

NEWS, EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

July Donations

Asbury Food Cupboard: Shampoo, canned fruit

Canton Calvary Mission:

Asbury Baby Box: you choose

UMW ladies. Please check mailboxes.



For July we need to start watching for and thinking about school supplies. Although we have not received the 2021-22 list, we know it will soon be time to start collecting.

July 2: Anna T's Birthday. Let's send her our love in a shower of cards: 7551 E Pasaro Dr. Scottsdale AZ. 85266

July 12: Admin Board, 7pm



If anyone is interested in resuming our Breakfasts on the 3rd Thursday of each month please let Lovina know.

OFFICE HOURS: 9 am – 12:30 pm. Tues-Thurs

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Pastor's Moment

Growing in Jesus Christ, *By, Tony Evans*

The Christian life is a progressive movement toward spiritual maturity. Your experience of following Jesus should be taking you somewhere. The goal of your growth ought to be that you are being "transformed" into the image of the glory of God.



The question that needs to be asked is, what do spiritually mature disciples – or at least disciples who are moving toward maturity – look like? Well,

some of them look like people who once did not know how to control their anger, but now they understand how to maintain self-control.

Other growing Christians look like people who at one time struggled and lost against any sin that you can imagine, but now in the strength of Christ, they are living lives that are well-pleasing to God.

Spiritual maturity does not mean sinless perfection. Anybody who tells you that you can go through life and never sin has just sinned because that's a lie. But what I am talking about is maturity, where the normal thing for you to do is bring every area of your life under the control of Jesus Christ.

So, what is maturity? Very simply, it is growing to the place where you think, judge, and react biblically to every situation. When it is the rule and not the exception for you to apply the Bible to your life; when you place every area of your life under the lordship of Jesus Christ. The Bible calls it Christlikeness, because Jesus is intent on making you like Him. Who else is worthy for you to pattern your life after?

For His Kingdom,
Tony Evans

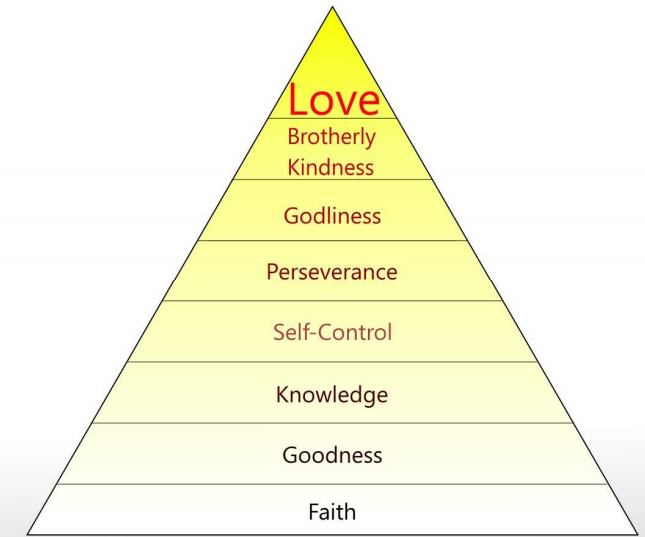


ASBURY

United Methodist Church

7344 Ridge Ave SE

East Sparta, Ohio 44626



Pastor Mike Bradford

June 27, 2021

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

Order of Worship

Sunday, June 27, 2021

*Those who are able, please stand

Greeting & Announcements

Masks are optional for fully vaccinated people, Thank You

Prelude *Higher Ground*

*Hymn *Wonderful Words of Life*

Call to Worship Lamentations 3:22-26; 31-33

Leader: Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed.

Congregation: For his compassions never fail.

Leader: They are new every morning;

Congregation: Great is your faithfulness.

Leader: I say to myself, "The Lord is my portion.

Congregation: Therefore I will wait for him."

Leader: The Lord is good to those whose hope is in him, to the one who seeks him;

Congregation: It is good to wait quietly for the salvation of the Lord.

Leader: No one is cast off by the Lord forever. Though he brings grief, he will show compassion, so great is his unfailing love.

All: For he does not willingly bring affliction or grief to anyone.

Children's Moment

Children will remain in their seats for today's video clip (You can find the Children's Video on our Website)

Doxology/Prayer

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Sharing of Praises & Concerns

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

Hymn *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

Pastoral Prayer

Today's Video

Today's Message

2 Peter 1: 1-11

Life Lessons from Peter: "Make every effort to add to your faith"

Sending Forth/Sending the Light

*Hymn *Higher Ground*

Benediction

Prayer Requests

ASBURY,
Keith & Melanie B, Eitel Family, Shelva G,
Heppe Family, Penny L Family, Neading Family,
Bill & Debbie M, Charlotte & Lee R,

*ASBURY FRIENDS
Diane B, Mark H (Ashley C's uncle),
Annie L, Shirl L, Brandi & Brayden M, Guy S,
Cindy W, Brenda Y, Brenda (who has been put into
Hospice Care) and staff at Columbus Hospital,
Jason (Mark's Friend), our nation and our world.

HOMEBOUND & SKILLED CARE RESIDENTS
Barbara B, Hallie F, Florence H, Della J,
Donna S, Joan S, Stan T, Anna T.

REMEMBER OUR TROOPS

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

*Attendance for June 20, 2021
Worship 44*

2021 ASBURY FINANCE UPDATE

Needed each week -- \$1,617

Collected last week -- \$1,668

