

Connect

Sunday, October 22th, 9:00 A.M.

Please register your attendance and place in offering plate.

1st Time Guest New resident

Repeat Guest Member

Ages (check all that apply):

Under 18

18-25 26-29 30-39

40-49 50-59 over 60

Name(s):

Children attending & age(s):

Please check if your information has changed.

Address: _____

Phone(s): _____

E-mail: _____

Wish to Join?

Please check all that apply.

I would like to publicly profess my faith in Christ and receive the Sacrament of Christian Baptism.

I am interested in knowing more about _____

I would like to transfer my membership from a church of another denomination.

I would like to transfer my membership from another United Methodist Church.

For more information, contact Pastor Susan at susan@asbury-lr.org.

*Gloria Patri 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

*Invitation to Christian Discipleship

*Hymn of Commitment *My Jesus I Love Thee* 172

*Announcements

*Blessing

*Congregational Benediction *Shalom to You* 666

Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends,
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving,
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

*Postlude *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* Diana Brandon
St. Columbia

Events and happenings at Asbury

- ◆ Stone Soup Mission TODAY! 1:30-4:00 at Quapaw Quarter UMC
- ◆ TRUNK OR TREAT! Oct. 29, 3:30-5. We still need lots of volunteers!
- ◆ All Saints Sign up is live on the 5 Things email
- ◆ Prospective Member class, Oct. 29 10am in the Church Office reception area
- ◆ Church Merch links expire at the end of October
- ◆ Refuel Church-wide Dinner/Pray & Play is November 1st. Potato Bar dinner



Donuts today are provided by Ebi Yesunesadhas & Anilet Ebi on the celebration of their anniversary!



Please scan this QR code to sign in this morning!



Asbury staff emails and links

Abundant Love

October 22, 2023



Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

Mark 12:41-44



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Welcome to worship with Asbury UMC!
Whether you are present in person or online,
we pray that you find this service to be spirit-filled
and our community to be welcoming!

*Please stand as able

Gathering in God's Presence

Welcome & Announcements Rev. Heather Sprinkle

***Passing of the Peace**

Prelude *Sinfonietta* Diana Brandon
G. F. Handel

***Call to Worship** Kelly Blome

As the seasons change,

God's love remains steadfast.

With grateful hearts we give praise and thanks to God.

Poor in Spirit, we seek God's presence and grace.

God's abundant grace, love and mercy abound.

Come Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of you love, Amen.

***Hymn of Praise** *All Hail The Power of Jesus Name* 154

***Invocation** Kelly Blome

Radiant Lord, you shine with purity, power, and truth. Your mercy reflects your compassion, your care, and your love.

Transform us into your image as we seek to follow Jesus. Use us to make your presence known throughout the world. Break our hearts for what breaks yours, so that we might abundantly give and abundantly love. Amen.

Children's Message Nicole Rose

The congregation is invited to sing, "Jesus Loves Me," as our children come forward.

Act of Praise Chancel Choir

Down By The Riverside
Mary McDonald

Lifting Our Lives and Prayers to God

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer Rev. Heather Sprinkle

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.

The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Stewardship Moment Shiela Paulson

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Offertory Prayer Rev. Heather Sprinkle

Offertory Setting on a Shaker Hymn Tune Diana Brandon
arr. Gilbert Martin

***Doxology** 95

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Hearing God's Word

***Hymn of Preparation** *In The Garden* 314

Scripture Lesson Mark 12:41-48 CEB Kelly Blome
A Poor Widow's Contribution

The Message "Abundant Love" Rev. Heather Sprinkle

Responding to God with Our Lives

***Affirmation of Faith** The Apostles' Creed 881

TRUNK OR TREAT!

SUNDAY OCT. 29

3:30-5:00

Trunks!

Bounce house!

Crafts & Treats!

Sign up to serve!



PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAY FOR _____

Nature of the concern: _____

Person Making the Request:

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Please have a pastor call me.

I would like to schedule a visit with a pastor.

Please publish this and include in spoken prayer requests during worship. *(Due to privacy concerns, we will only print requests that concern immediate family members, or that are confirmed by the person named in the request.)*

This request is confidential. (Pastors only)