

Asbury United Methodist Church

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Worship Leader: Marian Styles-McClintock

* Please rise in body or in spirit

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 14, 2024

Prelude: Jamie Haley

Greeting: Marian Styles-McClintock

Asbury Mission Statement

We are Asbury! Abundantly thankful to God; Saved by Christ's resurrection; Blessed by God; United by Christ's love for each of us; Reaching out to our church family and our community; Yearning to tell the Good News to all by being Christ's voice, hands, and feet in the world.

Announcements

***Opening Hymn:** # 577 God of Grace and God of Glory Jamie Haley

***Responsive Reading** **Psalm 36:5-10**

Your love, LORD, reaches to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the skies.

**Your righteousness is like the highest mountains,
your justice like the great deep.**

You, LORD, preserve both people and animals.

How priceless is your unfailing love, O God!
People take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

**They feast on the abundance of your house;
you give them drink from your river of delights.**

For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light we see light.

**Continue your love to those who know you,
your righteousness to the upright in heart.**

***Passing the Peace of Christ Among Us**

Scripture Reading: Matthew 25:35-40

35 For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, 36 I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.'

37 "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? 38 When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? 39 When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?'

40 "The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'

Song of Illumination #454 Open My Eyes, That I May See V1

Open my eyes that I may see / glimpses of truth thou hast for me.
Place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free. Silently now I
wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see.
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

Sermon: "Of Course it Matters!" Tim Webb

***Hymn:** #385 Let Us Plead for Faith Alone Jamie Haley

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

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, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Offering Interlude: Jamie Haley

***Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Jesus Christ, our burdens know,
Praise Spirit through whom our hearts grow, Praise Three-in-One, from here below.**

***Offering prayer**

***Hymn** #430 O Master Let Me Walk with Thee Jamie Haley

***Benediction**

***Prayer for Peace through Hymn #431 “Let There Be Peace on Earth” V1**

Postlude Jamie Haley

Announcements:

1. Pastor Yohan will have time off from July 8th to 21st. Please contact the church office (401-467-5122) or members of the church council for assistance (Chairperson: Jan Jones).

2. Sunday, July 21st worship leader is Jan Jones.

Birthdays

16th Lori Curry & Steve Goins

17th Christine Campbell