



Sunday, April 15, 2018 at 8:30 and 11 am

WELCOME

to *Asbury First United Methodist Church*

We are a *caring*,
Christ-centered *community*;
Our hearts and doors are *open to all*.

We invite you to join us in *worship*,
in learning about *faith*,
and in loving our *neighbor*.

We are Asbury First,
and we are glad you're here.

AN INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Welcome visitors! We invite you to sign the ritual of friendship pad during the service. Please complete a visitor card, found in the pews, and take it to the welcome desk in the Welcoming Hall, where we have a small gift for you. Informational brochures are available in the Welcoming Hall. If you're interested in becoming a part of our community, please check the appropriate column on the ritual of friendship pad, or contact any pastor. Again, a deep WELCOME!

Worship Aids: Large-print bulletins, Bibles, and hymnals are available from the ushers. Braille hymnals and ASL interpreters are available with one week's advance notice to the church office, (585) 271-1050, x103. A hearing loop in the sanctuary is available for those who have hearing aids with T switches; you may also request earphones from the ushers that will aid you in hearing the service if needed. CDs of our Sunday morning services or just the sermon may be borrowed or purchased; call or stop by the office and speak with the receptionist during the week.

Prayer Request Cards are in the pew racks. We invite you to place prayer requests in the offering plates, so that our pastors and the Intercessory Prayer Group may pray for you. Your prayer request is confidential.

Coffee Fellowship: You are invited to enjoy coffee, tea, or cocoa and conversation every Sunday, 9:30 am to 11:30 am, at Heavenly Grounds in the Gathering Center. Treats may also be available.

Giving to Asbury First: Donations to Asbury First may be made during the service by placing your gift (cash or check) in the offering plate when it is passed. You may also give online at www.asburyfirst.org. Questions? Contact Morgan Dornsife at (585) 271-1050 x112 or mdornsife@asburyfirst.org.

As a community of faith, we believe that children are sacred gifts and they are welcome in our worship. We recognize that children can become restless during worship. Excellent nursery and childcare is offered. Children's bulletins are available. Please see an usher for more information.

After the service we welcome you to sit in the chancel choir pews to meditate and listen to the organ postlude.

We kindly ask that as you enter the Sanctuary you turn off your cell phone.

Worship on Radio: Each Sunday morning from 11 am-noon you can tune your radio to WYSL 1040 AM or 92.1 FM to hear today's worship service. You may also go to www.WYSL1040.com and hear audio of the service.

LIVE & Archived Worship on your Computer: We offer live video streaming of the 11 am service on our website at www.asburyfirst.org. A video archive of past services is also available. We welcome your suggestions on how we may improve these offerings.

Reconciliation Statement: Asbury First United Methodist Church prayerfully strives to live in its community with open hearts, open minds and open doors. Affirming that each person is of sacred worth, we seek to be a fully inclusive church, believing that all people are God's children, created in God's image, loved and blessed equally by God. It is our purpose to be a Reconciling Congregation. This means extending hospitality and encouraging full participation of all, regardless of age, race, national origin, gender, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, marital status or family structure, education or economic background, and physical or mental ability. We recognize that we hold a variety of opinions. We do not seek to erase our differences, but to journey together in faith toward greater understanding and mutual respect. We believe that reconciliation to God and to one another is central to our mission and ministry.

Our Mission Statement

Love God and neighbor.
Live fully.
Serve all.
Repeat.

Sound Bite

Love. Live. Serve. Repeat.

WORSHIP SERVICE

3rd Sunday of Easter • 8:30 and 11 am • April 15, 2018

As the community gathers, may the music of the prelude draw your hearts and minds to God.

THE COMMUNITY GATHERS

PRELUDE “The King of Love My Shepherd Is” —Raymond Haan
“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” —Alfred Fedak
“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” —Don Hustad

INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP *All are invited to read the bold-faced type; the lay reader will read the unbolded type.*

God, you call to us wherever we are.

Hear us as we cry to you in our sorrow and dance with you in our joy.

God, you appear to us in stormy times and times of calm.

Renew in us your spirit as we respond to your call.

Let us worship God!

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #89 “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

*GREETING & PASSING
OF THE PEACE

*GREETING HYMN #437 “This Is My Song” (vv. 1, 2)

PRAYER OF
CONFESSION

For the times when we most need to see you,

Open our eyes.

For the times when another most needs to feel your love,

Sing in our hearts.

