

# ASBURY UPDATE

JUNE 2026

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# June Birthdays

|  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| 1 Leigh Ann Staden                                 | 9 Charles Ennis<br>Chuck Long<br>Tom Nease                         | 16 Ruth Foster<br>Susan Harrison             | 24 Dmetri Smith<br>Jane Stout                                    |
| 2 Jan Durham<br>Jo Fausnacht<br>Amy Povie          | 10 Allie Barnes<br>Caleb Deffley                                   | 17 Finley Alford-Macleod                     | 25 Barbara Beam  |
| 3 Jim Booth<br>Catherine Gilbert<br>Colin Harrison | 11 Lora Gunsallus<br>Adel Karam<br>Carol Walls                     | 18 Wendy Ciccodicola<br>Phil Pinault         | 27 Carson Burkett<br>Callie Downing                              |
| 4 Polly Cooper<br>Gail Lange                       | 12 Dwight Campbell   | 19 Scott McCoy<br>Robert Smith               | 28 Barbara Gooby<br>Royce Patrick<br>Collis West<br>Cory West    |
| 5 Mike Healy<br>Kathy Hodges                       | 13 Carol Anderson<br>Virginia Brown<br>Mike Reddish<br>Susan Smith | 20 Joe Richards                              | 29 Marie Foley<br>Sandy Hoecherl<br>Joan Lee<br>Nicholas Lindsay |
| 6 Jeanine Byers                                    |  | 23 Dale Ellis<br>Bubba Hughes<br>Coleman Via |  |
| 8 Anne Hagan<br>Lila West                          |  |  | 30 Don Haverkamp   |

# June Anniversaries

|   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| <b>2</b> Suzanne & Phil Devlin<br>42 Years            | <b>11</b> Mary Ann & Tim Barnes<br>55 Years         | <b>23</b> Penny & Michael Langley<br>11 Years            |
| <b>3</b> Carolyn & Jack Lewis<br>56 Years             | <b>11</b> Carole & W. Ross<br>Warfield<br>55 Years  | <b>23</b> Tiia & Kevin Strong<br>36 Years                |
| <b>9</b> Callie Downing &<br>Ken Hardigan<br>14 Years | <b>12</b> Lauren Dutko &<br>Richard Kay<br>22 Years | <b>27</b> Cheri & Billy Hester<br>39 Years               |
| <b>9</b> Jackie & Colin Stewart<br>64 Years           | <b>14</b> Kathryn & David Murph<br>29 Years         | <b>28</b> Steve & Rhonda Reed<br>9 Years                 |
| <b>10</b> Doug & Amy Povie<br>26 Years                | <b>22</b> Barbara & Sam Ruggere<br>52 Years         | <b>30</b> Lora Gunsallus &<br>Kelly McDaniel<br>11 Years |

# JUNE 2026

| SUN   | MON  | TUE  | WED                         | THU   | FRI   | SAT |
|---|--|--|-----------------------------|---|---|-----|
| 31<br>9:00a - WO<br>11:15a - AMC<br>1:00p - W.O.K.E. @WO  | 1<br>5:30p VBS Night 1<br>7:00p SMART Recovery @Episcopacy Center      | 2<br>5:30p VBS Night 2   | 3<br>5:30p VBS Night 3      | 4<br>5:15p VBS Night 4<br>4:00p SING & Jacksonville Children's Choir Concert<br>7:00p Men's Group | 5<br>5:30p VBS Night 5<br>7:00p VBS Performance | 6   |
| 7<br>9:00a - WO<br>11:15a - AMC<br>1:00p - W.O.K.E. @WO   | 8<br>12:30p Wisdom Seekers<br>7:00p SMART Recovery @Episcopacy Center  | 9<br>5:30p Youth Group<br>6:30p Round Table Ministries via zoom    | 10<br>6:30p Choir Rehearsal | 11<br>6:30p Church Council Meeting (zoom)<br>7:00p Men's Group                                    | 12<br>6:30p Battle of the Bands Concert         | 13  |
| 14<br>9:00a - WO<br>11:15a - AMC<br>12:30p - Men's Bake off<br>1:00p - W.O.K.E. @WO<br>6:00p - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday Seekers | 15<br>7:00p SMART Recovery @Episcopacy Center                          | 16<br>5:30p Youth Group<br>6:30p Finance Committee Meeting @ AMC   | 17<br>6:30p Choir Rehearsal | 18<br>12:00p Sisters in Faith Luncheon<br>7:00p Men's Group                                       | 19  | 20  |
| 21<br>9:00a - WO<br>11:15a - AMC<br>1:00p - W.O.K.E. @WO  | 22<br>12:30p Wisdom Seekers<br>7:00p SMART Recovery @Episcopacy Center | 23<br>5:30p Youth Group<br>6:30p Church Council Meeting via Zoom   | 24<br>6:30p Choir Rehearsal | 25<br>7:00p Men's Group   | 26<br>Movie Night 'Remarkably Bright Creatures' | 27  |
| 28<br>9:00a - WO<br>11:15a - AMC<br>1:00p - W.O.K.E. @WO  | 29<br>7:00p SMART Recovery @Episcopacy Center                          | 30<br>5:30p Youth Group<br>6:30p Staff Relations Committee Meeting | 1<br>6:30p Choir Rehearsal  | 2<br>7:00p Men's Group  | 3   | 4   |

