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Holy Week

Beginning with Palm Sunday, March 28 we will travel through the week in worship.

- *Prayer Vigil*, Monday through Wednesday in the Chapel, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and 7:00-9:00 p.m.
- *Maundy Thursday* at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
- We are invited to attend a noontime service at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church at 674 Enos Way as they hold a service of meditation on the 10 Stations of the Cross, this is our Ecumenical Good Friday connection.
- *Good Friday* at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
- *Holy Saturday Prayer Vigil* in the Chapel from 1:00-4:00 p.m.
- *Easter Sunday Sunrise* at 6:30 a.m.
- *Easter Celebrations* at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.



Groundbreaking, Sunday, March 28

Join us as we break ground for our new Fellowship Hall at the end of our worship service on Palm Sunday, March 28!

This is an event you won't want to miss. These celebrations come around about once in a generation, and we will be having many generations participate in our ceremony. Our architect, John Seals, will be with us, and we can thank him in advance for the work that will be accomplished. We hope to have our general contractor,

Dan McNely here, as well as Linda McKeever, Open Heart Kitchen, Executive Director, whose organization is a delighted partner in our work together, along with leaders in the congregation. Representatives will be chosen from all age groups to join in the earth turning.

We will trust that the weather will be lovely and the ground shovel-receptive. After the ceremonial groundbreaking occurs, everyone wishing to

turn a shovel full and have their pictures taken will be welcome to do so. Make it a family event!

Come to church by 8:50 a.m., get a good seat, prepare to wave some palms, enjoy a celebration in worship that will spill over onto the patio and around the location where our new Fellowship Hall will begin to be constructed this spring.

Growing in our discipleship · Serving others in the world · Celebrating God's grace

Chuck Chats

I have been struck this past week by the changing spirits of people as the days grow longer and warmer. I shouldn't be surprised by it, I too have been stung by a "Spring Fever" bug. But it seemed as though people weren't just registering it on their faces or in the jauntiness of their steps but verbalizing it a great deal. I heard it talked about in a dozen different settings over the course of two or three days. People were ready for change. Perhaps the rapid change from a very wet and cold couple of weeks ago to days that are almost balmy loosened their tongues!

When I was a college student in Idaho, where the winters were cold and snowy and seemingly endless, I really experienced "Spring Fever" with all its intensity. At the first warm and sunny day, studying became an impossibility, Frisbees were flying and winter coats were put away for good. We would talk about how great it felt to be free of the bitter winter nights and the joy of seeing trees suddenly turning to blossom. There was laughter in our hearts, and we bore witness

with our voices.

Resurrection, the movement from death to life, is the core of the Christian faith. And like the springing of the year, which comes after the dormancy and barrenness of tree and flower, resurrection turns the dismal and dreary on its head. Life appears fresh and full of possibilities. Unlike spring, however, resurrection isn't limited to just one season. It can appear in the most unlikely of times.

With Easter just around the corner, we pay attention to the story of Jesus' Resurrection, a God-powered exclamation point to a life of service and love. It is a ringing endorsement that love triumphs over death, forever. How do we celebrate? In what ways do we bear witness? Not just by going to church and enjoying the singing of the "Hallelujah Chorus", but with our words? By raising up our voices in faith and declaring in our ways: "He is Risen!" Risen for me and I am changed so that I can be Christ for someone else.

Will we reflect in our words, exhibit by the lightness of our strides, display on our counte-

nances, and profess with our mouths a true spirit of Resurrection? Will we allow the God who promises hope and victory over death help shape the whole of our lives? Can we dare keep it to ourselves and really live?

This is the true test of the value of the Resurrection for each of us: does it burrow deep within the recesses of our hearts and minds so that we are transformed by its power and thus are empowered by the Spirit of the Risen Christ to transform the world for God. To emerge like Spring, full of life and promise and beauty. This is the call to discipleship. May we all hear it more clearly than ever before as the people of God here at Asbury.

And may we see it in one another. As God declares in Isaiah (43:19a): "See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?" Look around you. It's Resurrection-time in this congregation!

Chuck

Asbury Family in Need of Our Prayers

This is a new feature of the Articles. Please let Joanne Petty know if you would like someone added to this list.

Recovering: Carol Wilson, rotator cuff surgery, Kathy Faul, hip replacement surgery and Bill Cain, arm surgery.

In cancer treatment: Debbie Winter and David Miller.

Caregivers: Prayers for all these caring for parents, spouses and loved ones.