For the times when we turn away from an outstretched hand,

Turn us to the one who offers help.

Measure in us the successful heart by the mustard seed of love.

Help us to forgive ourselves and each other.

SILENT CONFESSION

All are invited to offer their personal prayers of silent confession.

** please stand, in body or in spirit*

By the grace of God, you are forgiven.
In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.
Thanks be to God! Amen.

*GLORIA
 TUNE: HYMN #102

**All glory be to God, all praise and thanks be given;
 Whose Son and Spirit reign as one in highest Heaven;
 Our one eternal God, whom earth and heaven adore;
 For thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.**

TO HEAR THE WORD

SCRIPTURE
 JOHN 21:1-14

After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

ANTHEM

"Andante"—Friedrich Kuhlau

CHILDREN'S TIME

All children are invited forward at this time and may bring their prayer requests and offerings.

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.

*HYMN #404 “Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

11 am service only: During the singing of this hymn, children four years old through fifth grade are invited to exit the sanctuary for Enrichment Time.

SERMON Warts and All

CALL TO PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE

TO RENEW COMMITMENT

INVITATION TO
DISCIPLESHIP,
MEMBERSHIP,
AND COMMITMENT

Our Creative God endows us with the gifts of time, talent, and treasure. Within this bulletin you will find invitations to enrich your faith journey and enhance your commitment. We invite you to prayerfully consider these opportunities.

We ask that you sign and pass the ritual of friendship pad from the center aisle down the pew. Prayer request cards are available in the pew racks and may be placed in the offering plate as it is passed, or they may be placed in the wooden boxes located in the Narthex and Welcoming Hall.

OFFERTORY
8:30 AM

“Think of How God Loves You”—James MacMillan

Think of how, think of how God loves you!
He calls you his own children, and that is what you are.

You have put on Christ; in him you have been baptized.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

OFFERTORY
11 AM
FROM JOHN 14:15–17

“If Ye Love Me”—Thomas Tallis

If ye love me,
keep my commandments,
and I will pray the Father,
and he shall give you another comforter,
that he may 'bide with you forever,
e'en the spirit of truth.

*DOXOLOGY #95 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*PRAYER OF
DEDICATION **God of our hearts, we give back to you all you have given to us. Receive our time, talent and treasure, and direct them to where they will help those who are in need. Amen.**

TO DISPERSE IN MISSION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN #428 "For the Healing of the Nations"

*BENEDICTION

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RESPONSE

POSTLUDE "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"—David Lasky

PARTICIPANTS
IN THE SERVICE Preacher: The Rev. Kathy Thiel
Liturgists: The Rev. Mike Mullin, Pamela Dayton
Lay Reader: Ian Pershing
Director, Asbury Singers: Brian Bohrer (8:30 am)
Director, Sanctuary Choir: Dr. William Weinert (11 am)
Director, Children's Bell Choir: Holly Temming (11 am)
Organist: Duane Prill
Soloist: Annette Farrington, Flute
Acolyte: Zanneke Fluit (8:30 am); Anna Shafer Clark (11 am)
Crucifer: Maria Hackett
Audio Operator: Tippet Reinson (11 am)
Video Operator: Connor Nelson (11 am)
Head Ushers: Nancy and Dick Adamus (8:30 am); Tim Lamica and Brian White (11 am)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

The flowers on the altars are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Donna V. Wright and Donna B. Steele by Martha, Andrew, and Lexa Hunt; in loving memory of Ruth's father, Harry Howitt, by Ruth and David VanDerLinden; and in celebration of the Apr. 14 wedding of our children Timothy Rice and Larissa Chapkovich in Fort Lauderdale, FL given by The Beth & David Rice Family.

If you would like to place flowers on the altar, please contact Jeanne Ristau at (585) 223-4356, preferably two weeks ahead of requested date.

We offer our prayers and concern for all those who are ill at home, hospitalized, or in hospice care. Known to be hospitalized is Kathy Welch at Unity Hospital.

If you are aware of anyone who is ill and in need of a pastoral visit, please call the church office at (585) 271-1050.

We invite you to pray for members of our church families known to be serving in the military:

US Air Force: SSgt Charles Key; Amn Patrick "Rick" Smith.

US Army: SGT Christopher M. Birdsall; CPT Nathan Lubba; MAJ Matthew Ristau;* PV2 Kevin Keehn; SGT Christian T. Dahl; CPT Scott Moncrief;

CW4 Eric R. Rutsch.