# Congratulations

## 2026 GRADUATES



### Smith Baiad

Son of Anne Allen Westbrook & Tom Baiad  
Graduated Cum Laude from Kennesaw State  
University with a Bachelor of Science in  
Sports Management



### Sydney Booth

Granddaughter of Jim & Kay Booth  
Graduated from the University of Maine at  
Farmington with a Bachelor of Arts in  
Psychology.



### Joseph L. Bradley

Grandson of Jay and Helen Bradley  
Graduated from the engineering program at  
Jenkins High School. He will be attending  
Georgia Southern University in the fall.



### Tyler Conrow

Son of Karen & Tim Conrow  
Graduated Summa cum laude from SCAD  
with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Sequential Art  
and a minor in Creative Writing.



### Julianne Cook

Granddaughter of Margaret Cook Levy  
Graduated Summa Cum Laude with a  
Bachelor of Science in Physiology



### Joseph Dayoub

Son of Michael Dayoub  
Graduated from Georgia Southern with a  
Bachelor of Science in Construction  
Management



**Kat Duane**

Graduated from Savannah Technical College with Technical Certificate of Credit Aircraft Assembly



**Morgan Page Faunce**

Graduated magna cum laude from Georgia Southern University with a Bachelor of Science in Special Education and will be starting at Mattie Lively Elementary in Statesboro, GA as a 3-5th grade autism teacher for the upcoming school year.



**Harrison Westbrook Gan**

Harrison is the son of Landon Westbrook and Anand Gan, the grandson of Anne and Jim Green and the nephew of Anne Allen Westbrook and Todd Baiad. Graduated from Frank Sinatra School of the Arts in Queens, New York City. He will be attending Connecticut College in New London, Connecticut in the fall.



**Gabriel Ryan Hagan**

Grandson of Anne Hagan  
Graduated from Benedictine Military School



**Mavis Jones**

Granddaughter of Sherry Giddens  
Graduated from High school



**Sarah Virginia Povie**

Daughter of Doug and Amy Povie  
Graduated from Augusta University College of Nursing with a Master of Science in Nursing degree with a concentration in Clinical Nurse Leader.



**Janece Armstrong**

Granddaughter of Valori Armstrong  
Graduated cum laude from Howard University with a Bachelor's Degree in Sports Medicine



**Jacob Smith**

Graduated from Georgia Southern University  
Bachelor's Degree in Psychology



**David Hoffman**

Son of Laura Hoffman  
Graduated from Georgia State University, Summa Cum Laude, Honors Laureate with a Bachelor's Degree in Journalism and Multimedia Reporting.



# BATTLE OF THE BANDS

6:30PM

FRIDAY JUNE 12TH

TO BENEFIT THE ASBURY MEMORIAL MUSIC PROGRAM



**GREY DOG  
COLLECTIVE**

Mostly happy songs  
about breakups

**SWAY  
tuned**

Folk, Rock & Blues to Thrill & Amuse

**FREE CONCERT - DONATIONS ACCEPTED**

**ASBURY MEMORIAL CHURCH, HENRY & WATERS**

**SAVANNAH**



# MOVIE NIGHT!

YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR OUR SUMMER MOVIE NIGHTS!

