

Asbury

United Methodist Church

Senior Pastor, Dr. V. Scott Harris

Associate Pastor, Rev. Mike Luzinski

Membership Pastor, Dr. Barbara Riddle

Minister of Music & Congregational Care, Tom Pieper

April 15, 2018

8:15 and 11:00 AM



Welcome and Kingdom Opportunities Dr. V. Scott

Harris

Change4Change Announcement

***Passing the Peace**

Please take a moment to greet the people around you with a warm smile and a handshake.

Prelude

“See, What A Morning!”

Arr; McDonald

Alisa Alexander and Lani Schumacher

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

***Call To Worship**

Leader: Goodness is stronger than evil.

People: Love is stronger than hate.

Leader: Light is stronger than darkness.

People: Life is stronger than death.

Leader: Victory is ours through Jesus, who loved us and loves us still.

People: Let us worship our Easter God!

Invocation

***Hymn #155 “All Hail The Power of Jesus’ Name” vs. 1, 2, 4, 6**

Prayer of Confession

God, you have made known to us the ways of life.

Yet too often we put other things above you.

**We turn away from the ways of life and fall back into old habits,
destructive routines, numb living.**

Forgive us and guide us back into your presence

that we may know the fullness of joy. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Organ Interlude

Declaration of Pardon

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Special Music

“Magnify The Lord”

Arr: Fettke 8:15

Grace Notes

“Excellent”

Arr: Duren 11:00

Michelle Rosario-Gonzalez-Soloist

Exaltation

2018-2019 PASTORAL APPOINTMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Karisa Workman

Invitation to Kids' Worship **11:00**

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Anthem

"Not Too Far From Here" Arr: Fettke **8:15**

Grace Notes

"Well Done" Arr: Knight **11:00**

Exaltation

*Doxology

Scripture

John 20:19-29

Pew Bible Page 1686

*Hymn #171 *"There's Something About That Name"*

Message

Dr. V. Scott Harris

An Encounter With The Risen Christ

"Doubt"

*Hymn #337

"Only Trust Him"

vs. 1-4

*Benediction

*Congregation Response

Refrain

#337 *"Only Trust Him"*

Postlude *"O Sons And Daughters, Let Us Sing"* Arr: Smith

Alisa Alexander and Lani Schumacher

ASSISTING IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Minister of Music

Tom Pieper

Worship Leader

8:15: Shawn Klein

11:00: Patricia Orlando

Scripture Reader:

8:15: Shawn Klein

11:00: Julie Denmon

Ushers

8:15: Bob Burkhart, John Berry, Jr., Dallas Wolford, Ed Mathieu, Tom Moore

11:00: Marcie Morin, Derek Scott, Roger Stover, Bob Barton, Susan Hoke

Greeters

8:15: Mike Williams, Terry & Sue Sneiderman, Ruth Sprous

11:00: Charles & Joy Row, Norleen Hilliard, Pat Lockeby

THE FLOWERS AT THE SANCTUARY WORSHIP CENTER are placed to the glory of God and in memory of Myrtle Willis by David and Wanda Brown.

CELEBRATION

April 15, 2018

9:30 AM

Dr. V. Scott Harris

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Passing the Peace

"It Is Well (With My Soul)"

"Your Love Defends Me"

Morning Prayer

Invitation to Kids' Worship

"Lord I Need You"

Scripture John 20:19-29

Message Pastor Scott

An Encounter With the Risen Christ

"Doubt"

Offering

"Overcome"

Responsive Liturgy

"I'll Fly Away Medley"

Benediction

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Worship Leader Chris Kovic

Video Technician Kitty Kovic

Joe Bradford

Sound Technician Steve Johnson

Greeters/Offering Rick and Kathy Clements

Set Up The McDavid Family

Praise Team: Stephen Aldridge, Nikki Alvarez, Steve Davis, James Garoutsos, Michelle Rosario-Gonzalez, Terri Ikemeier, Steve Marsee, Steve Peck, Art Scott, Lisa Wallace

