

Asbury

United Methodist Church

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Senior Pastor, Dr. V. Scott Harris
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Next Generation Pastor, Keith Tusing
Worship Pastor, Tom



8:15 and 11:00 AM

Welcome and Kingdom Opportunities Dr. V. Scott Harris

***Passing the Peace**

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

Prelude

“There Is None Like You”

Arr: Tornquist

Alisa Alexander

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

***Call To Worship**

Leader: *This is the good news: the grave is empty; Christ is risen*

People: Hallelujah!

Leader: *This is the good news: the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness can never put it out.*

People: Hallelujah!

Leader: *This is the good news: once we were no people; now we are God's people.*

People: Hallelujah!

Leader: *Christ is our peace, the indestructible peace we now share with each other.*

People: Hallelujah!

Invocation

***Hymn #715 “Rejoice, The Lord Is King”**

vs. 1-4

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, through the rising of your Son from the grave you broke the power of death and condemned death itself to die. Though numbed by death and aware of our complicity in it, we are here hesitantly but gladly to confirm the rumor that you are alive. We celebrate this great triumph, even as we confess that it is not yet the model for our living.

Make it so, O God, and make us new. Amen.

Silent Prayer and Organ Interlude

Declaration of Pardon

Minister: *Friends, believe the good news.*

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Grace Notes

“I Will Sing Praise”

Arr: Knight **11:00**

Exaltation

“Post Easter Hangover” Video

**Morning Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer**

Invitation to Kids’ Worship 11:00

***Hymn “All Hail King Jesus”
“Majesty”**

Offertory Anthem

***“People Need The Lord”* Arr: Fettke 8:15
Grace Notes**

***“At The Sound Of His Voice”* Arr: Clydesdale 11:00
Exaltation**

***Doxology**

**Scripture Luke 24:13-35
Pew Bible Page 1642**

Message

Dr. V. Scott Harris

“When Doubt Gives Way To Assurance”

***Hymn #163 “Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know” vs. 1, 3, 4**

***Benediction**

***Congregation Response**

“Majesty”

Postlude

Alisa Alexander

ASSISTING IN TODAY’S SERVICE

**Minister of Music
Tom Pieper**

Worship Leader

8:15: Kathy Peck

11:00: Paul Schumacher

Scripture Readers

8:15: Patricia Orlando

11:00: Charles Row

Ushers

8:15: Paul McCormick, Gary Noll, Hal Card, Renoula McCormick

11:00: Larry Pennington, Ivan Valdes, Chuck Burt, Stacy Smith, Phil Kopman

Greeters

8:15: Diane Johnson, Bea Smith, Ruth Sprou, Hillary Swengel

11:00: Kay Estill, Joan Bittle, Mary Rubeis, Amy Story

THE FLOWERS AT THE SANCTUARY WORSHIP CENTER are placed to the glory of God and in honor of their 35th anniversary by Skip and Bette Hillman.

CELEBRATION

April 23, 2017
9:30 AM
Dr. V. Scott Harris

Welcome and Kingdom Opportunities Dr. Harris

Passing the Peace

“All The Earth Will Sing Your Praises”

“Holy Spirit”

Morning Prayer

“Great Are You Lord”

Invitation to Kids’ Worship

“Post Easter Hangover” Video

Message Dr. V. Scott Harris

“When Doubt Gives Way To Assurance”

Offering

“Blessed Assurance”

Responsive Liturgy

“Shout Hosanna”

“One Way”