HERE ARE OUR 2026 FREE SUMMER MOVIE SHOWINGS:

JUNE 26TH  
REMARKABLY  
BRIGHT  
CREATURES

JULY 17TH  
THE LAND OF  
SOMETIMES  
\*KIDS MOVIE

JULY 31ST  
MR.  
HOLLANDS  
OPUS



BRING A CHAIR AND A  
SNACK TO SHARE!



# 2026 Bake Off

## “Male Identifying”

SUNDAY  
June 14, 2026



## “Female Identifying”

SUNDAY  
June 28, 2026



## Youth/ Kids

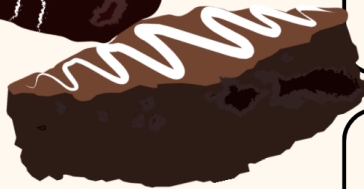
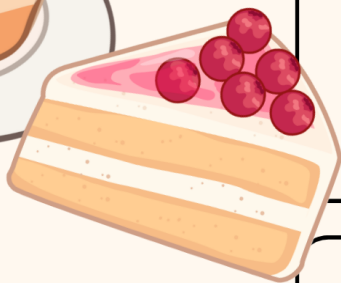
SUNDAY  
July 12, 2026



## Grand Champion Bake Off

SUNDAY  
July 26, 2026

\*\*Top Three Winners from each category  
compete



# God at the Movies!



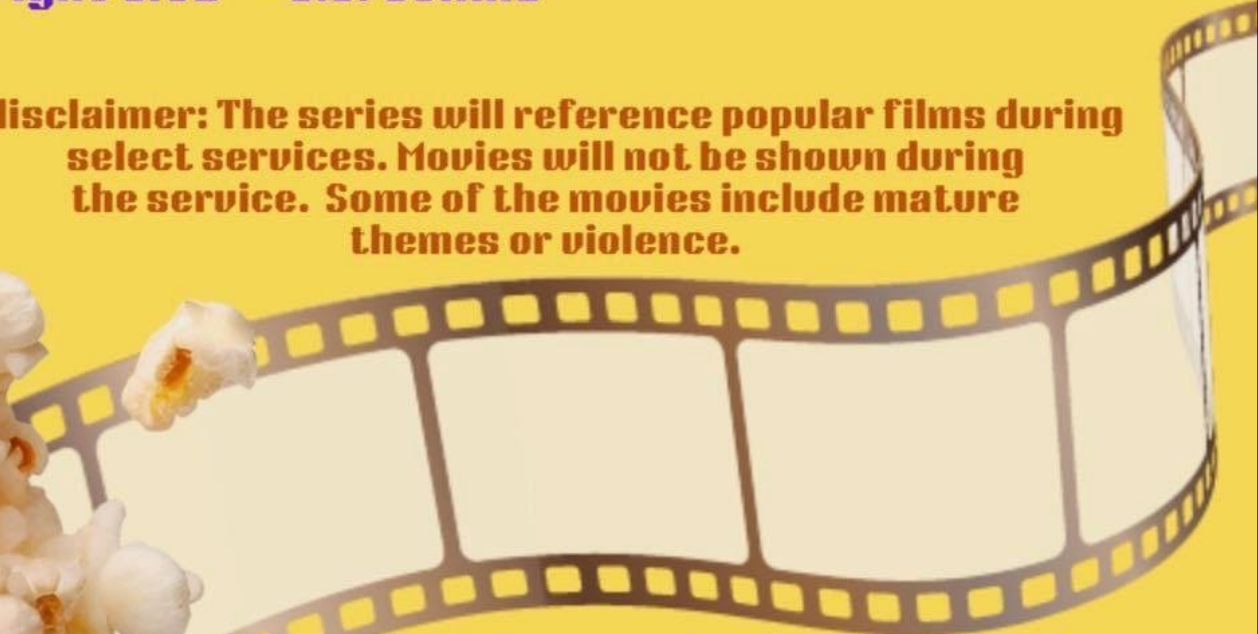
**Sundays, June 7- July 5**

Join us for a summer series exploring stories of faith, hope, justice and community through the lens of movies.

