

Welcome to Asbury!

We are so glad you have joined us today! Please drop a welcome card in the offering plate/basket and let us know that you are here. If you have any questions or needs, please stop by our Visitor Information areas located outside the Sanctuary in the Narthex or at Five Points at the Hughes Road entrance.

DiscoverAsbury

Learn more about Asbury Sunday Night, March 21 with Dr. Alan Weatherly from 6:30pm-8pm in the Hospitality Area. Please stop by to hear more about our church. Appetizers and refreshments are served. Contact Pam Hanlin at x296 to make your reservation.

How Do I Become a Member of Asbury?

You can become a member in one of the following ways:

PROFESSION OF FAITH—This is the declaration to the church that Jesus Christ is your Savior and Lord.

REAFFIRMATION OF FAITH—Renewing your initial confession of faith after a period of inactivity, or not being on a church membership roll.

TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP—From another United Methodist Church or a Christian church of another denomination. We recognize baptism from all other Christian churches.

In our Traditional Worship Service, Welcome Cards are in the pews, and for Contemporary Worship, they are in this bulletin. At the end of each service the pastor makes an "Invitation to Join the Asbury Family." Please completely fill out the card and bring it with you as you come forward at the end of the worship service. If you have any questions about joining, please contact Pam Hanlin at 837-9696 x296 or email pam.hanlin@asburyumc.ws.



AsburyNext classes are designed to help new members and/or our guests learn more about Asbury's mission, strategy, areas of service and study opportunities based on 111.1. This is an excellent opportunity for you to fellowship and meet some of the pastors and other key ministry leaders. We want all our Asbury family to be connected in vital ways in the church body. Classes are offered as follows:

	Wednesday Night	Sunday Night
Date	Starts THIS Wednesday March 3, 10, 24, and 31	April 11, 18, and April 25
Time	6:00pm – 7:30pm	4:30pm – 6:30pm
Location	H213/215	H209/211

Start serving immediately and cultivate a heart for others. Opportunities to Serve for February/March are in the Visitor Areas and on our website under Get Connected.

What is 111.1?

111.1 is a discipline and a way of life to help every believer grow in a living and vital relationship with God. Our attentiveness in each one of these aspects of the Christian life will help determine our effectiveness in serving our Lord.

PSALM 111.1 "I will give thanks to the Lord with all my heart in the presence of God's people."

1 HOUR OF WORSHIP/PRAYER "Therefore, I urge you brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God---this is your spiritual act of worship." Romans 12:1

1 HOUR OF STUDY "We shall become like a mature person, growing until we become like Christ." Eph 4:13

1 HOUR OF SERVICE "In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:16

1 THE TITHE "The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it." Psalm 24:1

SCRIPTURE FOR FEBRUARY TO MEMORIZE:

He has shown all you people what is good. And what does the LORD require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6:8

DO YOU NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE?

If so, please see one of our ushers to assist you. There are handicap accessible pews in our sanctuary and for those that are deaf, there is an interpreter at our 9am Contemporary Service.

DO YOU NEED PRAYER?

You can email your request to prayerrequest@asburyumc.ws, place request in offering plate/basket or come to the altar on Sunday mornings and have one of our Altar Prayer Ministers pray with you.

A LOOK AT OUR FAITHFULNESS AS OF FEBRUARY 21, 2010

Attendance	
Worship Services	2556
Sunday School	595
2010 Total General Budget	\$5,989,134.00
Amount received for General Budget this week	\$101,126.11
Amount UNDER General Budget	(\$14,049.54)
SHORTFALL in meeting this year's General Budget	(\$227,600.97)
Asbury's Building Fund Commitments	\$3,702,930.82

PASTORAL CONTACT INFORMATION

Senior Pastor Alan Weatherly	x222
Senior Associate Pastor Jimmy Aycok	x224
Associate Pastor Scott Thackerson	x254
Associate Pastor John Ryberg	x232
Associate Pastor Ted Amey	684-4942
Visitation Pastor Marcus Long	729-6436

THE JOB SEEKING/CAREER TRANSITION MINISTRY CLASS/SUPPORT GROUP

Don Groves 653-8245 Call to schedule a session.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Rosario Cartwright Rosario.cartwright@asburyumc.ws
Referral Line 837-9696 x310
www.asburyumc.ws/ministries/stephensministry.htm

FINANCIAL MINISTRY

Jon and Dorothy Bridges 217-1799 fpu@asburyumc.ws
Financial Peace University • Financial Coaching

COUNSELING GROUPS AVAILABLE

Charlotte Baldwin 722-8091 www.asburycfc.net
DivorceCare • GriefShare • Celebrate Recovery

CELEBRATE RECOVERY is a Christ-Centered 12 Step Recovery Program for anyone with a hurt, habit, or hang-up. Monday nights at 6:30 in the Hope Building. Robbie Dodson at 722-8091 or Scott Thackerson at 837-9696 x254

Asbury Counseling Center, Inc. 722-8091
www.asburycfc.net

Asbury Thrift Store, Inc. 464-0460
www.asburythriftstore.com

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Infants through age 3

7:30, 9:00, and 10:30

Nursery Ministry

Age 3 through Kindergarten

9:00 Sunday School

10:30 Wee Worship - Hope Basement

1st-4th Grade

KIDS Church

(Elementary Worship Service)

10:30 Fellowship Hall - Joy Building

SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:00 Sunday School for all ages.

