

# the brief

ASBURY CHURCH • SEPTEMBER 14TH, 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](mailto:sarah.brooks@asburychurch.org)) and it just might be featured here!

## COLLEGE CAMPUS MINISTRY EXPERIENCING HUGE GROWTH

Asbury Missionaries, Jim and Courtney Woods, are part of the Christian Challenge ministry at Kansas State University. The fall semester brought so many students to the ministry that the group had to move off campus to accommodate the huge numbers. What a joy it is to see God moving on our college campuses!



# Welcome to ROUND-UP SUNDAY

- Invite your Friends & Family!
- Great for ALL Ages!
- Concession items will be available for purchase!
- Scan to the QR Code to let us know you are coming!



**FREE Movie Night at Asbury Church**  
**Friday, September 26th at 6:30pm**  
**in the O'Campo Fellowship Hall**

EXCLUSIVELY ON  
**SIGHT & SOUND TV**

## WEEKLY EVENTS

- **Mon. - 1:30pm:** Knitting Group
- **Tues. - 10am:** Sr. Adult Bible Study
- **Tues. - 6pm:** Threshold Prayer Time
- **Wed. - 6am:** Men's Breakfast at Village Inn (7020 W Central Ave)
- **Wed. - 10am & 6pm:** Adult Classes
- **Wed. - 5-6:15pm:** Bring Your Own Dinner and Eat Together
- **Wed. - 6pm:** Kids & Youth Group
- **Wed. - 6:30pm:** Adult Classes
- **Thurs. - 9:30am:** Ladies Bible Study

## THRESHOLD

*a prayer + worship gathering*

*"Standing ready at the threshold of His commission." Habakkuk 2:1*

**Join us for a prayer time on  
Tuesdays at 6pm in the Fireside  
Room. Let's come together to  
stand ready, hear God's call, and  
boldly respond in faith.**

## PRAYER WALK: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

Grab your walking shoes and head to Asbury on Saturday, October 4th at 9am for a Neighborhood Prayer Walk. We are surrounded by thousands of people just in our immediate Indian Hills neighborhood and we are called to pray for them all! Can you help?

**The Plan:** Gather at Asbury, east parking lot at 9am for a group prayer and then split into groups to go throughout the neighborhood. Bring friends and good walking shoes. We plan to be done by noon.

# FAMILY DIRECTORY PRINT UPDATE



We are collecting information for an updated printed Realm Family Directory. If you are new to Asbury or were not included in the last update, but would like to be included, please contact the Church Office in order to give us your permission. ***You must give us permission to include your information in this directory.***

**FAMILY CHURCH  
DIRECTORY**

Asbury uses a program called **Realm** to help us communicate more effectively together. If you need to set up your Realm account or have questions about Realm, please contact Sarah in the Church Office at 316-942-1491 or by email: [sarah.brooks@asburychurch.org](mailto:sarah.brooks@asburychurch.org). You may also update your picture/information at this time.

## TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Are you young at heart? Love to study the Bible and pray for one another? Love good food and fellowship? Join us every Tuesday morning at 9:30am for food & fellowship followed by prayer and Bible study at 10am in Fireside Room.



**Every Wednesday @ 6am**  
**Village Inn • 7020 W. Central Ave.**  
**Questions? Call the Church Office**  
**(316)942-1491.**



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

## 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**



# WEDNESDAYS AT ASBURY

**CHECK OUT OUR CLASS OFFERINGS FOR THE FALL:  
PICK A CLASS, GET INVOLVED AND GROW CLOSER TO JESUS!**

## WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE:

• **5-6:30pm:** Bring your own dinner and eat with friends 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** -- Asbury's program for kids ages kindergarten through 5th Grade.