## Movies Inspiring the Message:

- June 7 - "The Muppet Movie" - Rev. August Alderman
- June 14 - "Rogue One: A Star Wars Story" - Tricia Kilgore
- June 21 - "Steven Universe: The Movie" - Rev. August Alderman
- June 28 "The Matrix" - Betsy Kammerud
- July 5 - "Fight Club" - J.J. Collins

**\*disclaimer: The series will reference popular films during select services. Movies will not be shown during the service. Some of the movies include mature themes or violence.**



**WESLEY OAK CHURCH  
SERVICE 9:00 SUNDAYS**

**AT THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE / 3101 WATERS AVE.**

# HONORING THE LOVE

*That Fathers and Father-Figures Share*

AT ASBURY MEMORIAL CHURCH,  
WE GIVE THANKS FOR THE MANY  
WAYS FATHERS AND FATHER-FIGURES  
SHAPE OUR LIVES AND OUR FAITH.



Each June, Father's Day gives us a chance to pause and give thanks for the fathers, grandfathers, stepfathers, foster fathers, adoptive fathers, uncles, mentors, neighbors, teachers, coaches, and father-figures who have helped shape our lives.

For some, this day is filled with joy, laughter, and celebration. For others, it may bring grief, complicated memories, longing, or tenderness. In the church, we make room for all of that. We give thanks for the good and faithful love we have received, and we also hold gently those for whom this day is difficult.

FATHERHOOD, AT ITS BEST, reflects the kind of love Jesus taught us to practice: love that shows up, listens well, protects the vulnerable, encourages growth, offers forgiveness, and makes room at the table. We see this love in bedtime prayers and school drop-offs, in patient conversations and quiet sacrifices, in steady presence and open arms.

WE ALSO RECOGNIZE that fatherly love is not limited to biology. Many of us have been blessed by people who stepped into our lives with compassion and care. They may not have carried the title "Dad," but they offered wisdom, guidance, strength, humor, and grace when we needed it most.

THIS FATHER'S DAY, we celebrate the men and father-figures in our community who nurture faith, practice kindness, and help create a more loving world. We give thanks for those who teach children they are beloved, who model humility and courage, who serve without needing applause, and who remind us that strength and gentleness can belong together.

MAY THIS DAY be a blessing to all who celebrate. May it bring comfort to those who grieve. May it inspire each of us to share love generously, welcome others fully, and reflect God's compassion in our homes, our church, and our community.

*Happy Father's Day*  
TO ALL FATHERS AND FATHER-FIGURES.  
YOUR LOVE MATTERS, AND WE ARE GRATEFUL.

*Our Dad*

When I was but a little girl  
I danced on daddy's feet;  
And as I heard the records play  
I'd look forward to this treat.

Through my years of growing up,  
I'd hope to have a chance  
To hear the music once again,  
To have just one more dance

I felt so special with my dad,  
My beau-I would say;  
Until another came along  
And stole my heart away.

A lesson I did learn from dad,  
About my High School ring;  
Don't leave it on the sink,  
Surely, panic it would bring.

I left it on the sink  
When my hands I would wash;  
Pretty sneaky-dad would hide it,  
I thought my ring was lost.

I'd take a trip to the beach  
And come back lobster red;  
Dad scolded me a little,  
Then, kissed me off to bed.

I became an older sister  
When at the age of five,  
My mom and dad brought Laurie  
home,  
My sibling had arrived.

We had our fun with daddy,  
as he danced like Fred Astaire,  
His legs-they went a flying;  
His feet light as air.

We took our trips to Florida  
Summertime was cool  
"Are we there yet" said my sis  
As we thought of the pool

As did I, my sis grew up  
And a mister she did choose  
Alad, my dad was saddened  
For his youngest he did lose

So mom and dad had quiet time  
In the evening playing cards,  
They enjoyed their TV shows  
Or sit out in the yard.

Both his daughters made him glad  
As "PAPA Herman" he became;  
My dad was rich with endless love,  
More than wealth and fame.

And now he watches over us  
With shining wings-Behold!  
We cannot grieve-we must rejoice,  
As he walks the streets of gold.

*Kathy Jikes*

December 26, 2011

HAPPY  
*Father's Day!*

THANK YOU  
FOR YOUR LOVE,  
YOUR GUIDANCE,  
AND YOUR  
UNWAVERING FAITH.

YOUR IMPACT IS  
*lasting.*  
YOUR LOVE IS  
*a gift.*



*The righteous who walks in his integrity—  
blessed are his children after him.*

PROVERBS 20:7

Today we celebrate and honor all the fathers, grandfathers, and father figures who lead with love and make a difference.

WE SEE YOU. WE APPRECIATE YOU.  
WE CELEBRATE YOU.



