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ASBURY CHURCH • NOVEMBER 16TH, 2025

*Our passion is to follow in the footsteps of Jesus
to mature in the Christian faith.*

CAN I GET A WITNESS?

God is on the move and each week we want to testify to the work He is doing here at Asbury Church. As you know, it's all about the story. We want to share your story, so send a picture and story to Sarah (sarah.brooks@asburychurch.org) and it just might be featured here!

MISSION WALL REDO AND UPDATE

Stroll down B-Hall and check out the updated Mission Wall. The Mission Team (Mary Turner, Connie White and Lynne Smith) designed and implemented this update and we are so grateful for all their hard work. Great job, Ladies!



THANKSGIVING WORSHIP & LUNCH

Join your Asbury family in giving thanks to God and enjoy a time of fellowship followed by lunch provided by the Church!

A sign-up sheet is located in the Foyer to assist with cooking, preparing, set-up, serving and clean-up. Many hands make light work! Thanks for helping out!

ONE WORSHIP SERVICE:
10am



ADVENT STUDY BEGINS 11/30

You are invited to be part of the All-Church Advent study entitled BROUGHT TO THE LIGHT, by Anna Grace Legband of Seedbed. We will meet together during the Sunday school hour in O'Campo Fellowship Hall beginning **Sunday, November 30th, at 9:15am**. If you'd like the book, it can be ordered through Seedbed, Amazon, or wherever you purchase books.

brought to the light
ADVENT FOR ALL WHO NEED IT



Diaper Drive

JOIN US IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR LITTLE ONES IN FOSTER CARE!

We're collecting **all diaper sizes and pull-ups** to support foster families this Christmas season.

Your donations will bless children and families served by EmberHope Youthville & Foster ICT.

Ends December 7th



Please leave your diaper donation in the basket located in the Foyer.
Thank you in advance for your generosity!

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

- **Chicken Noodle Soup**
- **Vegetable Soup**
- **Canned Tuna**

BUSINESS OFFICE DONATION QUESTIONS

- The Business Office has received a few donations that have come directly to the Church from investment companies with no name attached to it. If you have made a contribution in the last month that has been sent to us, please contact the Business Office so we can attach your name to the contribution.
- If you have donated funds for the upcoming Christmas Event that has been cancelled, please contact the Business Office to advise how you would like to designate them. We will be designating them to Angel Tree gifts if we do not hear from you!

Contact Wendy in the Business Office: call 316-942-1491 or email wendy.homan@asburychurch.org.



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Oh my! The weather is changing and we need some help getting people ready!

Winter coats ♦ waterproof gloves ♦ wool socks ♦ boots ♦ long johns ♦ hand warmers ♦ warm blankets

Men and Women sizes/no children sizes

We also need food and/or funding for the Cupboard Food Co-op
For food donations think protein items and things that can be put together to make a meal. Here is a great idea for meal in a bag that utilizes food items found in most food pantries: <https://tinyurl.com/mvjbsfvc>

Drop off donations at the Life Support Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays Noon-3:00 pm or email pastor@newcovchurch.us to make arrangements



a quiet place of sanctuary for mothers to nurse

Moms, you are invited to The Mom Lounge -- a quiet place of sanctuary for mothers to nurse -- or just relax and catch your breath. The Mom Lounge is located down B Hall in Room B110.

NEED MORE INFO?

Check out the Asbury Web Site,
Download the Realm Connect App or
visit our Facebook Page.

How to Safely & Securely Give to Asbury

- SCAN THE QR CODE
- ON THE WEB: <https://asburychurch.org/giving>
- THROUGH THE REALM CONNECT APP: Download the App to give safely and easily to the Church from your phone!
- TEXT-2-GIVE: Text "AsburyICT" to 73256 to give from your phone (You will receive a text with a link. Follow the directions.)
- MAIL: 2801 W. 15TH ST., WICHITA, KS 67203
- IN-PERSON ON SUNDAYS: Giving Plates located inside Sanctuary doors



SCAN ME



FIRST TIME VISITOR?

We are so glad you came to Asbury Today! We would love to get to know you better.



Scan the QR Code to fill out a Connect Card!

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THE PRISON FELLOWSHIP ANGEL TREE COMING 11/23

Stop in the Bell Tower Area next Sunday to select your angel tags from the Angel Tree. Leave the ID tag from the back of the tag with your information on it, purchase the suggested gift on the tag between \$25-30 and return the WRAPPED gifts back by **Sunday, December 7th**. Thank you for your generosity to the children of inmates.



DESSERTS NEEDED

Can you bake? We are needing desserts for the upcoming Asbury CDC & Preschool Family Thanksgiving Dinner on Monday, November 24th. Desserts can be dropped off in the Church Office on Sunday, November 23rd or Monday, November 24th.

Thank you in advance for your willingness to share the blessings of the holidays with our preschool families!

