN "Bind Us Together"

Bind us together, Lord, Bind us together
With cords that cannot be broken.

Bind us together, Lord,
Bind us together,
Bind us together with love.

There is only one God,
There is only one King;
There is only one Body,
That is why we sing.
(Repeat 1x)

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* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“God Leads Us Along”

G.A. Young

Music Today: Shirley Ruth French, Organist/Pianist

Greeters: 8:30 Linda Mitchell 11:00 Sharon Mitchell

Worship Leaders: 8:30 Kim Kinnear 11:00 Betty Wist



- 14 Leora Hoffman
Marge Phillips
Norm Roth
- 15 Cassidy Dahlkemper
Allen Yard
- 16 Mark Milford
- 17 Emily (Byrtus) Quebedeaux
- 18 Lillyann Burns
Bryce VanDyke
Trista Williams
- 20 Nora Santanna

WE WANT TO INCLUDE EVERYONE, SO PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE (796-6012) IF WE DO NOT HAVE YOUR OR YOUR FAMILY'S BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES LISTED.

Exodus 12:21-32 & 37

²¹ Then Moses summoned all the elders of Israel and said to them, “Go at once and select the animals for your families and slaughter the Passover lamb. ²² Take a bunch of hyssop, dip it into the blood in the basin and put some of the blood on the top and on both sides of the doorframe. None of you shall go out of the door of your house until morning. ²³ When the Lord goes through the land to strike down the Egyptians, he will see the blood on the top and sides of the doorframe and will pass over that doorway, and he will not permit the destroyer to enter your houses and strike you down.

²⁴ “Obey these instructions as a lasting ordinance for you and your descendants. ²⁵ When you enter the land that the Lord will give you as he promised, observe this ceremony.

²⁶ And when your children ask you, ‘What does this ceremony mean to you?’ ²⁷ then tell them, ‘It is the Passover sacrifice to the Lord, who passed over the houses of the Israelites in Egypt and spared our homes when he struck down the Egyptians.’” Then the people bowed down and worshiped. ²⁸ The Israelites did just what the Lord commanded Moses and Aaron.

²⁹ At midnight the Lord struck down all the firstborn in Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh, who sat on the throne, to the firstborn of the prisoner, who was in the dungeon, and the firstborn of all the livestock as well. ³⁰ Pharaoh and all his officials and all the Egyptians got up during the night, and there was loud wailing in Egypt, for there was not a house without someone dead.

³¹ During the night Pharaoh summoned Moses and Aaron and said, “Up! Leave my people, you and the Israelites! Go, worship the Lord as you have requested. ³² Take your

**AN OPPORTUNITY TO READ THROUGH
THE BIBLE
WITH YOUR CHURCH FAMILY
WITH A 1 YEAR BIBLE PLAN**

Hear and Obey God - that's a key mark of a disciple. While this plan will allow you to read the entire Bible in a year, the goal is to hear from God. Don't worry if you do not complete all of the reading.

SOAP focuses on 4 things:

S - Scripture: Write a verse that stood out to you.

O - Observation: Write what you see in the verse and surrounding section.

A - Application: Write how you sense God wants you to apply this verse to your life.

P - Prayer: Write a short prayer of response asking God to help you do what He just showed you.

FEBURARY

- 1 EX: 30-32; ACTS 8
- 2 EX 33-34; PS 16; ACTS 9
- 3 EX 35-36; ACTS 10
- 4 EX 37-38; PS 19; ACTS 11
- 5 EX 39-40; PS 15; ACTS 12
- 6 LEV 1-3; ACTS 13
- 7 LEV 4-6; ACTS 14
- 8 LEV 7-9; ACTS 15
- 9 LEV 10-12; ACTS 16
- 10 LEV 13-14; ACTS 17
- 11 LEV 15-17; ACTS 18
- 12 LEV 18-19; PS 13; ACTS 19
- 13 LEV 20-22; ACTS 20
- 14 LEV 23-24; PS 24; ACTS 21
- 15 LEV 25; PS 25-26; ACTS 22
- 16 LEV 26-27; ACTS 23
- 17 NUM 1-2; ACTS 24
- 18 NUM 3-4; ACTS 25
- 19 NUM 5-6; PS 22; ACTS 26
- 20 NUM 7;PS 23;ACTS 27
- 21 NUM 8-9; ACTS 28
- 22 NUM 10-11; PS 27; MARK 1
- 23 NUM 12-13; PS 90; MARK 2
- 24 NUM 14-16; MARK 3
- 25 NUM 17-18; PS 29; MARK 4
- 26 NUM 19-20; PS 28; MARK 5
- 27 NUM 21-23; MARK 6-7
- 28 NUM 24-27; 1COR 13

TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 14, 2021

PRAYER LIST FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL

Keenan Bayus – National Guard
Antonio Ewings – Marines (GA)

Cort Mukina – Army (WA)
Clay Pittman – Army

WE ARE PRAYING FOR: Winnie Bliss, Gail Donaldson,
Wayne Doolittle, Rita Ghering, Military & Nation's Leaders

We thank God for...

