

February 23, 2020



@ Asbury

*Where you make a difference*

*Our Mission*

To bring others into Asbury UMC  
to experience a difference,  
so they make a difference  
for Jesus Christ and others.

*Our Invitation*

To all who need Comfort,  
Friendship and the Love of God  
through our Savior Jesus Christ.  
This church opens wide its doors  
in the name of our Lord and says,  
*"Welcome."*

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# **LAUNCH Worship**

**February 23, 2020**

**10:45 A.M.**

*Welcome to Asbury UMC! We are so glad you are here!  
We pray that you find our worship to be spirit-filled  
and our community to be welcoming!*

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## **Welcome**

*Lord Our God*

*He Lives*

## **Gospel Reading**

Matthew 17:1-9

Larissa Temple

*Build My Life*

## **Giving of our Tithes and Offerings**

*Here As In Heaven*

## **The Message**

*“Carry that Weight”*

2 Peter 1:16-21

Bro. Nick Schimmer

## **Invitation to Christian Discipleship**

*Nothing Else*

## **Benediction**

*Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. May  
the peace of Christ be with you in the  
mission field this week!*

Director of Praise & Worship: Caleb Conrad  
Instrumentalists: Jay McDaniel, Bradley McNerlin,  
Vincent McNerlin  
Vocals: Caleb Conrad, Valera McDaniel  
Acolyte: Kirby O'Dell  
Sound Operator: Randy Dennis  
Video Operator: Dave Marano



There will be a Church Council meeting and Charge Conference in the Warehouse on February 23<sup>rd</sup> immediately following the 10:45 services.



Ash Wednesday Service  
February 26, 2020  
6:30 pm - Sanctuary



COOKIE SALE

**It's Girl Scout Cookie Time!!!  
Our Girl Scout Troop will be  
selling cookies TODAY,  
February 23<sup>rd</sup>.**



You are invited to enjoy Sheila Paulson and her Golden Retrievers at Terrific Tuesday on March 3 at 12 pm. Lunch (\$7) is: Meatloaf, Roasted Potatoes, Green Beans and Lemon Squares. We encourage you to support the Asbury Food Pantry with a donation of food or money. RSVP by 10 am Monday, March 2 if you plan to attend or need transportation (225-9231). **Please bring a friend!**

**Special Events**

Sunday, February 23rd.....Church Council/Charge Conference 12 pm (Warehouse)  
 Wednesday, February 26th.....Ash Wednesday Service 6:30 pm (Sanctuary)  
 Sundays Mar. 1st & Mar. 8th.....Girl Scout Cookie Sales 8:30 am - 12 pm (Outside Room 227)  
 Tuesday, March 3rd.....Terrific Tuesday 12 pm (Warehouse)

**Sunday, February 9th, 2019**

8:30 am (Sanctuary)	210	<b>Prayers:</b>	
10:45 am (Sanctuary)	86	Clifford Smith	Janet Brandt
10:45 am (LAUNCH)	148	Theone James	Pierce Blazer
<b>Total Worship Attendance:</b>	<b>444</b>	Joe Wilkerson	Carol Grace
<b>Guests: 147 including 3 first time</b>		Karen Greenfield	Wesley Cameron



Thanks to Jim Britt, Che Dolan, Sarah O'Banion, Karen Marriott and all the other scout leaders! We had over 35 scouts and their parents at our 8:30 Sanctuary and 10:45 Launch services!



The United Methodist Women will be sponsoring an environmental event! Instead of using styrofoam cups for coffee, we will provide ceramic cups/mugs which will be washed for use the following week. Donated mugs are welcome, too! A cart for used cups will be outside the 1st floor elevator and the Robert Moore (Sacred Grounds) room.



Join us in the Warehouse every Wednesday for N.O.W. (Night of Worship) and enjoy an afternoon of rest, prayer and contemporary worship! Doors open at 3:30 pm, worship starts at 5:15 pm and dinner is at 6 pm.

**Today's Sacred Grounds:** Sponsored by Tom & Gale Scott. Open dates are Mar. 8, 15 & 22. The cost is \$100 to sponsor a week. Call the office to reserve a date.

**Open Dates for Flowers:** Mar. 1, 8 & 15. Call the office to reserve a date.

**Pastor on weekend call:** Feb. 14, 15, 16      Bro. Nick Schimmer  
 Feb. 21, 22, 23      Pastor Dede Roberts

<b>Preaching Schedule</b>	<b>February 16, 2020</b>	<b>February 23, 2020</b>
8:30 Sanctuary Worship	<b>Pastor Dede Roberts</b>	<b>Pastor Dede Roberts</b>
10:45 Sanctuary Worship	<b>Pastor Dede Roberts</b>	<b>Pastor Dede Roberts</b>
10:45 LAUNCH Service	<b>Bro. Nick Schimmer</b>	<b>Bro. Nick Schimmer</b>

**Driver**      **Car**  
 Tom Hesselbein

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