10:30 for 3rd grade through adults.

Please visit the Sunday School desk in Hope Building for more information.

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9am and 10:30 Traditional Worship

Special Guest, Leonard Sweet

7:30, 9, 10:30 Contemporary Worship

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NEXT WEEK - MARCH 7, 2010

9am and 10:30 Traditional Worship

Dr. Alan Weatherly- Communion

Contemporary Worship

7:30, 9 - Rev. John Ryberg

10:30 - Rev. Scott Thackerson

Other Worship Opportunities

Wednesday Worship is now a Bible Study at 6pm

Healing and Prayer Service

4th Sunday - 7pm in the Hope Chapel



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Growing God's Family by making disciples of Jesus Christ



Asbury is a Growing United Methodist Church.
Our mission is to grow God's family by making disciples of Jesus Christ.

restore

"I will restore you to health and heal your wounds." Jeremiah 30:17

March 6 from 9am-1pm

Asbury Fellowship Hall

Free Classes by Health Professionals

LIMITED SEATING IN CLASSES

Professionals also available for consultation

or stop by the Hospitality Area on

Sunday mornings to sign up.

Register online

www.asburyumc.ws

or call 256-837-0365

John 10:10 "...I have come to give life, life in all its fullness."

Maintain
Your Health
and
Well Being



Asbury C.H.R.I.S.T. Choir Presents DREAM NIGHT OUT 2010

Friday, March 5 & Saturday, March 6

Five Points

6:30 until...

A Night Of 1,000 Stars (Well, Almost)

A Fundraising Event for C.H.R.I.S.T. Choir's 2010 Tour to CHICAGO!

Cookies for Buen Pastor Kairos in Costa Rica

A bakery in Costa Rica helps the team make cookies for the inmates during Kairos. Cookies are one way the team and others can share God's love with the inmates. 1925 cookies were made in just a couple of hours using the bakery's equipment.

Testimonies from this trip will be published in the March/April issue of the Spirit which is going to be published March 5 on the website and available on Sunday, March 7 to pick up.



MINISTRY EVENTS, CONTACTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHRISTIAN GROWTH....Rhonda Montgomery rhonda.montgomery@asburyumc.ws x240
STEP FAMILY STUDY Ron Deal provides practical, realistic solutions to the issues that step-families face. He helps remarried and soon-to-be-married couples. Join us for the 8-week study from 7-8:30pm, Tuesdays, Mar 23-May 11. Contact Shannon at godwinksatyou@yahoo.com/895-0398 or Todd Shelton at todd.shelton@asburyumc.ws/655-8362 to sign up. Deadline is Mar 15.

TUESDAY LUNCH BIBLE STUDY is starting a new series by Andy Stanley, "The Best Question Ever," in F024 from 11:30am- 1pm. Contact Alicia McDaniel x285 alicia.mcdaniel@asburyumc.ws.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PASTOR-LED BIBLE STUDY in Sanctuary from 6-7 pm. "Prayers from the Bible" Mar 3-Apr 28.

WomenRobbyn Taylor rtaylor1@knology.net 721-1520
Contact Robbyn Taylor for serving opportunities.

REFRESH & RENEW LUNCHEON Fri, Mar 26 11:30-12:30pm at Carrabba's - 2801 S. Memorial Parkway, Huntsville; \$10 at the door. Register on the Asbury Events and Registration page. Speakers: Robbyn Taylor and Leigh Christian. Celebrate Jesus and hear the personal testimonies of the power of Christ.

Men Scott Ray scotttray@knology.net
MEN'S MEGASMALL GROUP every Wed in Five Points. Breakfast starts at 6am; program at 6:30am; out the door by 7:30am. Led by Alan Weatherly and Joe Hollingsworth. Email mensministriesmallgroup@asburyumc.ws for questions. New participants register online http://www.asburyumc.ws/ministries/men.htm.

MEN'S SOFTBALL If you are interested in playing in a league in Huntsville starting in early April, contact Herschel Jordan at 325-2345 or hjordan@knology.net.

MEMBER LIFE..... Robin Waldrop robin.waldrop@asburyumc.ws—x229

Member Care Dot Stotser 461-8138 gstotser@knology.net

Prime Timers (50+) David & Susan Elder 922-1701—susan.elder@knology.net

Prayer..... Dawn Speegle 830-0731 kdspeegle@knology.net

SINGLES Todd Shelton todd.shelton@asburyumc.ws—x230

THE STOREHOUSE..... Ted Amey
Prayer and Missions Base for All 684-4942 ted@storehouse247.com www.storehouse247.com
STOREHOUSE VISION TRIP TO IHOP//24-7 PRAYER TEAM Tues, Mar 16 - Thurs, Mar 18 :: \$80.

