

**OUR PRAYERS**

**Baptist Rehab**  
Margaret Burrows 235-2

**Allen Morgan Rehab**  
Bill Quinn 133

**Hospice Care**  
Mary Stanley

**At Home**

Peggy Nolan  
Norris Gabriel  
Martha Meyer  
Lynda Park  
Amy Posey  
Julie Hendren  
Margaret Miller

**Please remember our homebound**

Martha Allen June Burton Joan Clark  
Gerri Colosia Mava Dell Fry Earl Galloway  
Helen Griffin Marie Hughes Donnie Jones  
James Matlock Martha Meyer Lorene Nance  
Doris Palazzini Jane Pifer Bernice Shelby  
Emmett Smith Harold Smith Betty Smithmier  
Martha Wallace

**OUR PRESENCE**

**June 1**

Church School 36  
Worship 60  
Visitors 3

**OUR GIFTS**

**June 1**

This Week's Offering \$ 5,170  
MTD \$ 5,170

**OUR SERVICE**

**June 8**

**Greeters** Margaret Ann Ligon  
Audrey Weaver  
**Liturgist** Bruce Hughes  
**Scripture** Lisa Hughes  
**Children's Time** Frances Morris  
**Lock-up** Wayne Lawrence

**OUR WITNESS**

**June Scripture Readers**

15 Tom Lockhart  
22 Barry Mathis  
29 Renee Little



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## A LITTLE LEVITY ALONG THE WAY

I wonder why  
In mid July  
I wish that it was cold?  
I wonder why,  
Because I'm shy,  
I wish that I were bold?  
And when its seen  
That trees are green  
I wish that they were red?  
Or had a chance  
To do a dance  
But went to bed instead?  
There seems no way  
That I can say  
I'm ever satisfied.  
But with some age  
I find I'm sage  
Because I haven't died!

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Scripture Readings for June 8th:

Psalm 104: 24-34

John 7: 37-39

Sermon:

"Rivers of Living Water"

**LÖÖKING AHEAD**

- Sun. 6/8 Pentecost Sunday  
9:15a Prayer Time  
9:45a Sunday School  
10:55a Worship  
12:15p Camp Aldersgate Cookout
- Mon. 6/9 8:00a AFLS Day Camp  
Noon News Deadline
- Tue. 6/10 8:00a AFLS Day Camp  
10:00a Koinonia Group
- Wed. 6/11 8:00a AFLS Day Camp  
10:30a Meth. Hospital Aux.  
7:00p Choir Rehearsal
- Thu. 6/12 8:00a AFLS Day Camp  
10:00a Bible Study
- Fri. 6/13 8:00a AFLS Day Camp  
Offices Closed  
6:30p 'Strings, Wind & Opera'  
Concert-Sanctuary
- Sat. 6/14 No Activities
- Sun. 6/15 Trinity Sunday  
Father's Day  
9:15a Prayer Time  
9:45a Sunday School  
10:15a Donuts for Dad  
10:55a Worship

**June 22** - Farewell Dinner for Paul & Barbara.

**YOU WANT TO BE A COMMUNION STEWARD**  
Communion Stewards are needed beginning in July, to set up communion each month. Call the church office, 683-8861, if you are interested.

**'STRINGS, WIND & OPERA'**

**PRESENTED BY ART FOR LIFE'S SAKE**

...at 6:30 p.m., Friday, June 13, in the Aldersgate Sanctuary. This fundraising event will feature Art for Life's String Ensemble with guest guitarist Howard Vance, flutist Beverly Vance and singers Marcus King and Tanisha Ward. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for seniors, \$5 for students, and may be purchased from Dean Tutor, 274-0089, or at [www.artforlifessake.org](http://www.artforlifessake.org).