US Marine Corps: LT Craig R. Waldman; Lcpl John Lyons.*

US Navy: IS2 Philip Anderson;* LT Adam Kreutter;

CAPT Jeffrey A. Ward; PO2 Jacob Staples.

US Army Reserves: PFC Wesley Regnier; SGT Michael DiPaola.

*deployed.

If you would like to add the name of a member or friend to our military listing, or if you know someone on this list who is no longer serving in the military, email Jamie Least at jleast@asburyfirst.org, or call (585) 271-1050, x109.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We invite the children to take activity bags as they enter the Sanctuary. There are two bags: one for children ages 3-6, and another for 7 and up. Please return bags after the service.

Is Children's Ministry meeting your child's special needs? Can we make accommodations to be helpful to you and your child? Contact Paula Dugan at (585) 271-1050 x111 or pdugan@asburyfirst.org to explore possibilities.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visit the Ministry Corner!

Each week, we feature a group or town in the Ministry Corner (near the piano in the Gathering Center). Today's Ministry

Corner features representatives from Outreach, sharing information regarding the Toxic Charity event on Apr. 29! If your group is interested in signing up, please contact Deb Bullock-Smith at dbullock-smith@asburyfirst.org or at (585) 271-1050, x117.

Get in the Loop, Stay in the Loop: Update Your Info and Add a Photo Today!

Updating your information is so important at Asbury First. We are a busy place, and we want to be sure YOU are in the loop with what is happening! This will help ensure we have the best and most accurate contact information for you. To update your information *and upload a photo*, please visit asburyfirst.org/updatemyinfo! Please provide a recent photograph of yourself that we can add to your database entry. If you have questions, please contact Melody Guadagnino at mguadagnino@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x103.

Congratulations to The Rev. Jacqueline Nelson!

We celebrate the ordination of The Rev. Jacqueline Nelson today at Mount Olive Baptist Church, which is her home church in Hackensack, NJ. Stephen and some of our members are there today to attend the service. We will have a reception following the 11 am service next Sunday, Apr. 22, at Asbury First to celebrate her continued ministry with us. Join us!

Bicentennial Committee Forming

In two years, we will be celebrating our 200th anniversary as a church, and it's time to start

planning. If you have an interest in helping us explore our archives, tell our story, and/or plan special events, please email Deb Bullock-Smith at dbullocksmith@asburyfirst.org.

DISCIPLESHIP

Wednesday Class: Balancing Justice and Mercy

The class takes place Wednesday evenings in the month of Apr. from 6-7 pm in Building 1040, Room 202 (second floor of the Education Wing). Together, we will tackle what it means to be faithful to our mission while addressing the realities of poverty in this community. Under the direction of The Rev. Jacqueline Nelson, this class will also look carefully at the long-term viability and effectiveness of our ministries. Childcare is provided for Wednesday class time. You are also invited to join us at our Community Dinner at 5:30 pm in the Gathering Center. For more information on these Wednesday evening classes, contact The Rev. Mike Mullin at mmullin@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x105.

New Sunday Class: Everything Happens for a Reason and Other Lies I've Loved

Join us Sundays through May 20, from 9:45-10:45 am on the second floor of Building 1010 as we read through *Everything Happens for a Reason: And Other Lies I've Loved* by Kate Bowler. This New York Times Best Seller invites us to consider honestly and faithfully the question of theodicy. For more information, contact The Rev. Mike Mullin at mmullin@asburyfirst.org.

Save the Date for Asbury First's Women's Retreat

You will want to be there for a refreshing, renewing, connecting time! Please bring a cup or mug as we explore the lessons learned from this everyday container that is in a constant process of emptying and filling, of giving and receiving, of accepting and letting go. The retreat will take place at the Notre Dame Retreat Center in Canandaigua, NY from Jun. 8–10, beginning Friday evening and going until Sunday at noon. Registration and roommate requests may be sent to Melody Guadagnino at (585) 271-1050 x103 or mguadagnino@asburyfirst.org. The cost per person is \$150 for a double room and \$190 for a single occupancy room. Scholarships are available! Prior to the retreat, you will receive a letter with details and a map. For more information about the event, please contact Diane Dudley at diduds@aol.com or (585) 223-1962, Karen Barner at Kjb1010@hotmail.com, or Bonnie Matthaïdness at bjmatt2@aol.com. We hope you will join us!