Benediction

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Worship Leader Chris Kovic

Pro Presenter Technician Kitty Kovic

Joe Bradford

Sound Technician Steve Johnson

Jeremy Pellegrine

Greeters/Offering/Set up Jean Belyeu, Jean Johnston, Gail Roberts, Terry Aycrigg

ASBURY UMC KINGDOM OPPORTUNITIES 4/23/2017

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please keep the following beloved in your prayers: BJ Abbott, Lou Allen, Robin Andre', Randy Baird, Bob Barton, Maxine Bartz, Dorothy Belyeu, John Berry, Sr., Willow Bevin, Jane & Paul Bilyeu, Linda Binge, Larry Bittle, Grace Bridge, Edith Burt, Camille Bybee, Hal Card, Harold Card, Jr., Sharon Case, Jack Cooper, Beth Daniels, Jocelyn Diehl, Rhonda Dohora, Wayne Ege, Haven Ellis, Hetty Evans, Lori Faller, Charlie File, Laurie Gatus, Bob & Ricki Goodin, Michael Groves, Linda Hall, Mary Hanley, Ann Herzog, Zachary Hunt, Janet Hunter, Barbara Jackson, Deborah Jaffe, Greg Johnson, the Joseph Family, Karen Kaufman, George King, Anne Kirby, Betty Kirk, Richard Kaiser, Marie Koch, D. A. Lewis, Herman Long, Frank Marcey, Mac McCauslin, Joe McGahey, John and Joyce McLeod, Jim McNabb, Gabby Moldin, John Moore, John Michael Night, Vicki Partida, Albert Phillips, Nancy Pilk, Peggy Rester, Betty Richelieu, Aida Rodriguez, Rose Marie Rushforth, Marcia Russell, Mary Beth Russell, the Jim Rustin family, Roy Sampley, Stephen Sauls, Gerald Shelley, Terry Sneiderman, Ron Staehler, Bobby Weiser, Joan Wrenn.

FAMILY CHURCH PICNIC: Save the date of **Sunday, April 30th** for a fun filled time at the Maitland Community Park on 1400 Mayo Ave., Maitland. Time will be from 12:00 pm to dark. Bring a dish to share and join in the fun.

VBS MAKER FUN FACTORY COMING SOON: Save the dates of June 19 thru June 23 for a fun filled week of Vacation Bible School. Volunteers needed. For more information, contact Keith Tusing via email at keith@cmbuzz.com.

MOUNTAIN T.O.P. MISSION: The Mountain T.O.P. mission trip for senior high youth is scheduled for July 14th thru July 22nd. Total cost is \$400.00 and the first deposit of \$100.00 is due NOW. This mission trip is for youth entering 9th grade and above. For more info contact Pastor Keith via email at keith@cmbuzz.com.

WARREN WILLIS CAMP: July 11th thru 16th. Camp registration is open to students as young as rising fourth graders to students who are graduated seniors! Register online or for more info contact Pastor Keith.

YES GROUP: The Asbury YES Group (all youngsters age 50 plus) will meet on Tuesday, **May 9th**. Lunch will be served at 12:00 and the program will begin at 12:30. The menu is meat loaf, salad, tater tot casserole, peas, rolls, cherry dessert. The program is Adam's Road Ministry.

PAUL CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: The Big Red Bus will be in our fellowship hall parking lot on **Sunday, May 28th**. Please donate and help save a life.

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, and Trinity Circle meets on the 3rd Wednesday at 10:30 am in the parlor. If you would be interested in joining one of these circles, contact Carla Smith, kevcar67@gmail.com.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB: Like to read? Now is the time to join the Asbury Women's Book Club that meets in the parlor on the 3rd Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be **Thursday, May 18th** at 10:00 am. The book for May is **The Traveler's Gift** by Andy Andrews.

MOTHERS-DAUGHTERS-SISTERS IN CHRIST BANQUET: The UMW is planning their annual Mothers-Daughters-Sisters in Christ banquet for **Friday, May 12th**, from 6:30 to 9:00 pm in the fellowship hall. The theme is Wedding so wear your wedding, bridesmaids, mother-of, etc. dress and come and enjoy dinner, fellowship and fun. \$12.00 per adult and \$6.00 for girls 11 and under. Tickets go on sale Sunday, April 23rd. They are also looking for wedding photo submissions for a slideshow.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: A four week study will be offered May 10th – May 31st, exploring the power of a simple prayer (Max Lucado's "Beyond Amen"). It will be in the Welcome Friends class room from 9:30 – 10:30 am. Contact Jeanne Farmer (jeannef6@gmail.com) if you have questions. All women are welcome.