HOUSE OF PRAYER Mondays::15 hours of continuous intercessory worship 6am-9pm.

COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULTS Ted Amey 684-4942 ted@storehouse247.com www.storehouse247.com

BIBLE STUDY EXPERIENCE Thurs 6pm at Jill and Ted's, 128 Grantham Circle in Madison :: Dinner and Fellowship :: Girls' study led by Jill :: Guys' Study led by Ted :: for monthly group activity please visit website.

YOUTH MINISTRY Peter Dahlin peter.dahlin@asburyumc.ws—x282 www.fathomministries.com
MIRACLES OF JESUS PRAYER LABYRINTH Interested in contributing artwork for this year's spring labyrinth? See Kristen for details. Artwork is due March 24.

COSTA RICA YOUTH MISSION TRIP tentatively set for July 5-12. Info is available at Five Points.

HOMETOWN MISSIONS SPRING BREAK 2010 Embrace opportunities in our community to serve Jesus by loving others. Info and registration packets are available at Five Points. All forms are due **TOMORROW**.

HARVEST YOUTH CLUB NEEDS HOMEWORK HELPERS on Mondays after school. An Asbury Bus picks up the youth at Discovery Middle School at 3:30, Asbury Five Points at 3:45 and Brusters at 3:55. We'll return to Five Points

by 5:30. Contact Kristen at 837-9696 x280 for more info.

CHILDREN..... Julie Durling julie.durling@asburyumc.ws—x246
WILL WORK FOR CANDY, will pray for candy, will sing for candy. Children's Ministry needs to stuff 5000 Easter eggs this year..wow! Please drop off candy at our offices.

OUT OF THE BASKET EGG HUNT Mark your calendars! Mar 27 for walkers - 4th grade.

CAMP SUMATANGA Elementary Camp for rising 4th graders through rising 6th graders is now open for registrations. Visit www.sumatanga.org for details on dates, cost and registration. We encourage Asbury children to attend Camp 5- July 18-23. Please let Julie know if you register your child.

DADDY DAUGHTER PHOTOS available in Children's Ministry offices.

MUSIC..... Susan Farris susan.farris@asburyumc.ws—x235

MISSIONS John Bailey john.bailey@asburyumc.ws—x226
FOLLOW ASBURY MISSIONS twitter.com/asburymissions.

TWO COSTA RICA MISSION TRIPS Oct 2-10 to support the Tatums in Coronado AND Oct 9-17 to work on worship/youth center in Puerto Viejo. Contact Jerry Krailler at 461-0419 or JKrailler@knology.net for details.

KENYA MISSION MEETING TODAY at 2pm in J200 Loft. This is a medical/construction mission serving with Pastor Julius Makathimo. Contact Steve Wright at 698-1344 or wrights_35758@yahoo.com.

BLOOD DRIVE with American Red Cross Bloodmobile at Asbury on Wed, Mar 17 from 3-8pm in the parking lot. All presenting donors are entered into a quarterly drawing for a \$1,000 gift card. **BRING PHOTO I.D.**

MARY MARTHA CIRCLE meets **TOMORROW** at 9am in J125. After the business meeting, we are assembling kits for emergency situations around the world. Email Martha Fox at luv2dnce@knology.net for a supply list.

MUSICIANS HELP AT THE HYC There is a need at the Harvest Youth Club for musicians to help the kids with their instruments. The HYC has a kids band (drum line) and some of the kids play instruments in the school band. Please contact Susan Taylor for further information utsusan@bellsouth.net

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

OIL CHANGE DAY on Sat, Mar 6. This day is for widows, single moms, or wives of deployed service personnel. Limited to first 30 people who call for an appointment. FREE and kid friendly too! Call 837-0365 with your auto's year, make, model, and color. To volunteer, please email scottmillhouse@knology.net at 971-2799. Breakfast items hostesses are also needed to welcome and visit with the participants. Contact marymillhouse@knology.net at 971-2799.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Full-time with benefits, Missions Administrative Assistant. Job description can be found online at www.asburyumc.ws under the About menu. Please send resume and cover letter to leeanne.kavanagh@asburyumc.ws by **TOMORROW**.

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WEDNESDAY DINNER Reservations online at http://www.asburyumc.ws/news/dinner.htm. MENU: Steak Burgers/Mini Burgers.

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ENVELOPE NUMBERS Please include on your contribution checks. Call x241 for number.

ANNOUNCEMENTS for this publication must be approved by your ministry leader and emailed before Tues at noon to tell@asburyumc.ws.

Monica and Michael Elmore announce the birth of their son, Sheldon Kurtis, born on Feb 17. Proud grandparents are Alicia and Tommy McDaniel.