



Prayer Request Card

If you would like to share a prayer request, please detach this form and place it in one of the Bread Tins as the children circulate them after the Children's Celebration.

(Please Print)

Date: _____

Your Prayer Concern:

Your Name (optional):

Please keep my prayer concern confidential

Please add my prayer concern to the prayer list in the bulletin.

Please remove my concern from the prayer list.

Announcements

*Don't forget: TOMORROW is the deadline for the July newsletter!! Please send your information to mandy@asburymethodist.org. Thank you!

*The Western North Carolina UMC Annual Conference will be held this week in Lake Junaluska from June 19th through June 23rd. Please keep our church leadership in your prayers.

*Rev. David Warren will be on-call for Rev. Goforth from June 24th-July 1st while Rev. Goforth is on vacation.

*There will be an announcement about our Stewardship Campaign and our Capital Campaign from Rob Chason and Kitty Schaller this morning during the collection of the bread tin offering.

Prayer List

Bill McGeary, Addison McGeary, Steve Ellis, Kathy Morgan, Jimmy Boyd, Lanny Warren, Barbara Meyers, Doris Prentice, Jessie Tickle, Clara Sykes, Frances and Jim Morehead, the family of Cayla Gregory, Carla Keck, Betty Hayes, Audry E., Alma Wallace, victims of natural disasters, veterans, Wes, Trevor Tate, Darrell Joseph, Trish Barnes, Rowan Burke, Bryant Dodson, Lendon Jones, families in Europe who have lost loved ones in floods there, our shut-ins, Peter Andersen.

This Week at Asbury

Today: 9:45 am- Sunday School [Classrooms]
 11:00 am- Worship [Sanctuary]
 8:00 pm-Alcoholics Anonymous [Fellowship Hall]

Monday: *Newsletter Deadline*
 7:00 am-Emmaus Group [Youth Room]
 9:00 am-12:00 pm- Church Office Hours
 10:00 am- Asheville Lectionary Group [Brown Chapel]
 6:00 pm-8:00 pm-Disciple Bible Study [St. Paul's UMC]

Tuesday: *Church Office Closed*

Wednesday: *Bulletin Deadline*
Annual Conference [Lake Junaluska]
 9:00 am-12:00 pm-Church Office Hours
 7:00 pm-Choir Rehearsal [Choir Room]
 8:00 pm-Narcotics Anonymous [Fellowship Hall]

Thursday: *Annual Conference [Lake Junaluska]*
 9:00 am-12:00 pm-Church Office Hours
 7:00 pm- Finance Committee Meeting [Brown Chapel]

Friday: *Church Office Closed*
Annual Conference [Lake Junaluska]
 8:00 pm-Alcoholics Anonymous [Fellowship Hall]

Saturday: *Church Office Closed*
Annual Conference [Lake Junaluska]

Sunday (6.23.2013): 9:45 am-Sunday School [Classrooms]
 11:00 am-Worship [Sanctuary]
 8:00 pm-Alcoholics Anonymous [Fellowship Hall]

The Ministry of Worship

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A Service of Worship

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
June 16, 2013
Asbury Memorial United Methodist Church
www.asburymethodist.org

Happy Father's Day

*If you are visiting with us today, we are glad you are here!
Please take a moment to fill out a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate as it circulates.
The congregation reads the words in **bold** type.*

Entrance

Prelude....."With Peace In My Soul"
[by David Paxton; Lorenz Publishing Co.]

The Light of Christ Enters Our Gathering

Introit....."Glorify Thy Name"
[based on Psalm 86:12 by Donna Adkins; Maranatha! Music]

Welcome and Announcements

⊕ Hymn #131....."We Gather Together"

⊕ Responsive Reading #742.....Psalm 5

⊕ 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. ♪

Proclamation and Response

Children's Celebration
Collection of our Bread Tin Offering and Prayer Cards

**The June Bread Tin collections will go to support the Grace Children's Hospital and Pediatric Clinic in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. Founded by Jim and Virginia Snavelly, Grace Hospital serves the most vulnerable population in the poorest country in the western hemisphere. None are turned away for inability to pay. Grace Hospital is a Global Ministry of the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR). Please help support this ministry by giving generously.*

***You may also place a prayer card in one of the bread tins if you have a special prayer request you'd like to share.*

Prayer for Illumination:

**Faithful Creator,
whose mercy never fails:
as we listen to your voice today,
deepen our faithfulness to you
and to your living Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

⊕ *The congregation standing, if able.*

Scripture Lesson.....Galatians 2:15-21 [NRSV NT p.177 in pew Bible]

¹⁵We ourselves are Jews by birth and not Gentile sinners; ¹⁶yet we know that a person is justified not by the works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ. And we have come to believe in Christ Jesus, so that we might be justified by faith in Christ, and not by doing the works of the law. ¹⁷But if, in our effort to be justified in Christ, we ourselves have been found to be sinners, is Christ then a servant of sin? Certainly not! ¹⁸But if I build up again the very things that I once tore down, then I demonstrate that I am a transgressor. ¹⁹For through the law I died to the law, so that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; ²⁰and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. ²¹I do not nullify the grace of God; for if justification comes through the law, then Christ died for nothing.