Jackson's knee surgery was successful

Grace

Bible Study

Jeff's healing

Deborah's healing

Jean's good bloodwork report

Evelin

Betty Lou is doing much better

Worship

Family time

Hearing the church bell on Sunday morning

Celebrating Uncle Speed's life who turned 95

We pray to God on behalf of...

Penny - Trista's mother with health challenges

Jane - serious case of lyme disease

Donna & Duane (Duane's recovery from strokes)

Dave

Danielle

Deborah - prayers for energy to walk

Kathy - fractured shoulder

Rev. Solida - continuing to recover from Covid

Doug's continued health and strength during regular dialysis and his family

Anna - guidance to good counselor

Noe - guidance for doctors due to the return & growth of brain tumor

Trevor - dialysis

Tammy W.

Darrell

Brock M. - motorcycle accident

Wayne D.

Jim - health issues

Tess & Sean

Cordie

Donna - Don & Tammy B's mother - heart surgery went well, prayers for good recovery

Judy - Allene's sister

Keenan's military unit

Kim S. - broken leg

Rich W. - recovering from gallbladder surgery

Roman - 12 year old recovering from brain surgery

Mark - liver issues

Victor - getting foot removed

Nass family who lost daughter while giving childbirth

Family of Ty C. who died in car accident

Sandy W. - chronic pain, seeing neurosurgeon

Kayla - emotional and physical healing

Connie - kidney stone

Floyd's brother Paul who is in the hospital in need of healing and wisdom for doctors

Seaton family

Bernard family

Sara S. - health

Fort LeBoeuf Schools

Asbury Preschool

Nursing homes

College students

Healthcare workers

Teens in need of wisdom and guidance in their decisions

Those out of work

Those without homes

Those who are lonely

Our government officials & our country

Families experiencing division

Those who are undergoing surgeries: Gary (eye), John (triple bypass),

Those who are fighting cancer: Jeanie, Linda, David, Rowan (10 year old with leukemia), Starla (child), John, Bonnie, Chris M., Albert, Marsha, John, Rhonda C., Peggy, Jamie, Bob W.

Those in need of organ transplants: Cheryl (lung), Paul (kidney), Jeremy (kidney)

Those with/recovering from COVID-19: Dr. Seon, Jack & Sandy, Jim J., Kyle, Amador, Melissa, Brenna, Emily, Jim & Kim

If you know anyone who no longer needs to be on this prayer list or the prayer has been answered and we can celebrate, please let us know.

Ash
Wednesday

Service

February 17th at 7:00 p.m.

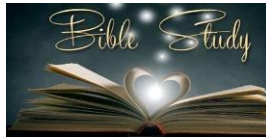
(an e-mail will be sent out a week before for in-person registration)

Drive-thru Imposition of Ashes

We will also be having drive-thru Imposition of Ashes – just drive up near the glass door entrance during the following times: 6:30-8:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Pastor Tori will meet you at your car to impose ashes on your forehead or back of your hand and offer prayer.

This week in the life of the church

- February 14 **8:30 In-Person Worship**
 11:00 In-Person Worship
 11:00 Children's Church
 4:00 Youth Group
- February 17 **10:00 Bible Study**
 6:00 American Heritage Girls
 7:00 Ash Wednesday Service
- February 18 **NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**
 6:00 Backpacks
 6:30 Zoom Bible Study
- February 20 7:00 AA



BIBLE STUDY
Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.
Fellowship Hall

CHURCH COVID POLICIES WILL BE FOLLOWED



We are having a weekly online Bible study on Zoom, 6:30-7:30pm, studying the Gospel of John. Here is the Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89588876853?pwd=QjVxNU1qYmRzSzNONmIvbll5a09aQT09>

If you would like the Zoom link emailed to you, please call/email the church office.