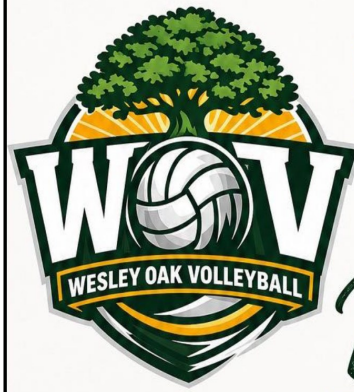
### SUPPORT FOR A BALANCED LIFE

Wesley Oak Church is proud to host SMART Recovery meetings every Monday evening from 7:00-8:30 p.m. SMART Recovery is a program designed to help individuals overcome harmful habits and addictions through practical tools based on cognitive and motivational psychology and addiction research.

- **MONDAYS**
- **7:00P -8:30P**
- **EPISCOPACY CENTER AT 3101 WATERS AVE, SAVANNAH, GA**
- **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Unlike traditional 12-step programs, SMART takes a science-based approach that emphasizes self-reliance, self-resilience, and self-empowerment. Participants are encouraged to become the experts on their own recovery journeys, choosing strategies and supports that fit their needs. Topics may include relationships, substance use, gambling, eating, spending, and other behaviors that can impact well-being.

There is no requirement to commit to a lifetime of meetings. Instead, participants decide when and how long they wish to be involved, making SMART a flexible and welcoming community. The program also recognizes that individuals may benefit from participating in more than one support group, and it values collaboration rather than exclusivity.



# WOV

— WESLEY OAK VOLLEYBALL —

## Volleyball

— AT JEA —

### VOLLEYBALL FOR MEDIUM-LEVEL & NEWER PLAYERS



A fun, encouraging place to learn, play, and build community!

  
STARTING  
**JUNE 25**

  
TIME  
**6:00 PM - 8:00 PM**

  
MONTHLY FEE  
**\$30**  
Helps cover gym rental costs

  
**LOCATION: JEA GYM**  
5111 Abercorn St, Savannah, GA 31405

 *Whether you're getting back into volleyball or still learning the game, you are welcome!* 

 **QUESTIONS? CONTACT JESS HEALY**  770-283-0227  [jesstellhealy@gmail.com](mailto:jesstellhealy@gmail.com)



# SING CHOIR CAMP

**JULY 6 - 10**

[SINGChildrensChoir.org](http://SINGChildrensChoir.org)



Donate What You Can

TEAM-BUILDING, YOGA, VOCAL TECHNIQUE, DANCE, CHORAL SINGING

Rising K - 12th graders

Investment By  
**SAVANNAH**  
savannahga.gov 

# Caring for Creation *This Summer*

As June begins and summer settles into Savannah, the Green Team invites our church family to pause and notice the beauty of creation all around us—the shade of the live oaks, the songs of birds in the morning, the warmth of the sun, the rhythm of rain, and the gift of the earth beneath our feet.

Caring for creation is one of the ways we live out our faith. When we reduce waste, conserve energy, protect our waterways, and make thoughtful choices in our daily lives, we are practicing love for our neighbors, for future generations, and for the world God has entrusted to us.



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## ONE SIMPLE STEP TOWARD A GREENER SUMMER

This month, the Green Team encourages everyone to take one simple step toward a more sustainable summer.

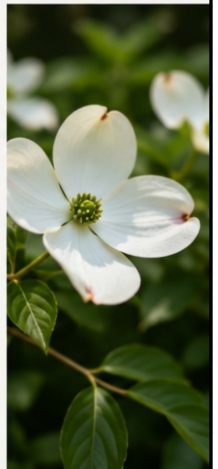
- Bring a reusable water bottle when you are on the go.
- Choose reusable bags when shopping.
- Turn off lights and unplug chargers when they are not in use.
- Consider walking, biking, carpooling, or combining errands when possible.

Small actions, practiced together, can make a meaningful difference.

## RECONNECT WITH THE GIFT OF CREATION

June is also a wonderful time to reconnect with nature. Spend a few minutes outside each day. Notice what is blooming. Listen for birds. Offer a prayer of gratitude for the earth and all living things. Let creation remind you that we are part of a larger community of life, called to care for one another with compassion and intention.

Thank you to everyone at Asbury Memorial and Wesley Oak who continues to support the work of the Green Team.