Welcome Author and Activist David Finnegan-Hosey on May 2 at 6 pm!

May is National Mental Health Awareness Month, and Ian Urriola—one of our ministry interns—will be leading our Wednesday evening Discipleship classes on May 2, 9, and 16 at 6 pm to discuss how mental health and our faith intersect. Our discussions will cover what word of hope persons living with mental health challenges can offer to the Church, where and how the Church has missed the mark when talking about mental health, and what word

of hope the Church can offer to those living with mental health challenges. Our study will begin with a visit and conversation with DC-based author and mental health activist David Finnegan-Hosey—whose new book, *Christ on the Psych Ward*, is available for purchase through Amazon.com and ChurchPublishing.org—about his own experiences and theological reflection with a mental health emergency and subsequent Bipolar, Type II, diagnosis on May 2. As always, there is a community dinner immediately before our class begins in our Gathering Space from 5:30–6 pm. Please contact Ian Urriola at iurriola@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x134 with any questions or to let us know if you're planning on coming.

WORSHIP & ARTS

Asbury First Orchestra News!

The Asbury Orchestra will be sharing in the Apr. 29 worship services and we'd love for you to join us. We have two rehearsals left, Apr. 15 and 22, in Wesley Hall from 8:45-9:30 am. Please join us if you play or have ever played an orchestral instrument. This is an inter-generational group of musicians with many levels of playing experience. You are always welcome! For more information, please call Laurie Kennedy at (585) 787-0422.

An Evening of "Cathedral Classics by Request" Presented by ROS on Apr. 20

The Rochester Oratorio Society (ROS) presents an evening of "Cathedral Classics by Request," Friday, Apr. 20, at 7:30 pm in our sanctuary. The 100-voice choir will perform timeless, sacred masterworks, including "Requiem,"

by Durufle, "Solemn Mass," by Vierne, "Regina Coeli," by Mozart and the transcendent anthem to the Virgin Mary, "Totus tuus," by Gorecki, written for Pope John Paul II. Duane Prill and Kevin Nitsch accompany. ROS's special guests (members of the East High School Choir, directed by Jodi Zajkwoski) will perform. An exhibit by the Artists' Breakfast Group will be on display in the Gathering Space, as well. Admission is free for Asbury First members and tickets for additional guests may be found at classics.brownpapertickets.com. If you plan to attend, please RSVP with the ROS office by calling (585) 473-2234, or emailing Dennis Rosenbaum at info@ROSSings.org.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Save the Date! OAC Luncheon on May 10

The Older Adult Council is pleased to announce that the Spring luncheon will be held on Thursday, May 10. If you are at least 80 years young, you are invited. More information will be forthcoming, but we wanted you to know so that you can save the date so that you can attend this special event, just for you. Our celebration includes a worship service with Communion, held in the Sanctuary, followed by a meal together in Fellowship Hall. For more information, please contact The Rev. Kathy Thiel at kthiel@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x106.

Changing Weighs News!

The Asbury First weight loss group, Changing Weighs, is headed in a new direction! Join us as we embark on The Daniel Plan,

a focus on Faith, Food, Fitness, Focus, and Friends. Join us Wednesdays at 6 pm in the Library. Have questions? Email us at AsburyChangingWeighs@gmail.com.

Have a Care Request? Let Us Know!

Bidden or unbidden, God is present. Here at Asbury First, we feel and know this to be true, and we rejoice in this good news! We work to share the presence of God with others, during the good times and during the bad times. Often, during the challenging times in our lives, we need a little help. Our caring ministries are here to support you as we are able to meet your needs. Do you—or someone you know—need some extra care and attention due to illness, bereavement, injury, or another pressing need? We want to be there for you and with you! Care Request forms are available at the Welcome Desk in the Welcoming Hall; please take one if there is a need that we can help address. For more information, please contact The Rev. Kathy Thiel at kthiel@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x106.

Caring for One Another

At Asbury First, we are a tightly-knit family and strive to care for one another each day...not just on Sundays. That's why we invite you to reach out to those in our community whom you may not have seen around the campus lately. Perhaps there has been an especially busy or difficult time for someone in our church family and they could use words of encouragement, a meal, or prayers. Please take a moment each week to reflect on the faces you have seen and those you may not have

seen recently—and reach out to them, or let the Asbury First staff know, and we can reach out for you! For details, please contact The Rev. Kathy Thiel at kthiel@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x106.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

TODAY: Proms and Moms Popus Sale!