The Word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God.

Choral Anthem.....“What A Wonderful World”
[arr. John D. Miller; Glory Sound]

Gospel Lesson.....Luke 7:36-8:3 [NRSV NT p.62 in pew Bible]

³⁶One of the Pharisees asked Jesus to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee’s house and took his place at the table. ³⁷And a woman in the city, who was a sinner, having learned that he was eating in the Pharisee’s house, brought an alabaster jar of ointment. ³⁸She stood behind him at his feet, weeping, and began to bathe his feet with her tears and to dry them with her hair. Then she continued kissing his feet and anointing them with the ointment. ³⁹Now when the Pharisee who had invited him saw it, he said to himself, “If this man were a prophet, he would have known who and what kind of woman this is who is touching him -- that she is a sinner.” ⁴⁰Jesus spoke up and said to him, “Simon, I have something to say to you.” “Teacher,” he replied, “speak.” ⁴¹“A certain creditor had two debtors; one owned five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. ⁴²When they could not pay, he canceled the debts for both of them. Now which of them will love him more?” ⁴³Simon answered, “I suppose the one for whom he canceled the greater debt.” And Jesus said to him, “You have judged rightly.” ⁴⁴Then turning toward the woman, he said to Simon, “Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave me no water for my feet, but she has bathed my feet with her tears and dried them with her hair. ⁴⁵You gave me no kiss, but from the time I came in she has not stopped kissing my feet. ⁴⁶You did not anoint my head with oil, but she has anointed my feet with ointment. ⁴⁷Therefore, I tell you, her sins, which were many, have been forgiven; hence she has shown great love. But the one to whom little is forgiven, loves little.” ⁴⁸Then he said to her, “Your sins are forgiven.” ⁴⁹But those who were at the table with him began to say among themselves, “Who is this who even forgives sins?” ⁵⁰And he said to the woman, “Your faith has saved you; go in peace.”

¹Soon afterwards he went on through cities and villages, proclaiming and bringing the good news of the kingdom of God. The twelve were with him, ²as well as some women who had been cured of evil spirits and infirmities: Mary, called Magdalene, from whom seven demons had gone

out, ³and Joanna, the wife of Herod’s steward Chuza, and Susanna, and many others, who provided for them out of their resources.

The Word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God.

Sermon.....Rev. Goforth
☩ Hymn #365.....“Grace Greater Than Our Sin”

Thanksgiving

Prayers of the People

...Lord in your mercy.
Hear our prayer.

Silent Prayer
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.**

Offering

*If you are visiting with us this morning,
please take a moment to fill out the visitors’ card
on the far right side of the bulletin.
You may place it in one of the offering plates as they circulate.*

Offertory.....“This Is My Father’s World”
[Franklin L. Sheppard; arr. Larry Shackley; Alfred Publishing]
☩ 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. ♪**

☩ Offertory Prayer

Sending Forth

☩ Hymn #577.....“God of Grace and God of Glory”
Benediction
Choral Benediction.....“Lord, We Love You”
[arr. Joseph Linn; Lillenas Publishing Co.]
Postlude.....“Faith of Our Fathers”
[tune: St. Catherine; by Henry F. Hemi; arr. Lani Smith; Lorenz Publishing Co.]

☩ *The congregation standing, if able.*

Volunteer Schedules

Volunteer Schedule for This Week June 16, 2013	
Counting Team	Steve Rich Julie Niwinski
Lock-up Volunteer	Doug Tallent Ann Perkins
Greeters	Cynthia Stewart Arlee Banks
Sanctuary Stewards	Bruce Kidder Elaine Price
Nursery Volunteers	John Stewart Julie Niwinski
Children’s Church	Jessica Jackson
Children’s Message	Sallyanne McVay
Acolyte	Cora Goforth
Lector	Jeff McVay
Ushers	Doug Tallent Martha Tallent Cindy Page Jerry Stubblefield

Volunteer Schedule for Next Week June 23, 2013	
Counting Team	Merritt Moseley Sue Lane Muesing
Lock-up Volunteer	Doug Tallent Ann Perkins
Greeters	Margaret Tickle Ann Young
Sanctuary Stewards	Cathy Mills Madeline Moseley
Nursery Volunteers	William Withers Jessica Withers
Children’s Church	Madeline Moseley
Children’s Message	Madeline Moseley
Acolyte	Ryan Conover
Lector	Merritt Moseley
Ushers	Gary Tweed Toni Tweed Brian Wallace Barbara Wallace

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We are grateful for the opportunity to contact you to let you know how glad we are that you visited! Your information will be kept private.

Please take a moment to fill out this card. It can be detached and placed in the offering plate as it circulates later in the service.

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Date: _____

Name(s): _____

Street
Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____

Email Address: _____

Comments: _____
