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ASBURY UMC

Loving, Growing, Reaching

14th Sunday after Pentecost
August 25th, 2024
10:00 AM Worship Service

Intentional Faith Development
All Things in Common

Our MISSION: "To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the entire world."
To fulfill our mission, we will **love** God, **grow** together, and **reach** out.

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING

Prelude "Beautiful River"-Lowry Mrs. Carolyn Gregg
Bringing in the Light Art Masker
Welcome

PROCLAMATION

Lifting Our Voices in Praise "There's Within My Heart a Melody" UMH #380
Children's Message Susan Kilday

PRAYER

Call to Prayer "Kum Ba Yah" 5th Verse
Pastoral Prayer Rev. Sharon Bowers
Lords Prayer UMH #895

THE WORD

Scripture Acts 2:38-47 Art Masker
Sermon Intentional Faith Development; All Things in Common Rev. Bowers

RESPONSE

*The Peace
Giving of Our Tithes and Offering
Offertory "When Morning Gilds the Skies"—Barnby Mrs. Gregg
Doxology UMH #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.
*Closing Hymn "Take My Life and Let It Be" UMH #399

SENDING FORTH

Taking the Light into the World
Benediction Rev. Bowers
Postlude "Sing to the Lord of Harvest"—Eliot Mrs. Gregg

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