

ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
25th Sunday after Pentecost November 6, 2016

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

10:15 A.M.

PRELUDE “Voluntary on ‘Let Us Break Bread Together’”
Franklin D. Ashdown

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised!

**People: Each day God brings to us new opportunities to learn
and grow.**

Leader: God is near to all of us.

People: We will not fear to call upon the Lord.

Leader: Come, let us praise God who walks with us daily.

**People: Let us open our hearts and spirits to God who loves
and lives with us. AMEN.**

***HYMN** “God is Here” #660, UMH

OPENING PRAYER

THE FIRST READING Haggai 1:15b-2:9 OT #948

***THE GOSPEL READING** Luke 20:27-38 NT #106

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON “Rising from Death”

***HYMN** “Close to Thee” #407, UMH

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

Let us name before God those for whom we offer our prayers.

PASTORAL PRAYER

ANTHEM “Olivet (My Faith Looks Up to Thee)” Tedd Didden

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY “O God Beyond All Praising” David Blackwell

*DOXOLOGY #95, UMH

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

O Lord of hosts, we marvel at your faithfulness. You keep your promise to remain with us by your Holy Spirit. Help us to trust you in every difficulty. Empower us to share the good news of your abiding presence with our neighbors and friends. Accept our offerings, building up this community of faith so that we may serve others with the love of Jesus. We pray in his name. Amen. (*Haggai 1:15b-2:9*)

*HYMN “Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast” (Verses 1, 3, 4)
#616, UMH

SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II #12, UMH

Musical Setting A #17, UMH

Ours is an open Communion Table and all who believe are welcome to partake. We serve unfermented grape juice that all may participate.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

*HYMN “Standing on the Promises” #374, UMH

BENEDICTION

Following the blessing you may be seated as the candles are extinguished.

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

POSTLUDE “All Saints” David Thorne

**Congregation stands as able*

WELCOME TO ASBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Our Vision is to be the church that displays the love of Christ and connects with people of all walks of life through our ministry, creative services, discipleship, and outreach.

“Our Mission is to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ and share God’s love with others.”

If you are visiting with us for the first time we thank you for worshipping with us and pray that this was a spiritually uplifting experience that will make a difference in the week to come.



In Memory of: Joseph Leddy
Given by: The Leddy and Hudson Families

WORSHIP SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

Liturgist: Marilyn Ziegler
Scripture Reader: Deb Kontra
Organist: Tedd Didden

LAST WEEK

ATTENDANCE WEEK: 57

Please remember to sign in each Sunday.

OFFERING WEEK:

Envelope (General)	\$ 963.00
Plate	63.00
Miscellaneous (Flea Market)	40.00
Miscellaneous (Change Jar)	30.00
Total	<u>\$1,131.00</u>

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Carol Gajewski, Silver Stream Center, 905 Penllyn Pike, Spring House, PA 19477; **Ed Miller**, Golden Living Center, 25 W 5th ST, Lansdale PA 19446; **Henry Schlotterer**, Arden Courts, 620 W Valley Forge RD, King of Prussia, PA 19406; **Thelma Sme**e, Cokesbury Village, Healthcare Center, 726 Loveville RD, Hockessin, DE 19707; **Bill Swier**, Regina Nursing Home, RM 211, 550 E Fornance ST, Norristown, PA 19401; **Elizabeth(Betty) Wright**, Gwynedd Square Nursing Home, 773 Sunneytown Pike, Lansdale PA 19446 B32B

PRAYERS FOR ENCOURAGEMENT & HEALING: Edith Barbone, Lois & Tom Benning, Brooks Family, Robin Blattner & the Blattner Family, Ben & Dolores Curll, Stephen, Matt & Will Deering, Scotti DeMartinis & Jenny & Family, William Eliasson, Jessie Emerson, David Frees, Sue & Anthony Fuschetto, Marian Giangiulio, Cecelia Hampton-Fitzgerald, Mary Ann Keating, Sandy Killian, Meaghen King, Roger Layne, Eileen Lenzi, Marilyn Lewis, Bill McCarron, Damon Oliver, Sherri Rinehart, Caroline Schwab, Gabe & Sherbi Seerattan, Hazel Shanaman, Mason Shapiro, Henry Solis, Linda Swier, Jim Thompson, Earl Walter, and Wayne Wylie, Sr.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE ARMED SERVICES: Daniel Fineran, (Marine) and Brett Santai, (Navy)



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