Growing



Adult
Education

Reading the Scriptures Aloud – An Alternative Bible Study Join Pastor Chuck as he explores with others reading the scriptures aloud in a small group setting. On Monday mornings at 11:00 a.m. and Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Participants will read the Bible aloud after an opening prayer. Following about 45 minutes of reading, there will be time for noting important learning from the reading and then we will close in prayer. Give yourself the gift of hearing the New Testament as it was meant to be read – aloud within the congregation in large bites. This is a drop-in class, and anyone is welcome at anytime. We'll all be reading from the New Revised Standard Version to provide continuity. Bibles provided.

Twelve Step Bible Study The SAM ministry is hosting a 12 step bible study. This bible study will run for 13 weeks starting on April 18 at 10:45 a.m., in Room 15. The bible study will be based on the workbook entitled, "The Twelve Steps: A spiritual Journey, a Working Guide for Healing." This workbook will be available in Butterfly Gardens and it is based on biblical teachings. Everyone is welcome. For more information please contact Wes Stark at home.

Volunteers Need for Bishop Brown's Gathering

Asbury will host Bishop Brown, Saturday April 17, 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Our church has been chosen to host a gathering, led by Bishop Brown. The Bishop will introduce key changes in the structure and administration of our conference, as we Re-Think Church and Conference. "This is not a time to be timid," says Bishop Brown. "We must take responsibility to make the future to which we are

called."

The bishop has also proposed legislation designed to help the conference become both mission-focused and fiscally responsible. "These changes will help us shape our future," the bishop writes.

The bishop's letter outlining the proposals is available on the Conference website, www.cnumc.org.

Pastors and church members in the area will be attending. Please join us!

If you are available to welcome other people as they arrive, we need greeters, as well as help in serving coffee, and cleaning up. This is our opportunity to be hosts and hostesses, and to practice extravagant hospitality. Please contact Joanne Petty at 925-447-1950 ext. 4 by April 12.

Lending Library

Did You Know? There is a small, free lending library located in the Conference Room on the north wall. Interesting, thought-provoking books are on the shelf labeled U.M.W. Reading Program. Anyone

can borrow a book at no charge, due date, or penalty. We only ask that you sign out the book in the brown binder, return it when finished, and sign the date returned. Certificates can be

earned! For more information see Diane Larder or call her at home.

Hospitality Alert

Let's look for ways to welcome visitors to Asbury!

"A church that takes seriously the ministry of welcoming visitors will grow, because

visitors will say, 'That's a friendly church! I think I'll go back next week.'" Rodney Wilmoth, Pastor.



Adult Group Dinner

Our next outing will be going out to dinner on April 10 at 6:30 p.m. to Casa Orozco. Adults of all ages are welcome. Please contact Joanne Petty to RSVP at home.

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner is Back

The Fellowship Team is looking for people to host a dinner at their home. Pick a date between May 1 to 8 and let us know how many people you can have. You can choose to have dinner, lunch, brunch, breakfast or appetizers. This is a potluck so

you don't need to provide the whole meal. Please contact Joanne Petty at home, and let her know if you can host and what date.



Tapestry Handbell and Vocal Concert

The Asbury Ringers are hosting a handbell and vocal concert presented by a premier group called Tapestry on Wednesday, May 26 at 7:30 p.m. Tapestry is a performing group composed of Canto Bello Handbell Ensemble and

Heartsong Women's Chorus. Together, they provide a repertoire of excellent music, from sacred to pop, while fundraising to benefit various groups in their local and international communities.

Both groups are directed by Cindy Krausgill. A free-will offering will be taken at the concert for a designated charity.

Thank You from Congressman Garamendi

Pastors Chuck and Kim received a very nice thank you note from Congressman John Garamendi. He said "I would like to extend my gratitude to you and your church for initiating a program that provides shelter to the homeless population in Livermore. I am proud that citizens in our district are taking action to care for people without homes on nights when weather conditions make being without a place to sleep particularly dan-

gerous. Your efforts have helped make Asbury UMC and its volunteers a leading example of what citizens can accomplish when they actively push to better their community.

I could not do the work I am responsible for in Washington DC if I did not know that people like you and your congregation were striving to achieve similar goals here at home.

Once again, thank you for your service to our community."

Sincerely,
John Garamendi,
Member of Congress

Thank you to all the volunteers who have gone without sleep to make this possible.