50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY

We Are Here

**A Stephen Minister is just a call away.**

Stephen Ministry is a confidential ministry. The identity of those receiving care and everything they discuss with a Stephen Minister remains private.

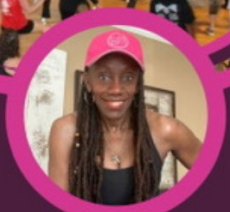
**Contact Candace Jenkins for more information:**

912.233.4351  
cjenkins@asburymemorial.org



## GET FIT WITH MS. LINDA

You determine the workout you want to get. You get out what you put in!



### SeniorFit45

A 45-minute full-body workout focused on strength, mobility, and low-impact cardio.

Monday - 11:45 am

### SeniorFit30

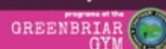
A quick, effective 30-minute class to build strength, balance, and endurance.

Wednesday - 12 pm

### Core Foundations

Strengthen your core to improve balance, posture, and stability.

Wednesday - 12:45 pm



(912) 665-6718

3709 Hopkins Street Savannah, GA 31405



# Linda's Fit Tips *for* June:

## Your Body, Your Power

— MOVEMENT • STRENGTH • VITALITY —

Age isn't a disease. Getting older is inevitable, but getting weaker doesn't have to be. Muscle loss begins around age 30, yet the body adapts to movement at any age. Muscles respond to resistance, joints to movement, and the heart to regular exercise. Inactivity, however, leads to disease. More muscle also helps boost metabolism. To slow muscle loss, start with 15–30 minutes of daily movement with light weights with basic exercises. Later, increase the weight as it gets easier.


Good starter exercises for large muscle groups include squats, rows, push-ups, and deadlifts. Using weights won't necessarily make you bulky; it builds strength and muscle. Losing body fat helps reveal a leaner look. Fat loss comes from managing the quality, quantity, and variety of your food, along with resistance training. So, pick up a weight or two and get moving.


*Note: Extreme calorie cutting will only slow your metabolism.*



## Linda Redfern Socks

- Ms. Georgia Senior World 70s 2025-2026
- ACE Certified Personal Trainer
- Certified Fitour Group Fitness Instructor
- Certified Nutrition Sports Consultant
- AHA CPR & First Aid Certified
- Former Figure competitor - 1st & 5th in Masters 2011.

 410-320-9997 (cell)

 Please visit my Facebook

# Welcome

to the Asbury Memorial Family

We are delighted to welcome our newest members into the Asbury Memorial Church family! Each new member brings unique gifts, stories, questions, hopes, and experiences that enrich our shared life together.

As a progressive congregation that welcomes all, we give thanks for the growing community God is building among us. We look forward to worshiping, serving, learning, laughing, and walking alongside our newest members in the days ahead.

Please join us in offering them a warm Asbury welcome!



**Amy, Larry, & Ella  
Burris**



**Betsy Gregory &  
Chick Williams**



**Rev. Jimmie &  
Dr. Emily Crawford**



**Maggie Hart**



**Carmel & Phil  
Hearn**



**Ernest Lehman**



**Rex Lutskiy**



**Madelyn "Mad Dog"  
Morgan**



**Thu Vo**



**Kevin Wallace**



**Sharen Wixom**

Asbury Memorial Church

# Sisters in Faith June Gathering

*A celebration of summer!*

**Thursday, June 18, 2026**  
12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Holliday Hall**  
1008 E. Henry St., Savannah, GA 31401

**Weenie Roast & Banana Split Dessert Bar**

- Hot dogs provided
- Please help by bringing drinks, sides, ice cream, or toppings
- Set up / cleanup help appreciated

**Featuring The Beached Boys**  
Asbury Memorial's own house band  
Tim Steinhauser • Chuck Eyer • Bill Oakley  
Playing all your summer favorites  
Get ready to kick off your flip flops and do some shag dancin'!

**RSVP by June 16** | Questions? Text Linda at 912-398-5153

*A fun afternoon of sisterhood fellowship as we welcome summer together.*



# ASBURY GOES TO THE THEATRE

A wonderful group from Asbury recently enjoyed an outing to see *Come From Away*, presented by the Community Theatre of Savannah at the Tybee Post Theatre. Pictured from left to right are Faustina, Tom, Heidi, Linda, Emily, and Lee, who shared a fun evening of fellowship, laughter, and live theatre.