• **6-7:30pm: Asbury Youth** -- All Students in the 6-12 Grades are welcome to join this group! Room D104

• **6 or 6:30pm: Adult Classes** -- Check out the list of class offerings

• **ESSENTIALS OF FAITH -- A Disciple Making Journey:** Join Shad Mehl as he facilitates a time to explore the basics of what it means to be a Christian. The class is a video-based study by RightNow Media with Francis Chan as the first presenter. This is perfect for those who are searching, or new in their faith. **Class begins on September 17th in Room B111 at 6:30pm.**

• **PROFOUNDLY CHRISTIAN, DISTINCTLY METHODIST:** Our Methodist heritage has played a major role in impacting lives for Jesus. This class is designed to deepen your understanding of our Wesleyan doctrine and theological foundations. You are invited to join Pastor Rick and others. The study will leave you "lost in wonder, love, and praise." Workbook is found on all major book sites. **Class begins on September 17th in the Atrium (Room B105) 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. **The class starts September 17th and will meet weekly on Wednesday evenings from 6 to 7:30pm in the Library.** Sign up by contacting the Church Office (316-942-1491) or Roberta (316-253-8094) so books can be ordered. Study books are \$12 each.

• **BOOK OF DANIEL STUDY:** Framework of Prophecy: The book of Daniel serves as God's blueprint for prophecy by outlining kingdoms that followed Babylon and current world kingdoms preceding the end-times, includes the "famous" 70 weeks of Daniel prophecy and detailed descriptions of the 400 year inter-testament period. 400 years before Christ, Daniel prophesied the coming Messiah; Sir R. Anderson said, "To the day." A captive in a permissive and pagan Babylonian society, yet Daniel never compromised his values, even when threatened with death. **Class starts September 10th for 10 weeks and will meet Wednesday mornings 10-11:30am and Wednesday evenings at 6-7:30pm** in Room D106 led by Linda Stephen. The study book is "The Book of Daniel, the Smart Guide to the Bible" by Duck and Richards. Cost of the book is about \$8. Have questions or would you like to sign up for this class? Email [sarah.brooks@asburychurch.org](mailto:sarah.brooks@asburychurch.org) or [ljstephen@gmail.com](mailto:ljstephen@gmail.com).



## 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!

## NEED MORE INFO?

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



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

# PRAYER GUIDE

- **Sunday, September 14th:** Lord God, thank You for being the Good Shepherd. You are the One Who calls my name. I hear Your voice and know I can follow You, because You are trustworthy. Thank You for leading me to good places, even though sometimes to get there, You have to lead me through dark valleys. Help me to always keep my eyes on You, and my ears attentive to only Your voice. Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life, Amen.
- **Monday, September 15th:** Prayerfully read or listen to Psalm 23. Too often, the only time we refer to this psalm is at a funeral. Why do you suppose that is? Carefully review this psalm, and look at all the ways the Lord cares for you, noting especially the personal pronouns. How could you re-word this psalm so that it fits more directly with your life (for example, rather than "He leads me beside still waters. . ." what would be more specific to your situation? Where has He led you that is peaceful and calm?)?
- **Tuesday, September 16th:** Prayerfully read or listen to Ezekiel 34:1-10. Who is God angry with? What does He accuse them of? If this prophecy was coming to the church today (this is not aimed at governments), would it still be accurate? Who would it be aimed at today?
- **Wednesday, September 17th:** Prayerfully read or listen to Ezekiel 34:11-31. What does Ezekiel say God will do for His people? What specifically does He promise to do?
- **Thursday, September 18th:** Prayerfully read or listen to John 10:1-10. Now that you have read the key Old Testament "Shepherd" passages, when Jesus declared that HE is "the Good Shepherd," does this metaphor make more sense? What does Jesus promise? How does this connect with the Ezekiel passage? Do you think the people understood the reference?
- **Friday, September 19th:** Prayerfully read or listen to John 10:10. What does Jesus say about Himself vs. the enemy? How widely are the two of them contrasted? Do you believe for yourself that Jesus came to give you abundant life? How do you think Jesus would describe "abundant life?" How would you define and describe "abundant life?"
- **Saturday, September 20th:** 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!



*Asbury is a congregation of the Global Methodist Church whose mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ and spread scriptural holiness across the globe.*

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

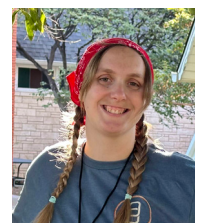
Scan the QR Code **OR** stop by the Welcome Center in the Foyer to fill out a Connect Card!



**Rick Just**  
Senior Pastor



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## SUPPORT STAFF

- Wendy Homan, Business Manager
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*We are glad you are here!*