Theology Pub

We've been having some great conversations recently at our Theology Pub. Just a reminder, Theology Pub is not something that is JUST for Young Adults, it's open

to folks of all ages. Last month, we had over 20 people there from six different churches! Our next Theology Pub will be on Tuesday night, April 20 from 7:00

-9:00 p.m., at The Riata Tavern in downtown Livermore. More details of the event will be posted on our Facebook page: facebook.com/TheologyPub.

Young Adult Gathering

We are going to have a Young Adult Gathering in April. Rather than give you all the details now, we thought it would be more exciting if we just kept you in suspense, so, use this opportunity to join

the Asbury Young Adults page on Facebook if you haven't already. You can access it at facebook.com/AsburyYoungAdults. You'll get all the important updates there, INCLUDING

information on when and where the April Young Adult Gathering will be happening.



Ladies Night Out

Monday, April 19, 6:30 p.m.

Ladies of all ages, let's get together and go out for dinner. Our next outing will

be on Monday, April 19, at 6:30 p.m. at Zephyr, for a wonderful dinner and some great company. Please call

Joanne Petty at home and let her know you're coming.

Asbury Hikers

Even though we had lots of competition with the weather in March, we successfully completed a hike in Sunol Regional Park. On March 27, we plan to go to Black Diamond Regional Park for a wild-

flower hike. On April 9 we plan to hike at Morgan Territory Regional Park, and on April 23 in Round Valley Regional. All hikes begin at 8:30 a.m. meeting in the parking lot at Asbury to car-pool to

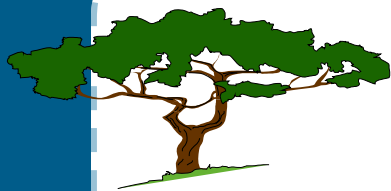
the site. Contact Joanne Abey at home for more information.

August Family Camp

This year we are planning to have Family Camp from July 15-18 at Camp Shelly in Tahoe. We are looking for 13 volunteers to join the early morning party for sign-ups at LARPD on Saturday, April 10.

Asbury is looking to completely take over the camp for that weekend. If you have an interest in attending Family Camp, let us know. Please contact Pastor Chuck Johnstone at 925-447-1950

ext. 1 to coordinate the early morning time.



Branching Out - The Youth Page

Minister for Youth and Young Adults:

Adam Walker Cleaveland

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Office Hours are Back!

It's April - the weather is getting nice - and Adam's Office Hours are back! You can find me at Peet's on Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m. Stop by for a drink and a chance to hang

out, talk, relax after a day of school. Come on by and the drinks are on me! This month I'll be at Peet's on April 7, April 14 and April 21.

Youth Mission to Glide Memorial

Our youth will be going back to serve lunch and dinner at Glide Memorial United Methodist Church in San Francisco on Friday, April 9. All youth who are at least 12 years old can sign up for this very unique

mission experience. We all had a blast last year and hope you'll consider coming this month. We'll be leaving in the morning (probably around 9:30 a.m.) and then we'll be back around 7:00 p.m. We will

need some parent drivers. If you have any questions, contact Adam. You must RSVP by Thursday, April 1 so we know how many drivers we'll need.

Middle School Mission Trip

We will be having our first Middle School Mission Trip meeting on Sunday, April 11 from 3:00-4:00pm. This is a mandatory meeting for all youth (and their parents) who are going on the June 27- July 1 Center for Student Missions trip to San

Francisco. We'll go over some details, talk about what to expect and answer any questions that you may have.

Youth Ministry Dinner

We will be having our Youth Ministry Dinner again this month on April 25 at 6:15 p.m. in the Fireside Room. We invite you to come with

your parents and other people from the church to join in this community meal together. Look for more information later this

month from Theresa Dawes about the meal.

Growing Strong - The Children's Ministries Page

Helping our children grow strong in their faith while building a stronger connection with God, each other and our world.

Children's Ministry Director:

Mitchie McCammon, 925-447-1950, ext. 5

Thank you to all of our Scouts who participated in Scout Sunday. What a blessing to have so many Scouts participate.

There is no Sunday school on Easter, April 4. Please enjoy the worship celebration with your family.

“Doors of Welcome” Update

The demolition of the old Fellowship Hall has begun and with this brings anticipation of the new Fellowship Hall where we can continue to serve as God wants us to.

The youth had great fun crushing cans this past month. The spectacle brought attention to our aluminum can drive. With great enthusiasm we are expanding our recycling

effort to include PETE plastics! PETE plastics include soda bottles, water bottles and other plastics marked with a #1. Please continue to help us reach our goal of \$8000!

So far, the children and youth have raised \$400 from the first bake sale, \$61 from aluminum can recycling, and \$261 from the second bake sale. Stay tuned for more updates!