Next Week
April 22, 2018
8:15 & 11:00 AM
Dr. V. Scott Harris
“Some Unfinished Business”
9:30 AM
Rev. Mike Luzinski

ASBURY UMC KINGDOM OPPORTUNITIES 04/15/2018

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please keep the following beloved in your prayers: BJ Abbott, Lou Allen, Robin Andre', Gerry Aycrigg, Randy Baird, Bob Barton, Maxine Bartz, Janet Bateson, Willow Bevin, Paul & Jane Bilyeu, Linda Binge, Larry Bittle, Woody Blaker, Linda Burkhart, Edith Burt, Hal Card, Harold Card, Jr., Sharon Case, Ben Celones, Kathy Clason, Jack Cooper, Ken Corbett, Beth Daniels, Ben Defrin, Wayne Ege, Ray Entrekim, Bryan Erickson, Daryk Erickson, Hetty Evans, Charlie File, Laurie Gatus, Bob & Ricki Goodin, Tag Greene, Michael Groves, Midge Guest, Mary Hanley, Peggy Harris, Dan Hendricks & family, Ann Herzog, Charley Hogue, Janet Hunter, Art Hutchinson, Deborah Jaffe, Greg Johnson, Harry Johnston, Teresa Johnston, Richard Kaiser, Karen Kaufman, Joan Kessler, George King, Anne Kirby, Betty Kirk, Patty Kirkland, Jean Kloefer, Marie Koch, Hunter Kopman and his parents, Frank Marcey, Gerry McDonald, Jed McGahey, John and Joyce McLeod, Jim McNabb, Gabby Moldin, the family of Lorraine Paige, Loretta Peters, Albert Phillips, Nancy Pilk, Renell Preston, Peggy Rester, Betty Richelieu, Carr Robinson, Aida Rodriguez, Marcia Russell, Mary Beth Russell, Amy Schumacher, Sam Schumacher, Gerald Shelley, Terry Sneiderman, Ron Staehler, Roger Stover, Nancy Trinchitella, Claire Watson, Bobby Weiser, Earl Witmer, Joan Wrenn.

CHURCH PICNIC: TODAY, starting at 12:30 pm at the Maitland Community Park, 1400 Mayo Ave., Maitland. Menu is hot dogs provided and you bring a dish to share according to your last name. A to I: bring salads or appetizers, J to S: bring entrees, sides or vegetables. T to Z: bring desserts or beverages. Directions to the park are enclosed in the bulletin.

RETIREMENT SERVICE: Friday, June 8th, will be the retirement service at the UMC Annual Conference at Florida Southern College. The service will be held at the 1:30 session in Branscomb Auditorium. Come and share in the joy and sadness of Pastor Scott Harris' retirement from 43 years as a United Methodist pastor.

ONE COMBINED SERVICE: Sunday, June 10th, will be one combined service

beginning at 10:00 AM with a luncheon to honor Pastor Scott Harris immediately following the service in the fellowship hall. All are invited to attend.

WANTED! PART TIME FACILITIES MAINTENANCE ASST.: We have an opening for a person 8–10 hours per week to work Wednesday and Saturday evenings reporting to our Facilities Manager. This is an opportunity to earn extra income a few hours a week for the right person. Minimum age 18 years old with references. Contact John Berry for details. 407-644-5222.

NURSERY WORKERS NEEDED: We are currently seeking an adult for our nursery staff. This position will be scheduled for Wednesday Night Live and Sunday services covering 4-8 hours a week. Contact John Berry at 407-644

UMW ACTIVITIES

WOMEN'S CIRCLES: The Hannah Circle meets on the 2nd Friday at 9:30 am in the parlor, Mary Martha Circle meets on the 2nd Wednesday at 10:00 am in the parlor, Ruth Circle meets on the 3rd Monday at 7:00 pm in the parlor. If you would be interested in joining one of these circles or for more information, contact Carla Smith via email at kevcar67@gmail.com.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: The Women's book club meets on the third Thursday of each month in the parlor at 10:00 am. The book for May is *The Orphan Train* by Cristina Baker Klein. All women are invited to join.