WEDNESDAYS AT ASBURY

CHECK OUT OUR CLASS OFFERINGS FOR THE FALL

SCHEDULE:

- **5-6:30pm:** Bring your dinner -- eat in Base Camp.
- **6-7:30pm: A Nursery** for kids 0-4 years old will be available in Room A106)
- **6-7:30pm: Kingdom Kids** -- kids ages kindergarten through 5th Grade.
- **6-7:30pm: Asbury Youth** -- Students in the 6-12 Grades are welcome to join this group! Room D104
- **6 or 6:30pm: Adult Classes**

• **ESSENTIALS OF FAITH -- A Disciple Making Journey:** Join Shad Mehl for a time to explore the basics of what it means to be a Christian -- perfect for those searching, or new in their faith. *Class meets in Room B111 at 6:30pm.*

• **"JESUS REVEALED IN THE END TIMES" BOOK BY DR. ROBERT JEFFRES** This women's study will focus on Jesus as the Messiah, as the Prophet, as the Lamb, as the Conqueror, as the King, as the Judge, as the Lord, and as our Friend. Most books about the end times focus on the events rather than the One who is revealed in those events. We will study the end times through the lens of Jesus Christ. *Class meets weekly on Wednesday evenings from 6 to 7:30pm in the Library.*

• **PROFOUNDLY CHRISTIAN, DISTINCTLY METHODIST:** This class is designed to deepen your understanding of our Wesleyan doctrine and theological foundations. You are invited to join Pastor Rick and others. *Class meets in the Atrium (Room B105) at 6:30pm.*



The current Prayer Guide along with last week's Guide, may also be found on the Asbury web site: www.asburychurch.org/prayer.

PRAYER GUIDE

Sunday, November 16th: Lord God, You are worthy of all praise, glory, and adoration! You are a good God, and a loving King. You can only do good towards Your people. Even when we cannot understand what is happening, or why evil increases, You are always good. Help us to keep our eyes on You, and to stand firm in our trust of You, no matter the chaos that swirls around us. For Your glory, others' gain, and our good we pray these things, Amen.

Monday, November 17th: Prayerfully read or listen to Proverbs 3:5-6 with the following verses: Psalm 37:3-5, 62:8; Isaiah 26:3-4; Jeremiah 17:7-8; Matthew 6:25-34; John 14:1; Romans 8:28; Philippians 4:6-7; 1 Peter 5:7. How do these various passages support what the verses in Proverbs state? If you can, create a spreadsheet (either in a journal, your computer, or handwritten on a page of paper) and note what each passage says about trusting in God. Refer to it throughout the week.

Tuesday, November 18th: Prayerfully read or listen to Proverbs 3:5a. The Hebrew word for "trust" means **"to trust, be confident, or sure; it expresses the feeling of safety and security that is felt when one can rely on someone..."** Would you describe your feeling of "trusting God" in this way? Do you "feel safe and secure" with Him? Are you confident and sure of Him "with all your heart?" For example – do you trust Him with your salvation, and do you trust Him (are you sure of, confident with, fully safe and secure) with the lives of your children and/or loved ones? If there are any "sticking points" where you can sense that your trust in God is not where you want it to be, take time today and pray with Him about it.

Wednesday, November 19th: Prayerfully read or listen to Proverbs 3:5b. What do you think it means to "lean not on your own understanding?" Have you had a time in your life when the Lord very specifically told you to do something, but it was not necessarily the "right" or "normal" thing to do according to the culture or what your friends or family would tell you to do? What are some things we are called to do as Believers that the culture of our day tells us to do differently? Are you following Scripture or are you following the culture?

Thursday, November 20th: Prayerfully read or listen to Proverbs 3:6a. There is a 3-letter word in the first phrase. What is it? What does it mean? How encompassing to your life is it? In the Hebrew, this word means **"altogether, any, enough, every, whatsoever, the whole, as many as..."** Frankly, this word doesn't leave anything out. There are no loopholes here. Every single portion of your life is to acknowledge (ESV, NASB, NKJV) the Lord/be submitted to Him (NIV). Take time and pray about and journal through this. What aspects of your life are fully submitted to Him, and in what areas of do you still need to bring under His Lordship? Let the light of His Holy Spirit and His presence be with you during this time of prayer!

Friday, November 21st: Prayerfully read or listen to Proverbs 3:6b. What is the strong promise given in this part of the verse? When have you seen the Lord prove Himself to you like this? Are you in a season of waiting to see your paths made straight? What can you take away from this week's lessons, readings, and times of prayer?

Saturday, November 22nd: Review each of these Scriptures, topics, and questions that you have worked through this week. How does all of this resonate with you? Pray through these things as the Spirit leads you!



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Update your Address • Tell us your Interests
Pass along a Prayer Request

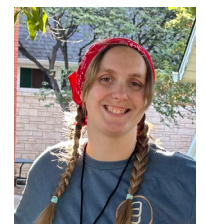
Scan the QR Code **OR** stop by the Welcome Center in the Foyer to fill out a Connect Card!



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We are glad you are here!