



Asbury UMC Weekly Briefs



Current Weekly Events (all ongoing activities are listed on Asbury's website)

Monday, July 26 Trustees Meeting (6:00 pm)
 Monday, July 26 Evangelism Team (6:30 pm)
 Sunday, July 25 - Friday, July 30 Youth Service Over Self (Memphis)
 Monday, July 26 - Friday, July 30 Camp Tanako (grades 4th - 6th)
 Thursday, July 29 ACCDC Summer Session ends

Upcoming Events

Sunday, August 1 Card Ministry (2:00 pm)
 Friday, August 6 Methodist Family Health Walk for Children & Families (6:00 pm)
 (www.methodistfamily.org for more information)
 Sunday, August 15 DeeDee Roberts, District Superintendent, preaching
 Sunday, August 29 Church-wide Fish Fry

Church Family News

SUNDAY July 18, 2010

Sunday School Attendance: 184
 Total in Worship Services: 268
 Guests: 32
 First Time Guests: 1

Prayers:

Walter Douglas	Jean Munger
John Sage	Dorothy Newkirk
Kaye Leonard	Dutch Dennis
Rilda James	Thelma Brown
John Carter	Geraldine Emberton
Family of Vera Watkins	

ReThink Asbury Initiatives

Exciting news! The Church Council unanimously voted on July 19 to launch a new Traditional Service of Worship at 10:45 am on Sunday mornings, beginning September 12. Such a decision moves us towards fulfilling our mission to make more and better disciples of Jesus the Christ. The Council's decision to create more places for more faces is to be commended. It's a decision of hope and faith. It signals to God that we want to bring more people into His presence where they can experience His love and redemption.

Mission Opportunities

Asbury Literacy Program—**Sean Galloway (351-6646)**
 Good Samaritan Closet (Service Work Area)—**Carol Godwin (666-5840)**
 Rice Depot—**Carol Godwin (666-5840)**
 Quapaw UMC Food & Clothing Pantry—**Margaret Ault (227-9337)**
 Stone Soup—ever other 4th Sunday (8/22, 10/24, & 12/26)—**Greg Stansell (954-7721)**
 Prison Ministry—1st & 4th Sundays—**Joe Wilkerson (868-8487)**

Weekly Budget

07/18/2010

Monies rec'd toward Operating Budget: \$ 26,381.00
 Amount needed to meet total budgeted goals*: \$ 18,542.20

*(\$135,579 of \$160,285 in Apportionments is not included in budgeted goals & remains to be paid).

Worship Servants

July 25, 2010

Altar Guild..... Tina Hendrickson (8:30)
..... (10:45)
Bread Ministry..... Jim Britt
Flowers Gelé Family
Greeters Joyce Dennis (8:30)(N)
..... Mike Block (8:30)(W)
..... Barbara Block (8:30)(E)
Greeters Danny Burgess (10:45)(N)
..... Baker Kurrus (10:45)(W)
..... Ginny Kurrus (10:45)(E)
Sacred Grounds
Hospitality Hosts..... Darin & Connie Wagner
Kids' Club Worship (Starry Night)
..... Lisa Snider (8:30 & 10:45)
Sound..... Randy Dennis (8:30)
..... Kevin Purifoy (10:45)
July Head Usher..... Bob Howeth (8:30)
..... John Stevens (10:45)
Van Driver Rick Shelton (247-6773)
Private Car Driver John Rowland (821-6444)

(N) Denotes North Entrance by Sanctuary
(W) Denotes West Entrance by Offices
(E) Denotes Upper Level by Elevator

Worship Servants

August 1, 2010

Communion Sunday

Altar Guild..... Cathy Moffett (8:30)
..... Mel & Sheri Collazo (10:45)
Bread Ministry..... Ted & Lugene Bowden
Communion Stewards
..... Pat Anderson & Stephanie Freeman (8:30)
..... Leta Anglin, Kevin Anglin,
..... Elsie Adkins, & Steve Adkins (10:45)
Flowers..... OPEN
Greeters Barbara Gunn (8:30)(N)
..... Charles Hart (8:30)(W)
..... Elizabeth Hart (8:30)(E)
Greeters Michael Simants (10:45)(N)
..... Stephanie Simants (10:45)(W)
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August Head Usher (8:30)
..... (10:45)
Van Driver Bob Moffett (227-8317)
Private Car Driver Clark Cogbill (312-1820)

Notes:

HOW DO I BECOME A MEMBER OF ASBURY?

- By professing your faith in Jesus Christ or transfer from another United Methodist Church or other denomination.
- By affirming the following vow: "As members of this congregation, will you faithfully participate in its ministries by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service and your witness?"
- The pastor will extend an invitation at the close of the service. Please come forward during the singing of the hymn.
- You may choose to visit with the pastor(s) prior to joining the Asbury congregation.

Asbury's Staff and Contact Information

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Contact the church office or any of the staff for more information about any programs.