

WELCOME

We extend a cordial welcome to each person worshipping with us today. If you need any assistance, please call on our ushers. They would be glad to help you. We hope you will join us in the Social Hall after the service for our Coffee Hour. If you would like to know more about Asbury, please drop by our "Connection Corner" during Coffee Hour. We hope you have a meaningful worship experience and will leave Asbury renewed, fulfilled, and challenged!



Mission Statement

Asbury Memorial UMC is a place where all people, individually and collectively, develop their spirituality, use their talents, and grow in faith as we become a living example of people who love, serve, and celebrate God, each other, and our community.

Our Tithes and Offerings

Weekly Budget Need - \$11,217.14

Given Last Sunday – \$17,783.50

Year-to-Date Budget Need - \$459,902.74

Year-to-date Received - \$461,110.65

Rev. Billy Hester, Senior Minister

Randy Canady, Church Administrator

Claudette DeLong, Office Manager

Candace Jenkins, Connectional Ministries

Christina Kincade, Asst. Youth Director

Ray Ellis, Minister of Music

Laura Angell, Youth Director

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Asbury Memorial
United Methodist Church

October 22, 2017

11:15 A.M.

Aladdin



God On Broadway

20th Sunday after Pentecost

WORSHIP SERVICE

OVERTURE by Alan Menken

PROLOGUE *Arabian Nights* Ray Ellis &
Asbury Choir

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Greet this morning with joy!

All: A new week with all its opportunities lies ahead of us.

One: Greet this morning with thanksgiving!

**All: This is the time of prayer and praise, a time to remember
God's creative generosity.**

One: Greet this morning with care!

All: We are aware of our responsibility as people of God.

One: Greet this morning with Christ!

**All: On the first day of the week we celebrate the One who came
to give us life...and to have it in abundance!**

*HYMN *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* No. 140

ANNOUNCEMENTS Aladdin & Genie

SONG *Friend Like Me* Genie

SONG *Proud of Your Boy* Jordan Bala

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Rev. Susan Karlson

Silence & Reflection

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, and the power, and the glory for ever.

Choral Amen

STEWARDSHIP Aladdin & Genie

SCRIPTURE Mark 10:35-38, 46-52 Rev. Karlson

*HYMN *What a Friend We Have in Jesus* No. 526
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SERMON **What Do You Want Me
to Do for You?** Rev. Hester

TITHES & OFFERINGS

We recognize and bless the gifts brought to the table and those given
to support the mission of the church through automatic payment.

OFFERTORY *A Whole New World*
from the musical, *Aladdin*
The lyrics of the song are on the insert.

*DOXOLOGY No. 95
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION Rev. Karlson

SONG *Somebody's Got Your Back* Asbury Choir

PRAYER Thankful Beyond Understanding Rev. Hester
by Rev. Ted Loder

*HYMN *Count Your Blessings* see insert

*BENEDICTION Rev. Hester

*CHORAL RESPONSE *Here I Am, Lord* Congregation
The congregation is invited to "sign" and to "sing" the following:
*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.*

*POSTLUDE Asbury Musicians

* Please stand as you are able.

**Children are invited to attend Children's Church (1st-6th grades)

A Whole New World

I can show you the world –
shining, shimmering, splendid.

Can you tell me now
when did you last let your heart decide?

I can open your eyes,
take you wonder by wonder
over, sideways and under on a magic carpet ride.

A whole new world...
a new fantastic point of view.
No one to tell us “no” or where to go
or say we're only dreaming.

A whole new world...
a dazzling place I never knew.
But when I'm way up here, it's crystal clear
that now I'm in a whole new world with you.

Unbelievable sights, indescribable feeling,
soaring, tumbling, freewheeling
through an endless diamond sky

A whole new world...
a hundred thousand things to see.
I'm like a shooting star, I've come so far
I can't go back to where I used to be.

A whole new world...
with new horizons to pursue.
I'll chase them anywhere - there's time to spare.
Let me share this whole new world with you

A whole new world
that's where we'll be -
a wondrous place for you and me

Count Your Blessings

Many, O Lord my God, are Thy wonderful works . . . Psa. 40:5

JOHNSON OATMAN, JR.

EDWIN O. EXCELL

1. When up - on life's bil - lows you are tem - pest-tossed, When you are dis -
2. Are you ev - er bur - dened with a load of care? Does the cross seem
3. When you look at oth - ers with their lands and gold, Think that Christ has
4. So a - mid the con - flict, wheth - er great or small, Do not be dis -

cour - aged, think - ing all is lost, Count your man - y bless - ings—name them
heav - y you are called to bear? Count your man - y bless - ings—ev - ery
prom - ised you His wealth un - told; Count your man - y bless - ings—mon - ey
cour - aged—God is o - ver all; Count your man - y bless - ings—an - gels

one by one, And it will sur - prise you what the Lord has done.
doubt will fly, And you will be sing - ing as the days go by.
can - not buy Your re - ward in heav - en nor your home on high.
will at - tend, Help and com - fort give you to your jour - ney's end.

Chorus

Count your bless - ings—name them one by one; Count your
Count your man - y bless - ings— name them one by one; Count your man - y
bless - ings—see what God has done; Count your bless - ings—
bless - ings— see what God has done; Count your man - y bless - ings—

name them one by one; Count your man - y bless - ings—see what God has done.