Prom dresses and mothers-of-the-bride/groom dresses, shoes, and more will be sold today from 2-6 pm in Fellowship Hall! Items are available at rock-bottom prices—please join us or spread the word to friends and family who may be planning a wedding or headed to prom in May! All proceeds benefit the Storehouse for purchase of blankets and children's underwear. We hope to see you there!

Apr. 21: Outreach Appreciation Luncheon

The Rev. Jacqueline Nelson is pleased to announce the first annual Spring luncheon to recognize our outreach volunteers, which will be held on Saturday, Apr. 21. If you have ever served as a volunteer for any of our outreach ministries, you are invited! If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Maria Hackett at mhackett@asburyfirst.org by tomorrow, Apr. 16. For more information about the luncheon, contact The Rev. Jacqueline Nelson at jnelson@asburyfirst.org or (585) 271-1050 x104.

Apr. 18: No One Left Behind Spring Fundraising Dinner at Temple B'rith Kodesh

At 6 pm on Apr. 18 at Temple B'rith Kodesh (located at 2131 Elmwood Ave, Rochester), we

will offer traditional Afghan and Iraqi inspired dishes, music, and a silent auction. This will be fun for all! The event raises funds for newly-arrived families and supports the Rochester Chapter of No One Left Behind (NOLB). NOLB supports Afghan and Iraqi interpreters and personnel who once worked side-by-side with US troops. Many of these individuals are now targets of the Taliban and ISIL, and have worked with our troops for up to 16 years. NOLB has received great support from Asbury First, including the grocery ministry and the Storehouse, and at least 6 Asbury First members are NOLB volunteers! If you have questions, please visit nolbdinner2.eventbrite.com or contact Cindy Malone at louwho2@hotmail.com.

Apr. 29: Toxic Charity Author Robert Lupton Visits

Rubert Lupton, author of *Toxic Charity: How Church and Charities Hurt Those They Help and How to Reverse It*, will offer a presentation on Sunday, Apr. 29, at 7 pm in the sanctuary, which is open to the public. A suggested donation of \$10 will be collected at the door to benefit our Outreach Ministries. His 3 pm workshop on Sunday, Apr. 29, will be open to people who have either completed his "Seeking Shalom" training or read one of his books. Today, Outreach representatives will be at the Ministry Corner table to answer any questions you might have. To sign up for these events, or to inquire about ordering a book, please contact Melody Guadagnino at mguadagnino@asburyfirst.org.

Volunteer at The Library!

The Library committee at Asbury First Church is seeking individuals to guide and tend our library collection. We meet once a month (the second Tuesday) in the evening (approximately 7-9 pm) and hold an optional work day in the library every Monday. It is our responsibility to provide our collection in a useful, helpful manner for our congregation. We could use some assistance in selecting books for purchase, organizing our library, and assisting church members with borrowing books from the collection. If you are interested in reading, books, or volunteering, please contact Bonnie Kay at bkay@frontiernet.net, Beth Woolever at ewoolever03@gmail.com, or the church office at info@asburyfirst.org, or fill out a “Help Wanted” form, located on the desk in the library.

Sewing With the Storehouse

On Mar. 31, a large group of Asbury First women met at Ivy Thimble fabric store to sew with several volunteers from the store to make layette quilts. We got a lot done and had a good time getting to know each other! We will be meeting again soon to sew and welcome anyone who wants to join us. We also welcome any fabric or monetary donations to further our cause. The fabric doesn't have to be new, either—you may have a stash of fabric that is waiting to be turned into something that you would like to donate! If you are interested or curious please call Judy Cohen at (585) 755-3376 for information.

The Grocery Bag Ministry Needs Your Help

Hunger is closer than you think. The Grocery Bag Ministry has been in service for 9 years supplying and serving more than 1,000 bags of groceries each year to families in need of food. Supplies are running short, as we are now also providing groceries to 30 refugee families in our community. We need your help with donations of certain foods: jams, peanut butter, pasta sauce, canned fruits, vegetables, and soups. Items may be dropped off in the box near the coat racks in the Welcome Hall. Together we can make this ministry continue. Thank you! For more information, please contact Joe Cygan at (585) 671-5982.

Gently Used Backpacks Needed

We are in need of backpacks for our Dining and Caring Center guests. Bags can be any type—backpack, rucksack, etc. Donations may be left at the church office or the Dining Center during business hours.