This is a great opportunity for anyone who enjoys local performances and would like to connect with others from the church in a relaxed, social setting. If you are interested in seeing shows in the Savannah area and would like to join future theatre outings, please email Heidi or Tom, or see any of the folks pictured for more information.

Contact for more info:

**Tom Lewis**  
tlewis6520@gmail.com

## *Honorariums*

A gift has been given  
in honor of  
**Jason Zimmer &  
Tim Steinhauser**  
by **Mickie & Bob Townsend**

## *Memorials*

A gift has been given  
in memory of  
**Jim Schlimmer**  
by **Rick Hinshaw**

A gift has been given  
in memory of  
**Jim Schlimmer**  
by **Greg & Sunny Vitello**

## *Prayer Requests*

**Congregants of Asbury Memorial & Wesley Oak**  
DiAnne Amerson, Tom Baird, Mark Barner, Jan Corey,  
Deb Gibson, Jim Green, Vickie Harold, Bubba Hughes,  
Lawrence Hyde, Carolyn Ingram, Judith Kessler, JJ King,  
Virginia Moryades, Frank Ramsey, Dave Thompson, Val Utsey,  
Kenn Waters, Chelsea Heier Wester, Shirley White,  
Debbie Wright

**Family Members & Friends**  
Judy Malphrus



# *When Shadows Fall*

**The members of Asbury Memorial and Wesley Oak  
extend our love and sympathy to:**

**Preston Hodges in the passing of his cousins,  
Sandy and Tim Berry**

**Chelsea Godwin in the passing of her grandmother,  
Marcella Godwin**

**Alice Burris in the passing of her husband, Jim Burris**

# Pride Month: Celebrating God's Inclusive Love

*A reflection on belonging, welcome, justice,  
and the sacred worth of every person.*



Each June, Pride Month invites us to celebrate the sacred worth, beauty, and belovedness of our LGBTQ+ siblings. It is a time to give thanks for the courage, joy, creativity, and resilience of those who have helped make the world and the church more welcoming, honest, and whole.

At Asbury Memorial and Wesley Oak, we believe that every person is created in the image of God and every person is worthy of love, dignity, respect, and belonging. God's love is not limited by gender identity, sexual orientation, race, age, ability, background, or life story. God's table is wide, and there is room for all.

“  
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for all.*  
”

As progressive congregations, our welcome is more than a statement; it is a calling. We are called to create spaces where people can bring their full selves, ask honest questions, worship freely, serve joyfully, and know they are not merely included, but celebrated.

Pride Month also reminds us that welcome requires action. We continue the work of listening, learning, advocating, and standing with those who have too often been pushed aside or harmed in the name of religion. Following the way of Jesus means choosing compassion over exclusion, justice over silence, and love over fear.

This month, and every month, may we celebrate God's inclusive love by living it boldly. May our churches be places of healing, hope, and holy belonging for all people.

*Happy Pride!*

# FINANCIAL HEALTH

General Budget as of: *March*

|  |                   |
|--|-------------------|
|  YTD Budget Income Goal                                   | \$206,309         |
|  Actual YTD Expenses                                      | \$172,792         |
|  Actual YTD Contributions                                 | \$164,769         |
|  Actual Contributions to Expenses Ahead ( <i>Behind</i> ) | <b>(\$8,023)</b>  |
|  Ahead or ( <i>Behind</i> ) if YTD budget spent           | <b>(\$33,953)</b> |

# Thank You!

To all who volunteered for our VBS Work Days

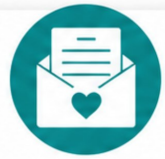
You helped create the *magical wintery wonderland* for our Snowball Mountain Challenge VBS.

We are so grateful for your *time, energy, and love.*

# Ways to Give

We have multiple ways for you to continue your support of Asbury Memorial.

*Thank you for your gifts!*



## MAIL

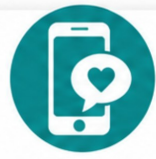
Mail your contribution by check to:

**Asbury Memorial Church**  
1008 East Henry Street  
Savannah, GA 31401



## WEBSITE

- ✓ Log on to our website: [www.AsburyMemorial.org](http://www.AsburyMemorial.org)
- ✓ Click on the **Give Now** button
- ✓ Complete the form as directed.
- ✓ You can set it up to be a **recurring donation!**



## TEXT GIVING

- ✓ From your mobile phone:
- ✓ Send your contribution amount to **833-690-5966**
- ✓ Donate anytime, anywhere
- ✓ Use easy debit/credit card registration
- ✓ Make a one-time gift or set it up to be **recurring**

Thank you for partnering with **Asbury Memorial** to make a lasting impact in our community.

