Opportunities For Work, Witness & Fellowship

Sunday, November 12 Blanket Sunday

8:30a Traditional Worship 9:45a Sunday School 9:45a Alzheimer's Support 11:00a Praise Worship 12:00p AAA Bible Study

Monday, November 13 5:45a Girl Scout Leaders

Tuesday, November 14 Pie Order Deadline

9:00a Exercise Class

9:30a Hannah Circle at Machine Shed

5:00p Trustees

6:00p Finance Committee

Wednesday, November 15

5:00p Backpack Ministry 5:15p All Church Meal

5:30p Grief Share

6:00p Awana

6:00p Praise Team

6:00p 4th/5th Grade Youth Group

6:00p Middle School Youth Group

6:15p WINGS Study

6:30p Sr High Youth Group

6:30p 2nd vr Confirmation Class

7:15p Chancel Choir

Thursday, November 16

9:00a Exercise 5:45p PPRC

7:00p Thurs Bible Study 7:00p Ladies' ARM Group

Friday, November 17

8:30a Fellowship w/Purpose

Saturday, November 18 Pie Making - Volunteers Needed

8:30a Morning Bells

10:00a Worship Planning 10:00a Sr High Youth

1:00-3:00p Pie Pick Up

Sunday, November 19

8:30a Traditional Worship 9:45a Sunday School

11:00a Praise Worship

12:00p AAA Bible Study 2:00p Hanging of the Greens

2:30p Charge Conference

(at Grace UMC in Davenport)

***Children's Sunday School Classes will NOT be held on November 26th



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Parish Nurse - - - - Gale Hale
Music Director - - - Gale Hale



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Office Hours

Youth/Young Adult Ministries Director - - Pat Mulloy

Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.—Noon 1:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m.—Noon



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Asbury's 8:30 a.m. Worship Service is available on CD and Audio.

Audio of each worship service is available to stream or download to your computer from the Asbury Facebook Page. A CD of the 8:30 worship service can be made available by request.

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.

Blanket Sunday



ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Bettendorf, Iowa November 12, 2017 8:30 a.m.

Asbury United Methodist Church

Our vision is to passionately serve in the world because God so loved the world.

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost - November 12, 2017 - Liturgical Color: Green

Sermon Series: "Pass It On!" October 29th – November 19th

GOD'S PEOPLE ASSEMBLE

Prelude "Gather Us In" - M. Haugen/M. Hayes Greetings, Announcements, and Attendance Registration

* Choral Introit Chancel Choir

* Call to Worship

Live out thy life within me, O Jesus, king of kings!

Be thou thyself the answer to all my questionings;

Live out thy life within me, in all things have thy way!

I, the transparent medium, thy glory to display. (Frances R. Havergal)

* Hymn "Take My Life, and Let It Be" #399

* Unison Prayer

Lord Jesus, you sent us your Holy Spirit to live in each of us. May that same Holy Spirit convict us and give us a heart of mercy for others. Help us to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, house the homeless, and care for all of your children. Just as you live in our hearts, you live in the hearts of all of your people. When we help others, we help you. May your mercy stretch across your Kingdom. Amen.

*Response "Lord, Be Glorified" vs 4 #2150

A TIME OF SHARING AND PRAYING

Passing the Peace of Christ
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Prayer Hymn "Open My Eyes, That I May See" vs 2 #454
Silent Prayer - Pastoral Prayer - Lord's Prayer - Choral Response

READING AND PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Scripture Matthew 25:34-40
Children's Time "Give and Go"

Children are asked to return to their seats after Children's Time

Anthem "Man of Mercy" - R. Wetzler Chancel Choir

Second Scripture Acts 9:36-42

Response: Thanks be to God!

Sermon "Acts of Mercy: Not a Charity Case"

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Blessing of the Blankets

The Gathering and Presenting of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "Here I Am, Lord/Ask Ye" - arr. J. Raney

*Response "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" #95 alt rhythm *Prayer of Dedication

Almighty God, we dedicate these gifts to you and your service. But we pray that they not be used as acts of charity, seeing others as projects and missions. We pray that they be used to build relationships with others, to care for one another and see the Christ in one another. May these gifts be acts of mercy and compassion for others. Amen.

*Hymn "Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service" vs 1,2,4 #581 Spoken Benediction

* Choral Benediction Chancel Choir

Postlude "Trumpet Processional" - D. Callender

Welcome to Worship

If you are a visitor from another congregation, we extend to you our greetings and hope you will join us again. If you are living in the Quad City area, and are not active in a church, we invite you to consider becoming active with us.

Large print bulletins are available, please ask an usher for assistance.

Located in each narthex, are details about activities of the church. Help yourself to the information. The church newsletter, *Good News*, lists current ministries and programs.

As you worship, jot down notes from the sermon or any part of the service so that you may reflect on them during the week.			