Volunteer Opportunity

On Saturday, April 17, lay leaders, congregation members and clergy are all encouraged to come out to hear Bishop Warner H. Brown, Jr. We are looking for volunteers to help us host this event. Please let me know if you will be able to help us show our hospitality.

Bishop Brown will share a vision for next steps in Rethink Church, from a Conference perspective. He will include information on several major items of legislation coming to Annual Conference Session in June. The Bishop's letter outlining the proposals is available on the

Conference website, www.cnumc.org.

Vacation Bible School News Children's Ministry is still in the process of picking a VBS program, and we are also in need of a Director and Co-Director. If you are a person who enjoys planning events and seeing them to fruition, please contact Mitchie McCammon. We have a great team of people to work with, and the rewards are enormous.

Serving

January UMCOR depot trip

In late January, I was privileged to join a hastily organized mission team to assist with handling relief supplies for Haiti. Our goal was to help organize and process donated supplies from United Methodist Churches in the Western United States.

What a rewarding experience! We saw first-hand how the collective, faith-based donations by church congregations fuel the Methodist response to such tragic disasters. Our ragtag team of five journeyed to Salt Lake City to work at the new UMCOR Depot. Two of us flew a day early to get started. The other three drove twelve hours bringing a trailer full of Bay Area donations.

Our first task was to inventory the current status of donated kits and kit building supplies. Things were pretty disorganized since 300 volunteers had worked the prior 10 days to ship out over 20,000 health kits (each kit - basic hygiene supplies). We had to figure out what we had, what we needed and what type and number of kits could be constructed over the coming weeks and months. (UMCOR, the United Methodist Committee on Relief, stocks six types of kits for use in disaster recovery – health, birthing, school, sewing, layette and cleaning.)

Second, we cleared the delivery dock of backlogged shipments and handled all the in-bound shipments for each of the days we were there. Hundreds and hundreds of kits ar-

rived each day. What an amazing outpouring of Christian caring! They came from big churches and tiny country churches in Oregon, Idaho, California, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming...and on and on.

Third, we staged almost 21,000 school kits on pallets. Ready to ship, these kits had been built over the last six months. When the call comes, they are off to Haiti.

Lastly, we went to work processing layette kits. Some 1,200 had come in and we started getting them ready for use. What a joy-filled task! Handmade quilts, sweaters, diapers and blankets blessed each kit. They came from UMW groups, Sunday school classes, prayer groups and schools all across the West. Each is a beautiful gift of heartfelt caring. We imagined the loving people and places behind each kit.

I came away moved by the experience. I was amazed by the generosity of so many Christians living their faith in a connectional way.

Our team was a diverse mix of people driven by a shared desire to make a difference. Several of us were mission veterans. But, one participant was a homeless man from a shelter sponsored by a Methodist church in Woodlands, California. Another was an independent businessman and professional clown. Other local volunteers popped in each day to help. Art is the Lexus dealer in Park City, Utah. Betty is an 87 year old parishioner of a nearby church. It was a blessing to spend this time

with each person. They cared.

Asbury played an important role in the flow of events. Our cash donation paid for critical supplies needed to prepare 800 health kits. What an impact!

Sincerely, Steve Elliott

August UMCOR depot trip

Registration is now available to participate in a mission trip to the UMCOR Depot in Salt Lake City, Utah. This Depot is one of two warehouses in the United States where UMCOR (the United Methodist Committee on Relief) stores relief supplies for emergency response. We will work at the Depot for about three days processing donations, assembling relief kits and organizing disaster response supplies. We also plan to spend one or two days in mission at a local food bank, community coop or shelter.

This mission week will be August 16 – 20, 2010. This trip is ideal for those new to mission work, families, youth and those participants seeking an alternative to the typical mission construction work. Subject to team leader approval, this trip is available to young participants.

We will travel on Saturday, August 14 or Sunday, August 15 and return on Friday, August 20 or Saturday, August 21. We will be staying at the Episcopal Church Center of Utah. This facility offers simple twin bed sleeping rooms, shared bath facilities and a kitchen for our meals. We are targeting a group size of 12 to 14 participants. The cost estimate is

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\$400 to 600 per person for airfare, housing, ground transportation and food. The cost will vary based on number of participants and any donations we receive.

For more information or to obtain a registration packet, contact Steve Elliott at home.