UMM ACTIVITIES

SATURDAY BREAKFAST: All men are invited to the Saturday breakfast on **May 6th** at 7:30 am in the fellowship hall. The speaker will be **Mr. Tom Houk** of First United Methodist Church, Winter Park. He will be informing us about Human Trafficking. 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**. **Joe McGahey** is the speaker and Debbie Aldridge is the pianist. 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 Burkhardt.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDIES: If you are looking for a men's Bible study, then you are invited to join the **JIM TERRY BIBLE STUDY** group on Wednesday mornings from 7:00 am to 8:00 am in the parlor, the **PROMISE KEEPERS** on Friday mornings from 7:00 am to 8:00 am or both if you desire. All men are welcome and bring a friend.

CROSS AND FLAME MAGNET: Show your pride and purchase a United Methodist emblem magnet from the UMM. Magnets are selling for \$5.00. They are available in the church office or contact a member of the UMM for more info.

SAC CHANGES: There is one change to the April calendar for SAC activities. The Monday, April 24th business and social meeting should be Tuesday, April 25th, at 10:00 am.

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 26th, 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.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN AN EASTERN EUROPEAN TOUR??? March 5th-14th, 2018 — Approximate Cost \$3349 excluding tips. 10 Days of the splendors of Eastern Europe -- Including Vienna, Berlin, Prague, Budapest, Dresden, Bratislava. We will not book the trip unless we can get a minimum of 22 people committed. For more information contact Pastor Scott via email at pastorscott@asburyumc.com.

PETAL PUSHERS: Over the past fifteen years, Von Hancock has been in charge of our Petal Pushers. During that period of time they delivered flowers every Monday to our shut-ins in nursing homes and private homes in the area. There were two volunteers each Monday to arrange the flowers into bud vases and take them to the various locations for a visit. Unfortunately, Von is no longer able to continue the Petal Pushers program, and neither are the other volunteers who have given their time to this ministry over many, many years. We still would like to keep this ministry functioning if possible. **If anyone would like to take leadership of this much needed ministry, please call the church office at 407-644-5222**

SCRIPTURE READERS: We need volunteers to read scripture at the 11:00 am service on Sunday mornings. If you would be willing to help please let the Receptionist in the front office know. It would only be two or three times a year and is a wonderful way to help praise our God!

LIVE STREAMING: Want to help with our live streaming ministry? We need volunteers to help us live stream on Facebook Live at the 9:30 and 11:00 worship service. If you are interested in volunteering please email Shawn Klein at shawnklein@ymail.com.

BOX TOPS: PLEASE keep on bringing box tops to church. Lake Orienta school really appreciates them. They are able to buy much needed supplies. Basket is in the narthex hallway.

RED BAG MINISTRY: Just a reminder, we now have 64 bags to pack each week. You may bring items for the pantry at any time. Help us keep our children from going hungry. Remember to pick up a RED BAG on the **third Sunday** and return it on the **fourth Sunday** filled with the items requested on the attached list. Remember...**NO GLASS CONTAINERS, NO EXTRA LARGE BOXES.** Please check dates of expiration on cans and packages. Remember that the 1st graders are small folks: small cans, packets of tuna, single serve fruit and vegetables. **Please continue to support this ongoing ministry.** Thank you.

SERVING THE LORD AT ASBURY

- **ALTAR GUILD: April:** Kay Estill, Debbie Aldridge
- **FELLOWSHIP TIME CLEANUP: April:** Open Door Class
- **SANCTUARY ANGELS:** Camille Piering, Betty Kendall, Molly Verbraeken, Ruth Sprous, Karen Jensen, Grace Southern, Pat Woodard
- **PRO PRESENTER:** Kitty Kovic, Joe Bradford, Art Hutchinson, Greg Lee
- **SOUND TECHNICIAN:** Greg Lee, Steve Johnson, Jeremy Pellegrine
- **VAN DRIVERS: April:** Bob Anoka, Scott Stratton