**ASBURY MEMORIAL'S**

# Heavenly Honey



You can purchase Asbury Memorial's Heavenly Honey ALL YEAR LONG!  
Stop by the church office to purchase yours today!

## Men's Group

Building Connection and Conversation

Our Men's Group meets every Thursday at 7:00 PM via Zoom for conversation, support, and spiritual growth. Anyone is welcome to join—any time, from anywhere. No experience or sign-up needed, just drop in and connect!

**Meets Thursdays, 7:00-8:30 p.m. on Zoom.**



# GODLY PLAY



Wesley Oak Campus 9:30am ages 4 yrs - 5th grade

**EVERY SUNDAY**  
AT ASBURY MEMORIAL & WESLEY OAK

Asbury Memorial Campus 11:15am ages 4 yrs - 5th grade

# ANGELLS YOUTH GROUP

A SAFE, FUN PLACE TO BE YOU.

BE KIND. DO GOOD. EVERYONE BELONGS.

**TUESDAYS 5:30-7:30P**

WE ARE AN INCLUSIVE GROUP.

WE BELIEVE IN DOING THE WORK JESUS TAUGHT US TO DO: ❤️ LOVE BIG. 🙌 SERVE OTHERS. 🌍 CHANGE THE WORLD.

❤️ A SAFE, FUN PLACE TO BE YOU. 🧡 YOU ARE SEEN. 🧡 YOU ARE LOVED. 🧡 YOU BELONG HERE. 😊



## STEWARDSHIP



# 2026 STEWARDSHIP PLEDGE

YOU CAN MAKE YOUR PLEDGE HERE


ASBURY MEMORIAL

## CHAIR NAME PLATES

As we worship on Sundays, how meaningful it is to see the name of a loved one etched into a nameplate on one of our beautiful sanctuary chairs.


If you would like to remember or honor a loved one in a special way, complete an order form and turn it into the church office. Forms are available in the church narthex and the office. Please turn in a completed form to the office.

The cost is \$250.00. The funds are used for the upkeep and maintenance of the sanctuary.



# W.O.K.E.

WESLEY OAK KNOWLEDGE EXPLORERS



SUNDAYS AT 1:00 PM | JOY COTTAGE

ARE YOU CRAVING DEEPER CONVERSATIONS ABOUT FAITH, LIFE, AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH? W.O.K.E. IS A WELCOMING GROUP OF SEEKERS AND THINKERS WHO GATHER EVERY SUNDAY TO EXPLORE BIG IDEAS AND ASK MEANINGFUL QUESTIONS. TOGETHER, WE DIG INTO THOUGHT-PROVOKING TOPICS THAT HELP US GROW—BOTH SPIRITUALLY AND PERSONALLY. BRING YOUR QUESTIONS, YOUR CURIOSITY, AND YOUR OPEN HEART.

LET'S GROW TOGETHER.

# BLOOD DRIVE

Asbury Memorial Church

**August 13**  
1:00 PM - 7:00 PM

STRONGER TOGETHER. COMPASSION IN ACTION.

Save a life. Give blood.



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**Return Service Requested**

## **Flowers in the Sanctuary**

Supplying the flower arrangements for the worship service is a wonderful way to commemorate a date that is important to you or a loved one. Please check the Flower Chart in the narthex and sign up. The cost is \$70.

For more information call the church office at 233-4351.

## **Special Funds**

One way to honor or to remember a loved one is with a memorial or an honorarium to some of our different funds such as the Properties Fund, General Fund, Piano/Organ Fund, Family and Children's Ministries Fund, Youth Ministry Fund, Laura Angell Scholarship Fund, Pet Memorial Fund or one of our Mission Funds.

## **Newsletter Information**

If you have an announcement for "The Asbury Update," please email Chris Kincade at [ckincade@asburymemorial.org](mailto:ckincade@asburymemorial.org).

## **Mission Statement**

Asbury Memorial is a place where all people can develop their spirituality, use their talents, and grow in faith as we seek to love, serve, and celebrate God, each other, and our community.