Calling For All of Your Extra Bibles

We have continuing need for bibles of any type—English or Spanish—for our Dining and Caring Center, Storehouse, and several women's support groups. Please drop them off at the church office. Thank you!

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Classes are 9:45-10:45 am. All are welcome!

Doublers

A lecture series.

Apr. 15: Palliative Care

Speaker: Dr. Chin-Lin Ching, Highland Hospital

Where: Red Room, 1010

Apr. 22: Capital Project Update

Speaker: Project Team Member

Where: Red Room, 1010

Growing Spirits/Living Edge

A discussion series.

Where: 1010, Meditation Room

Apr. 15: No formal class

Apr. 22: Guest speaker David Bassinger

50+ Fellowship

A lecture series.

Where: 1010, Red Room

Apr. 15: Recent Advances in Memory and Aging

Presenter: Ted Retzaff

Apr. 22: 50+ Fellowship members will share reviews of books that have been of special meaning to them

Adult Bible Study

For anyone interested in taking a closer look at the Bible.

Where: 1010, Dining Room

Leader: The Rev. David Lubba

Parables of Parenting

Fellowship for parents of all ages.

Where: 1040, Room 203

Who: Parents of any age

Leader: Melissa Bohrer

Everything Happens for a Reason (And Other Lies I've Loved)

Youth and adult Study.

Where: 1010, Second Floor

Who: Adults of any age

Leader: The Rev. Mike Mullin

MEETINGS & REHEARSALS

April 15-21

SUNDAY

- 7:45 am Asbury Singers—1040
- 8:45 am Orchestra Rehearsal—1040
- 9 am Financial Peace University—1010
- 9:45 am 6-12th Grade Guitar Club—1040
- 9:45 am 6-8th Grade Sunday School—1040
- 9:45 am Adult Sunday Classes—Page 13
- 9:45 am Children's Sunday School—1040
- 4 pm Youth Bells—1040
- 5 pm Youth Choir—1040
- 6 pm 6-12th Grade Youth Meal—1040
- 6:30 pm 6-8th Grade Youth Group—1040
- 6:30 pm 9-12th Grade Youth Group—1040

MONDAY

- 9 am Monday Morning Crew—1040
- 12 pm Sanctuary Open for Prayer—1040
- 5:30 pm Dining and Caring Center Board Meeting—1010

TUESDAY

- 9:30 am Women's Fellowship—1040
- 4 pm Captial Campaign Committee Meeting—1010
- 5 pm Sanctuary Open for Prayer—1040

WEDNESDAY

- 6 am Men's Devotional Group—1010
- 10 am Adult Bible Study—1010
- 11:30 am Choir for People With Memory Loss—1040
- 12 pm Women on Wednesday—1010
- 1 pm Memorials Committee Meeting—1050
- 5 pm Hallelujah Kids—1040
- 5:30 pm Community Dinner—1040
- 5:30 pm Changing Weighs—1040
- 6 pm Balancing Justice and Mercy—1040
- 6 pm Wesley Singers and Ringers—1040
- 7 pm Asbury Ringers—1040
- 7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir—1040

THURSDAY

- 6 pm Wellness Clinic—1040
- 6 pm Safety Response Team Meeting—1050

FRIDAY

- 7:30 pm ROS Concert—1040

SATURDAY

- 11 am Outreach Appreciation Luncheon—1040
- 12 pm Doublers Social Event—1010

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APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

Saturday, April 21
11 am-1 pm
Fellowship Hall
Details Inside!

TODAY!

PROMS & MOMS POP-UP SALE

Brand New Prom &
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STARTING AT \$20

Today 2-6 pm
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All proceeds benefit the Asbury First Storehouse, serving the Rochester community for more than 50 years

Join us in celebrating and saying

Congratulations

to *The Rev. Jacqueline Nelson*
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April 22
Following the
11 am service in the Gathering Center

WELCOME

New Member Orientation
Begins On April 22!



Details Below

Would you like to become a member of Asbury First? Please join us for one of the next New Member Orientation: two Wednesday evenings from 6-7:30 (May 2 and 9; joining May 13) OR three Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45 (Apr. 22, 29, and May 6; joining May 13) in Building 1050. For more information, or if you have questions, please contact Melody Guadagnino at (585) 271-1050 x103 or mguadagnino@asburyfirst.org.