

NEWS, EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

October Donations

Asbury Food Cupboard: Peanut Butter; Deodorant

Canton Calvary Mission: Tuna; canned meat

Asbury Baby Box: yarn

Helping Hands is collecting **Acme Receipts, Aug 6 – Dec 26.**
Drop in box at back of Sanctuary.

UMW is once again doing "Operation Christmas Child". This is through Samaritan's Purse and involves filling a shoebox with little gifts for children around the world. Boxes must be returned to church by Nov 1.

Oct. 22 Reports for Charge Conference are needed in office.

Oct 19 -25 Pastor Mike will be taking a vacation. Pastor Ken Price will be here Oct 25. Please extend a warm welcome to Ken during his visit.

Nov 1: All Saint's Day will be observed, sign up in back

Nov 7 at 11am Charge Conference

Information for the year end reports needs to be in office no later than Oct 22.

Please continue to be safe, follow the guidelines from medical professionals and our governor. Please continue to pray, stay in God's Word, check in on friends and neighbors. Be Blessed, Be Safe and remember you are loved and remain in our prayers.

Please share our Asbury web address or our Facebook Page. We have a unique opportunity to "Be the church" and make known the name of Jesus and his Message of Hope and Renewal in these worrisome times. Let's share His love and His wisdom far and wide! <http://www.asbury-ridgeave.org>
<https://www.facebook.com/Asbury-United-Methodist-of-East-Sparta-108275497482617>

OFFICE HOURS: 9 – 12:30 pm. Tuesday and Thursday

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Pastor's Moment

Letters to the Seven Churches from the Risen Lord
The Book of Revelation: 2:1-7
To the Church in Ephesus

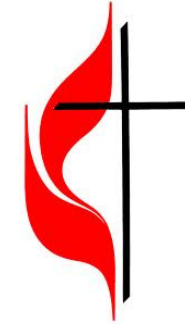
1 "To the angel of the church in Ephesus write:

These are the words of him who holds the seven stars in his right hand and walks among the seven golden lampstands. 2 I know your deeds, your hard work and your perseverance. I know that you cannot tolerate wicked people, that you have tested those who claim to be apostles but are not, and have found them false. 3 You have persevered and have endured hardships for my name, and have not grown weary.

4 Yet I hold this against you: You have forsaken the love you had at first. 5 Consider how far you have fallen! Repent and do the things you did at first. If you do not repent, I will come to you and remove your lampstand from its place. 6 But you have this in your favor: You hate the practices of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate.

7 Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to eat from the tree of life, which is in the paradise of God.

**In the Powerful Name of Jesus
Pastor Mike**



ASBURY

*United Methodist Church
7344 Ridge Ave SE
East Sparta, Ohio 44626*



Pastor Mike Bradford

October 18, 2020

*Asbury's mission is
to serve God, to make disciples,
and bring faith into the community.*

Order of Worship

Sunday, October 18, 2020

*Those who are able, please stand.

Greeting & Announcements

Please remember to maintain social distance and wear your face mask. Thank you

Prelude *Beautiful Savior*

Hymn *Have Thine Own Way Lord*

Call to Worship *Psalm 96: 1-13*

Leader: Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth.

People: Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

Leader: Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

People: For great is the LORD and most worthy of praise; he is to be feared above all gods.

Leader: For all the gods of the nations are idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

People: Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary.

Leader: Ascribe to the LORD, O families of nations, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

People: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts.

Leader: Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness; tremble before him, all the earth.

People: Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns."

Leader: The world is firmly established, it cannot be moved; he will judge the peoples with equity.

People: Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it;

Leader: Let the fields be jubilant, and everything in them.

People: Then all the trees of the forest will sing for joy;

Leader: They will sing before the LORD, for he comes, he comes to judge the earth.

All: He will judge the world in righteousness and the peoples in his truth.

Hymn *O Jesus I Have Promised*

Children's Moment

Children will remain in their seats for today's video clip

Sharing of Praises & Concerns

There will be no microphone. Please stand up to address the congregation so that all may hear better. Thank you

Meditation on Prayer and Giving

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Pastoral Prayer

Today's Video

Today's Message

Mark 10:17-31

"At Any Cost"

Sending Forth

Hymn *Lord I Want to Be a Christian*

Benediction

Postlude *Send the Light*

Prayer Requests

ASBURY

Keith & Melanie B, Shelva G, Gordon & Penny L, Greg M, Jami O, Lee R, Donna S, Stan T.

*ASBURY FRIENDS

Jim & Cathy B, Jimmy B, Carlene H, Philip S, Shad & Diana S, Bob S, our nation and our world.

**Individuals will be kept on our list for a short time so that the list doesn't continue to grow. If you wish to keep a name on this list, please specify that you wish for them to remain indefinitely.*

HOMEBOUND & SKILLED CARE RESIDENTS

Barbara B, Chet B, Chuck F, Florence H, Della J, Joan S, Anna T.

REMEMBER OUR TROOPS

Austin B, Ana R, Jacob R, Kyle R, Lloyd R, Brian R, Joe S.

2020 ASBURY FINANCE UPDATE

Needed each week -- \$1,650

Collected last week -- \$2,008