Backpack Project

It's that time of the year to start thinking about the backpack project. We need someone to volunteer to lead the project. This is a great opportunity for a Scout project, volunteers hours for school or for someone who really wants to help our local school children! If you or someone you know is

interested, please contact Teri Lambert at home.

Habitat for Humanity

Several East Bay Methodist churches are working with Habitat for Humanity to "recycle" existing homes as affordable housing. Over the next year, we will rehab several homes. Our first one was a home in Livermore. We are now into our next project in Bay Point. This project is a group of bank foreclosed homes purchased by Habitat. Our first few workdays in March included participants from four different churches. It has been enjoyable, interesting work. Consider joining us!

Our next scheduled workday is Saturday, April 3, 2010. We work from

8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Bring work gloves and lunch. Habitat provides all the tools and supplies. For more details or to register, contact Steve Elliott at home. All volunteers must be at least 16 years old.

The April Blood Drive is back at Asbury

The next Livermore Blood Drive is Friday, April 16 from 1:00 to 7:00 p.m. at *Asbury* in rooms 11-12. Sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org use RLCC as the sponsor code. If you have any questions, please call Tom Petty at 925-245-0216.

Fellowship Time

Building a new Fellowship Hall is going to be an exciting change at *Asbury*. But it also means that routines will need to be adjusted a little. Fortunately, the nice weather seems to be coming back and most Sundays, our Fellowship time with coffee will be held in the courtyard. However, there will be days when that may not be possible due to inclement weather or construction phases. In those cases, we have the following alternative plans:

Inclement weather:

Coffee Fellowship will be held in the Fire-side room of the Chapel. Access to the Chapel will be closed off and we will do our best to make as much room as possible so people will have space to visit and catch up. It's important for everyone to

take extra care to keep spills and food off the floor and furniture. If you do spill, look around for paper towels or napkins to clean up as soon as possible. Please be aware that hallways need to be kept clear in case of emergency, so try to visit where you are not blocking a door or passage way.

Construction:

If at times the construction on site gets to be overwhelming, then look for the coffee carts to be out in the Labyrinth area between the Sunday School buildings. This will be the alternative "outdoor" spot.

When you run into someone who prepares the coffee, please make sure you thank them for the extra effort they are putting in during this interim time. We

have about 24 individuals/couples who have volunteered their time to make Fellowship hour more enjoyable. That's 2 Sundays a year, but it's an important opportunity to serve the Church community. If you would like to take a turn, please contact Liz Baldwin, Karen Faraldo, Gail Bryan, Mikeileen Jones, or Joanne Duncan, our quarterly leaders.



Anniversaries and Birthdays

ANNIVERSARIES

Preston and Nancy Carter
 Larry and Kathy Chase
 Herb and Judy Guidry
 Dennis and Melanie Henderson
 Robert and Cathy Jeffers
 Warren and Sue King
 Gregg and Helen McKee
 Larry and Karena Sanford
 Scott and LaNor Smith

Jean Lerche
 Laura Linden
 Marvin Martin
 Rachel Martin
 Kent McCammon
 Gabrielle McClung
 Hal Miller
 Martie Muldoon
 Allen Northrop
 Shirley Northrop
 Yuriko O'Brien
 Adam Paiso
 Kendra Peterson
 Justin Pettis
 Austin Piscotty
 Christina Pomykal
 Amelia Schell
 Russell Schwartz
 Samantha Scott
 LaNor Smith
 Jerry Sveen
 Patrick Tripp
 Ron Tripp
 Jennifer Wakefield
 Adam Walker Cleveland
 Steve Wilson

BIRTHDAYS

Tim Arnold
 Rachel Avila
 Joe Baker
 Patty Baker
 Chloe Bennett
 Catherine Berard
 Ty Bothwell-Mitlitsky
 Zoey Bothwell-Mitlitsky
 Anthony Cano
 Ed Cassidy
 Diana Christensen
 Tova Christensen
 Lesleyann Coker
 Danielle Cowgill
 Christie Crozier
 Christine Cummings
 Eric Cummings
 David Darlington
 Cameron David
 Ann Duff
 Jill Edgar
 Dave Gamble
 Laura Giannotti
 Clara Griffith
 Katie Guidry
 Bob Hoffman
 Elmond Holbrook
 Sarah Howell
 Rhonda Item
 Dean Juan
 Greta Kohlmoos
 Christine Kunzler