**VAYA CON DIOS & BON VOYAGE**

Very soon we will be saying farewell to Brother Paul and Barbara as our pastoral couple. You are invited to a catered dinner on June 22 after worship, to say your good-byes. This will be a special celebration of their time and service with us, as we send them on to see what God has in store for them. There is no charge for dinner but reservations are **required**. Please call or email the church office, 683-8861, [office@agumc.org](mailto:office@agumc.org), or sign up on the office window.

**GOING PLACES**

Check the bulletin board by the kitchen for additional information about the following tours:  
Sept. 8-11 Ozark Scenery Tour—Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, a top 100 destination for 2014, Sam Walton's Five & Dime Museum, tours of Rogers, Springdale and Fayetteville, AR.  
Oct. 16-19 Riverboat Rendezvous in Louisville, KY, celebrating the 100th birthday of the Belle of Louisville, another top 100 attraction. Eight other riverboats are being brought in for races, boat trips and boat parades on the Ohio River. Also included are breakfast at Churchill Downs and an evening at the Derby Dinner Theater in southern Indiana. Don't miss this tour of a lifetime!  
Call Carolyn, 861-0841, to sign up.



**CAMP ALDERSGATE FAMILY CAMP**

Open to all ages, Saturday, June 7, from 10 to 2, join us for a day of crafts, lunch, Bible study, stories and fun!! And did I mention lunch? There may also be a few surprises along the way. Contact Perri, 831-2217 or [bamathis@att.net](mailto:bamathis@att.net), if you would like to help.



**UMW NEWS**

The Candle Burning Program of the Aldersgate United Methodist Women is an important channel of mission giving. For a gift of \$5 you may honor or memorialize a special person and have them added to our list to be lifted up in prayer on UMW/UMM Sunday.

Please give your money and information to Margaret Ann Ligon, our Mission Coordinator. Make checks out to Aldersgate **UM Women**. Thanks!

**WE SUPPORT THE UMNC FOOD PANTRY AT ASBURY**

United Methodist Neighborhood Centers served over 10,000 people last year through their food pantries. The people who come to food pantries are only allowed to shop once a month. Most of the time they receive food for one week. Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

You may not be aware but our partner church in the new Cooperative Parish is Asbury UMC, which has had a Food Pantry for close to 10 years. The food we collect is delivered to them. They give out about 25 bags of food per week. Please continue to support this important ministry. Thank you!

Sharon Lockhart  
Key Woman, UMNC



**FOOD PANTRY FOR JUNE**  
Canned Fruit



**ALDERSGATE MEN INVITED TO ASBURY**

The Asbury United Methodist Men invite all Aldersgate men to be their guests and join their meeting on Thursday, June 26, at 6:00 p.m., for dinner and a speaker. All men welcome. You don't have to be a member of UMM. Reservations are requested to allow for meal planning. You may call Roger Williams at 901-937-7607 or 901-283-2429, to reserve a spot.

**WEBMASTER NEEDED**

Are you tech savvy and do you like working on web pages? If so, you are who we need. We will soon be making changes to our web page and need someone who knows their way around. Please call the church office, 683-8861, and advise us of your talents. We have a job for you!

**COMMUNITY FLEA MARKET AT ASBURY NOW ON JUNE 14 7 A.M. to 2 P.M.**

Open to the community, you may rent a booth for \$20 for the whole day, (the size of 2 parking spaces), and make it your own personal rummage sale—contact Debbie Williams, 901-355-5397. You could come enjoy food from the concession stand and help support youth ministries. You can just show up and shop! Bring your friends and neighbors. There's fun to be had by all.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**  
There's nothing more honorable than a grateful heart.



**HONOR THY FATHER**

... or a special man in your life by giving an honorarium or memorial in his name. A special insert will appear in the Father's Day bulletin listing those honored. Please complete this form, enclose payment, and drop in the offering plate or return to the church office.

Given by \_\_\_\_\_

In honor of \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of \_\_\_\_\_

Please place gift(s) in Honorarium/Memorial Fund or \_\_\_\_\_ Fund