SISTERS IN CHRIST BANQUET: Friday, May 11, 2018, 6:30 pm in the fellowship hall. Tickets go on sale Sunday, April 15th after each service.

UMM ACTIVITIES

SATURDAY BREAKFAST: All men are invited to the Saturday breakfast on **May 5th**, at 7:30 am in the fellowship hall. Shawn Klein will be the speaker. Bring a friend and enjoy a full and hearty breakfast.

OURM MINISTRY: The next visit by Asbury men to the Orlando Union Rescue Mission is **TODAY**. They meet in the fellowship hall parking lot and leave at 6:15 pm. Please place toiletries in the containers in the narthex for the men and women clients of the mission. Contact: Bob Burkhart.

BOX TOPS: PLEASE keep on bringing box tops to church. Lake Orienta school really appreciates them. You may also bring Progresso soup labels as they have box tops on them. Basket is in the narthex hallway.

COMMUNION SERVICE: Join us on the third Sunday of each month for communion. It is held in the chapel immediately following the 8:15 service. Our next service is **TODAY**.

ASBURY WORSHIP CHOIR: The Asbury Worship Choir is looking for you! If you can carry a tune, come join us for a fun filled time of praising our Lord in song. Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings in the choir room from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm.

2018 FLOWER CALENDAR: There are still several dates available for you to sign up for altar flowers. The calendar is located in the narthex. Please print legibly your name and to whom or what you would like to dedicate the flowers in memory or in honor. Cost is \$50 for both arrangements.

CHANGE4CHANGE: It is time again for our visit from the UCF Wesley Foundation students who are bringing their Change4Change buckets. The funds that are raised are used to help these students work on mission projects. Please take a bucket **TODAY**, and fill it with your loose change. A time will be given as to when the bucket needs to be returned.

ASBURY'S VAN MINISTRY: Our Asbury van ministry is always in need of additional drivers. The van picks up our members and friends from assisted living facilities each Sunday for the 11:00 service. Contact Dennis Stevenson at (407) 920-0263 to volunteer or for more information. **CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES**

BUDS & BLOSSOMS: We're "bloomin' for Jesus." Join us on Sunday mornings in Room 16 for Kids' Worship from 9:30 to 10:30 and 11:00 to 12:00. We are seeking **volunteers** during the 9:30 and 11:00 services to assist or lead Sunday school lessons. Please contact Kendra Roark via email at roark.kendra@gmail.com for details.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Get your eye patch ready, buff your peg leg and mark your calendar ... VBS: Shipwrecked is coming! **June 25-29**. Youth and Adult volunteers are needed to make this a success!

2018 PRESCHOOL CAMP: Summer is approaching quickly and Asbury UMC and Early Learning Center will be here to provide your little ones with a fun place to go. Summer camp will be open to ages 2-5 years only. We will operate Monday – Thursday from 9 am – 1 pm. There are no registration fees. Rates are \$95/week (if paid in advance), or \$25 a day.

SUMMER MUSIC CAMP: SAVE THE DATES of July 9th thru 13th, 9:00 to 12:00, for the most fun music camp ever. Kids ages 6 thru 14 are invited to join. The project to be worked on is called *THE NOT SO TERRIBLE PARABLE: THE MYSTERIOUS WHODONIT ABOUT THE GOOD SAMARITAN*, with the project being presented Friday night, July 13th. Registration will begin soon.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

ROOTED: Our youth meet every Sunday morning in the youth room from 9:30 to 11:00.

SPAGHETTI DINNER: Friday, May 18th, from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Our rooted youth are planning a spaghetti dinner and competition between youth and adults. Tickets are on sale NOW after each service and in the office. Cost is \$10.00. Come ready to eat and compete! Proceeds will go to help with mission costs.

