

**Thank you:**

**Ushers:** Leonard and Colleen Rotschafer, Bob and Sondra Carden, Jean Kayser

**Bulletin Delivery:** Peggy White **Fellowship servers:** Hank Witt, Godfredsen family

**Skybox:** Kolbecks

**March 31:**

**Fellowship servers:** Tami Hejlik, Trudy Anderson **Skybox:** Tami Hejlik

**Altar flowers** are sponsored by Jon and Jean Kayser.

**Last week's attendance & giving:** Mar 22/23= 134 \$ 4725

**Next week's calendar:**

**4/1** — *RSVP for Ladies Lenten Lunch by 11:30am --- Worship mtg, 5:30pm*

**4/2** — *Ladies Lenten Lunch, 11:45am --- Tutoring, 4-7pm --- Lent Study, 6pm*

**4/3** — *Man to Man, 6:45am --- WOW, 9:30am coffee/9:45am class --- Communion at Care Centers, 9:30am --- Camp Wednesday --- Praise Team, 5:15pm --- high school youth group, 6pm --- Choir practice, 6pm*

**4/4** — *Care Team, 10am --- ACE food pantry, 11am & 4pm --- Missions mtg, 6:30pm*

**4/6** — *Laity Day at Collegiate UMC, Ames, 9am-3:30pm --- Old Hymn Night Worship, 6pm*

**4/7** — *Sunday School all ages, 9am---Worship, 10am---Fellowship for all, 11am – Confirmation, 11:05am--- Dining room in use, 3-7pm*

➤ **Ladies Lenten Lunches** are being held at 1st Congregational UCC (1000 Willson) on Tuesdays until April 9. A sign-up sheet for each date is in the narthex.

➤ **Skybox operators** are needed. Talk to Pastor Jeff.

➤ **Year end giving** statements are available to pick up in the narthex. Questions? Speak with Gary Knutson.

➤ Saturday Night Barbershop presented by the Fort Dodge Harmony Brigade: April 6, at the Fort Dodge Middle School. Show times are 2pm and 7pm. Tickets may be purchased at Hy-Vee or by calling 515-570-3414.

Asbury United Methodist Church

Rev. Jeff Flagg

Old Hymn Night Worship – Saturday, March 30, 2019 – 6:00pm

Sunday, March 31, 2019 – 10:00am



**Greeting** Lynn Corrow, pianist

**Hymn** "This Is the Day" #657

**Opening Prayer**

**Hymn** "The Church's One Foundation" (1, 2, 5) #545

**Call to Worship**

With joy this day we anticipate the one who is coming, the arrival of the Messiah.

**The one we call the Word! The one we call the Light.**

Like John the Baptist, we are not the light. In our worship, we testify to the light.

**Our testimony is prayer and praise, song and scripture.**

Our testimony is preaching and teaching, learning, and serving.

**May our testimony be a sweet sound in your ear, O God. Amen!**

**Hymn** "I Am Thine, O Lord" (1, 2, 4) #419

**Scripture** Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

**Offering**

**Doxology #95** Praise God from whom all blessing flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Time of sharing**

**Children's Time** Jennifer Peterson, Christian Formation Director (Sun)

**Announcements**

**Celebrations this week**

**Concerns/ pastoral prayer/ Lord's Prayer**

**Sermon** "Enlighten our nature"

**Scripture** 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

**Hymn** "There's a Spirit in the Air" (1, 2, 6) #192

**Benediction**

*May the road rise up to meet you.*

*May the wind always be at your back.*

*May the sun shine warm upon your face,  
and rains fall soft upon your fields.*

*And until we meet again,*

*May God hold you in the palm of His hand.*

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**Pray for...** Keo Khaalek; Craig; Maverick (1yr old battling cancer); Kevin Whitehill family; Mark C; Miranda Goodpastor, Bret Hilpipre & unborn son; David (open heart); Lewis Hassebrock; Zach (heart); Shirley Cross; Marylyn Trees; Nichole; Chase Moss (Kehoe's grandson); Tim and Caroline Bailey and family in Romania; Elaine Widmann; Alice Widick; Vicki Severe; Dorothy Midland; Dylan; Hal Pruisman; Mike Christensen; Eleanor Schumacher; Marilyn Timm; Sherry Lambi; Ray & Christine Hutchison; Jane Frazier; Jean Glascock; Agnes (cancer); Judy Hembry; Paul Whitmore; Warren Snell; David Cross; Dwain & Mary Noffke; Garry Staley; Steve Kehoe; Bev Frazer; Teresa Tempel; Alan Shehorn; Bertha Takle; Darleen King; Jennifer Van Diest

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➤ **Seder Meal** – Thursday, April 18, at 7:00pm. Sign up in the narthex to attend.

➤ Order forms for Easter flowers can be found in the narthex. Plants are \$13. Payment due with order. Orders needed by April 8.

➤ **Camp Wednesday:** a staff member from Wesley Woods will be at Asbury on April 3, during youth and children's activities. Kids will learn about camp and play some fun camp games! Need financial assistance sending your child to camp? Talk to Pastor Jeff or Jennifer.