


December 2017 at Asbury UMC

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
					Pastor Kip has Fridays off Pastor Matt has Fridays off Michelle has Fridays off	
					1 11:30 a.m. Women's AA Group, Room 106	2 2:30 Christmas Workshop, Fellowship Hall 5:00 Soup and Sandwich Potluck, Fellowship Hall
3 9:00 Worship 10:15 All-Church Charge Conference, Sanctuary	4 9:00 a.m. Prayer Time, Library 12:00 Joyful Journey, Rm 106 1:30 Staff Meeting, Library 5:30 Handbells, Sanctuary 6:30 Girl Scouts, Hospitality Rm	5 9:30 a.m. Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall 5:30 Women's AA, Rm 106 Circuit Rider Deadline	6 6:00 Mission Team Meeting, Room 006 6:15 Star of Hope Worship, Sanctuary 6:15 Spark!, Room 128 6:15 Genesis Choir, Room 130 6:30-8:00 Youth Group (MS & HS) 7:00 Joysingers Choir, Room 130 7:00 Adult Choir, Sanctuary 7:00 Disciple: John, Library	7 12:30 UMW General Meeting, Fellowship Hall 6:30 Stephen Ministry - Supervision, Room 106 6:30 Jonah's Wail!, Sanctuary	8 11:30 a.m. Women's AA Group, Room 106	9
10 8:00 Worship 9:00 Worship 10:15 Sunday School for all ages 11:15 Contemporary Worship 6:00 Administrative Council, Hospitality Room	11 9:00 a.m. Prayer Time, Library 12:00 Joyful Journey, Rm 106 1:30 Staff Meeting, Library 5:30 Handbells, Sanctuary 6:00 Trustees, Room 106 6:30 Men's Group, Fell Hall	12 9:30 a.m. Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall 5:30 Women's AA, Rm 106	13 6:15 Worship, Chapel 6:15 Spark!, Room 128 6:15 Genesis Choir, Room 130 6:30-8:00 Youth Group (MS & HS) 7:00 Joysingers Choir, Room 130 7:00 Adult Choir, Sanctuary 7:00 Disciple: John, Library	14 9:00 United Childcare and Preschool Christmas Program, Fellowship Hall and Sanctuary 6:30 Jonah's Wail!, Sanctuary	15 11:30 a.m. Women's AA Group, Room 106 1:00 Circuit Rider Mailing	16
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24 Christmas Eve 9:00 Worship 11:15 Contemporary Worship 5:00 Worship 11:00 Contemporary Worship	25 Christmas Day Office Closed 	26 9:30 a.m. Coffee Hour, Fellowship Hall 5:30 Women's AA, Rm 106	27 6:15 Worship, Chapel 7:00 Adult Choir, Sanctuary 7:00 Disciple: John, Library	28 6:30 Jonah's Wail!, Sanctuary	29 11:30 a.m. Women's AA Group, Room 106	30
31 New Year's Eve 8:00 Worship 9:00 Worship 11:15 Contemporary Worship						

Body Life

Hospitals:

Lois Nelson, Joy Boyer, Roger Millikan, Laurie Larson, Glen Rice

Sympathy:

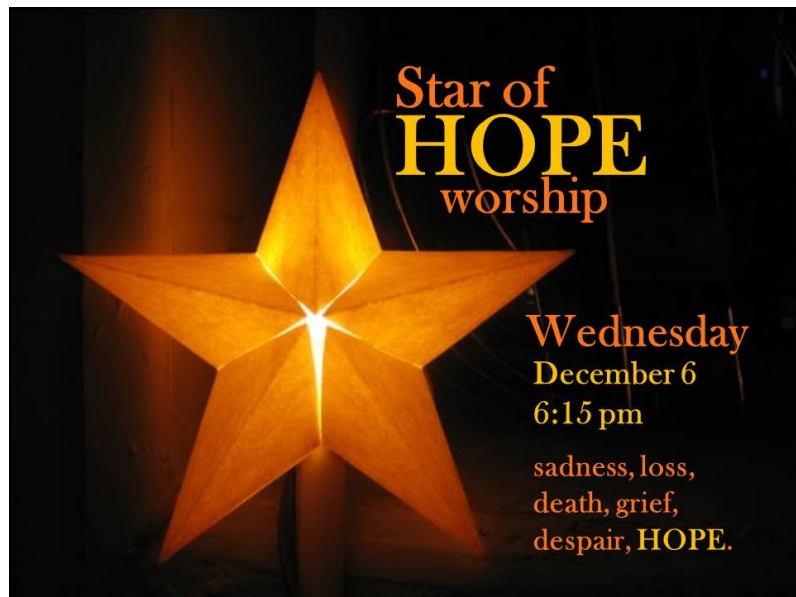
To Dean and Carol DeLashmutt on the passing of her sister on October 25.

New Members Joining Asbury on November 12:

Olivia Larson, Ed and Kathy Washington

Help Make Christmas Special for Others

Asbury is so generous!! Again this year we will have the opportunity to help out the people who reside at Cayman Courts here in Sioux Falls. Cayman Courts is an assisted living facility for the elderly and developmentally challenged. Asbury is the only group that provides gifts to the residents of Cayman Courts at Christmas. This November you will have an opportunity to choose a slip of paper with a request for a Christmas gift. If you decide to choose a slip, please tape the slip on the gift once you have it wrapped and return it to Asbury—the date will be announced. Any questions, contact Tracy Johnson at tracyj0819@gmail.com. Thank you Asbury!!



UMC #GivingTuesday is November 28

We hope you will join United Methodists around the world to support Global Ministries missionaries and Advance projects on UMC #GivingTuesday November 28.

Frederick Buechner once described "calling" as the place "where your deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet." One of the great things about The Advance is that it allows you to invest your resources where your passion answers specific needs in the world.

The UMC #GivingTuesday theme this year is "Connect Your Passion with God's Mission." One hundred percent of your gifts made online through The Advance goes to the missionary or project of your choice.

In 2016, more than 2,550 people from 19 countries gave gifts of more than \$850,000 toward missionary support and Advance projects. The countries or territories represented included Argentina, Austria, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Fiji, Guam, Ireland, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Oman, the Philippines, Russia, South Korea, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, and the United States. This was truly a global effort.



Thank you for your generous gifts through The Advance, the designated giving channel of The United Methodist Church.

Our impact areas this year are:

- Food and Agriculture
- Church Development
- Disaster Response and Relief
- Education
- Health
- Economic Empowerment
- Social Justice
- WASH/Water and Sanitation
- Women and Children
- Mission Personnel

Visit umcmmission.org/give to learn more about missionaries and projects. Your gift on UMC #GivingTuesday will help bring hope and healing to a world in need.

In mission together,

Thomas Kemper
General Secretary
General Board of Global Ministries

Undie Sunday Was A Success!

A big thank you to everyone that brought underwear and socks for the Tree of Life Ministry on the Rosebud Reservation. The following items were donated:

- For men and boys: 79 pairs of underwear, 51 pairs of socks, Thermals—4 bottoms and 3 tops, 12 Tee shirts.
- For women and girls: 79 pairs of underwear, 89 pairs of socks, 2 sets of cuddle duds, 2 tops
- One child's top and bottom