WARREN WILLIS CAMP: June 11th thru 17th. Our youth will spend a week experiencing God through fun activities and fellowship with youth from all over Florida.

KEY WEST MISSION TRIP: Our youth will be assisting in Irma relief and serving the community of Key West during the week of July 23rd through July 28th.

VOLUNTEERS: We are always looking for volunteers to help with Youth activities. Please contact Jake Burton via email at wjburton21@gmail.com.

YES GROUP: Our Young Energetic Seniors (YES), adults ages 50 and over, meet the second Tuesday of each month for lunch and a program. Our last meeting will be **Tuesday, May 8th**, in the fellowship hall and the theme is National Hamburger Month. The menu is hamburgers on buns (with all the fixins'), cole slaw, baked beans, chips, watermelon, s'more cake. The program is a Barber Shop Quartet. The group will resume in September.

CONSTELLATION: The Constellation group, which is a group for adults college age through early 30's, meets Monday evenings at 6:30 pm. If you would be interested in more information about this group, please contact Pastor Mike via email at pastormike@asburyumc.com or call him at 407-644-5222.

RED BAG MINISTRY:

Please remember to pick up the brand new Red Food Bags with the beautiful Asbury Logo. These bags will now be used to supply food for the Hungerford School Pantry. We will continue to collect bags on the **3rd Sunday** and return them on the **4th Sunday** for delivery to the school shortly after. Since this is a community pantry, we do not have to be as concerned about size of cans and boxes. There is a box in the narthex marked "**Kicks and Coats for Kids**" where you may bring new or gently used children's shoes, coats, jackets, socks, and gloves to be given out to the children at Hungerford. Sizes would be for children ages 6 thru 11.

PRISON MINISTRY: Each week on Sunday mornings, Paul Schumacher brings prayer requests for any who are interested to pray for the inmates at the Central Florida Reception Center which is a part of the Florida Department of Corrections. Paul is part of the ministry called Prison Fellowship. If you would be willing to take one or more of these prayer requests, please see Paul after the services. If you have any interest in visiting Jesus in prison by becoming part of this ministry, you may contact Paul Schumacher at pdschu@cfl.rr.com.

PRAYER MINISTRY: Our prayer ministry team is a vital ministry for our church. They meet once a month as a group and then someone prays over our prayer requests in the chapel every day. The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, April 25th**, at 1:30 pm in the Welcome Friends classroom. If you feel led to be a member of this ministry, please contact Mavis Treat at 407-699-8654.

PETAL PUSHERS: Our petal pushers team thanks those of you who donate the altar flowers on Sundays. Because of your generosity, we have been sharing God's love and brightening the days of other Asbury family members. If you've been a recipient of flowers, we thank you for returning the vases to us. We'd like to remind you that we are always in need of vases should you ever have extras or visit garage sales where they are plentiful. Also, we need greeting cards. So gather up any old cards you're ready to part with so we can continue to cut out the picture, post our Asbury greeting on the back, and tie it to the bouquet. Leave any donations on the table in the workroom. Thank you.

SERVING THE LORD AT ASBURY

- **ALTAR GUILD:** April – Bonnie Stout, Debbie Aldridge
- **FELLOWSHIP TIME CLEANUP:** April – New Beginnings Class
- **SANCTUARY ANGELS:** Camille Piering, Betty Kendall, Molly Verbraeken, Ruth Sprous, Karen Jensen, Grace Southern, Pat Woodard
- **PETAL PUSHERS:** Stephen & Debbie Aldridge, 2nd and 4th Monday: Christen Cavanaugh, 3rd Monday-Joy Row and Janna Fatic
- **PRO PRESENTER:** Kitty Kovic, Joe Bradford, Art Hutchinson, Greg Lee
- **SOUND TECHNICIAN:** Greg Lee, Steve Johnson
- **VAN DRIVERS:** April – Dennis Stevenson, Kevin Smith, Bob Anoka