Weekly Recurring Events**Sundays**

- 9:00 a.m. Worship, Sunday School (Sanctuary)
- 10:15 a.m. Butterfly Gardens is open
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee (Courtyard)
- 10:30 a.m. Cherub Choir (Room 5)
- 10:30 a.m. Rainbow Choir (Room 9)
- 10:30 a.m. Middle School Choir (Chapel)
- 10:30 a.m. High School Choir (Room 12)
- 4:30 p.m. CAs (Room 13) except April 4 and 11
- 7:00 p.m. MYF (Room 15) except April 4 and 11
- 7:00 p.m. Asbury Ringers (Rooms 11-12)

Tuesdays

- 2:00 p.m. Bible Study (Heritage Park)
- 7:00 p.m. Alanon (Rooms 13-15)
- 7:00 p.m. Chapel open for prayer and mediation

Wednesdays

- 9:30 a.m. Mom's Bible Study (Fireside Room)
- 11:00 a.m. Loose Canons
- 7:30 p.m. Adult Choir (Chapel and Sanctuary)

Thursdays

- 7:45 a.m. Men's Group (Room 11)
- 10:00 a.m. Bible Study (Heritage Estates)
- 10:30 a.m. Women of the Spirit
- 7:00 p.m. Asbury Band (Sanctuary)
- 7:00 p.m. AA (Rooms 11-12)

April 1, 2010 (Thursday)

- 7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Worship (Sanctuary)

April 2, 2010 (Friday)

- 7:30 p.m. Good Friday Worship (Sanctuary)

April 3, 2010 (Saturday)

- Habitat Workday
- 1:00-4:00 p.m. Prayer Vigil

April 4, 2010 (Sunday)

- 6:30 a.m. Easter Sunrise Service
- 9:00 a.m. Easter Celebration
- 11:00 a.m. Easter Celebration

April 5, 2010 (Monday)

- 11:00 a.m. Reading the Scriptures Aloud (Fireside Room)

April 7, 2010 (Wednesday)

- 2:00 p.m. Adam's office hours (Peet's)

April 8, 2010 (Thursday)

- 7:00 p.m. Reading the Scriptures Aloud (Fireside Room)
- 7:30 p.m. Hospitality (Room 13)

April 9, 2010 (Friday)

- 8:30 a.m. Hiking
- 9:30 a.m. Youth mission trip to Glide Memorial
- 11:00 a.m. Meditation (Fireside Room)

April 11, 2010 (Sunday)

- 3:00 p.m. Middle School mission trip meeting (Room 13)
- 4:30 p.m. Slidell mission trip meeting (Conf. Room)
- 6:00 p.m. CAs and MYF game night (Rooms 13-15)

April 12, 2010 (Monday)

- 11:00 a.m. Reading the Scriptures Aloud (Fireside Room)

April 13, 2010 (Tuesday)

- 9:30 a.m. UMW (Fireside Room)
- 7:30 p.m. Staff Parish Relations (Room 6)
- 7:30 p.m. Trustees (Conference Room)

April 14, 2010 (Wednesday)

- 2:00 p.m. Adam's office hours (Peet's)

April 15, 2010 (Thursday)

- 7:00 p.m. Reading the Scriptures Aloud (Fireside Room)

April 16, 2010 (Friday)

- 1:00 p.m. Blood Drive (Rooms 11-12)

April 17, 2010 (Saturday)

- 10:00 a.m. Bishop Brown gathering (Sanctuary)

April 18, 2010 (Sunday)

- 10:45 p.m. SAM (Room 10)

April 19, 2010 (Monday)

- 6:30 p.m. Ladies Night Out (Zypher)

April 20, 2010 (Tuesday)

- 7:00 p.m. Fellowship Team (Room 11)
- 7:00 p.m. Theology Pub (First St. Alehouse)
- 7:30 p.m. Fellowship Hall Design Team (Conference Room)

April 21, 2010 (Wednesday)

- 2:00 p.m. Adam's office hours (Peet's)

April 22, 2010 (Thursday)

- 9:30 a.m. Quilting (Rooms 11-12)

April 23, 2010 (Friday)

- 8:30 a.m. Hiking

April 25, 2010 (Sunday)

- 6:15 p.m. Youth Ministry Dinner (Fellowship Hall)

April 26, 2010 (Monday)

- 7:30 p.m. Landscaping (Room 11)

April 27, 2010 (Tuesday)

- 7:30 p.m. Church Council (Conference Room)

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Garden Plots are available.

There are a few garden plots still available. A half a plot is 20 by 25 feet and costs \$25. A full plot is \$50. The cost includes Rota tilling and water. Please contact Joe Baker if you are interested.



**Deadline for next Asbury Articles is
Thursday, April 15, 2010.**