



# Please join us THIS WEEK AT ASBURY

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## CALENDAR

### Sunday, February 22

8:00 a.m. **Worship - In-Person and Online**

9:15 a.m. **Worship - In-Person and Online**

10:15 a.m. Adult Small Group: *Jesus Revealed*, Room 106

10:15 a.m. Caring Connections (Women's Fellowship Group): *Christianity and World Religions*,  
Library

11:00 a.m. **Non-Traditional Worship - In-Person and Online**

### Monday, February 23

10:15 a.m. Small Group Mondays: *The Final Days*, Room 106

6:30 p.m. Handbells, Room 106

### Tuesday, February 24

9:30 a.m. Coffee Group, Hospitality Room

11:00 a.m. Staff Meeting, Library

6:00 p.m. Cub Scouts Blue and Gold Banquet, Fellowship Hall

### Wednesday, February 25

4:30 p.m. Adult Small Group: *Invitation To John*, Library

5:15 p.m. Lenten Meal, Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. Lenten Study, Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. Joysingers Choir, Room 130

6:00 p.m. Youth Group, Room 001-004

6:45 p.m. sprouts (K-2nd Grade), Room 129

6:45 p.m. SpArK! (3rd-5th Grade), Room 128

7:00 p.m. Adult Choir, Chapel

### Thursday, February 26

### Friday, February 27

### Saturday, February 28

10:00 a.m. Cub Scouts Pinewood Derby Build, Fellowship Hall

### Sunday, March 1

8:00 a.m. **Worship - In-Person and Online**

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## WORSHIP AT ASBURY

**In-Person Worship:** Join us for In-Person Sunday Worship with traditional services at 8:00 and 9:15 a.m. and non-traditional service at 11:00 a.m.

**Online Worship:** If you cannot join us in-person for Sunday worship, we would love to see you online for traditional worship at 8:00 and 9:15 a.m. or non-traditional worship at 11:00 a.m. Share the invitation!

ONLINE: <https://sfasbury.online.church>

FACEBOOK: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/278047053749345>

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Lenten Meal:** Wednesday, February 25, 5:15-6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Join us for a meal for the whole family to enjoy! For a free-will donation to Tree of Life Ministry in Mission, SD, let Asbury take meal planning off your plate and put it into our kitchen! Bring the kids and join us! Menu: Baked Potato Bar and Salad

**Lenten Study “To Be Made Well”:** Wednesday, February 25, 6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Worship and discussion will be held around the tables at 6:00 p.m. We will use a study created by the Dakotas Cabinet based on the healing stories of Jesus – the pool of Bethsaida, the bleeding woman, the bent over woman, four friends, blind Bartimaeus. We will view a brief video from a Dakotas pastor, share in worship and discussion around the tables, and close with communion each week. Invite a friend to join us!

**Mat Weaving:** Wednesdays, March 4 and 18, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Room 005. Come make Plarn Sleeping Mats for Midwest Mission Distribution Center (MMDC). Plarn is plastic yarn made out of plastic grocery bags. The Sleeping Mats are sent internationally and locally. They are great for those who need a barrier between them and the hard ground. They have been sent for disaster relief, for the homeless, and for those who need temporary sleeping arrangements. Please sign up in the Mission Room (Room 005). Questions? Please contact Rennae at 605-261-2998.

**United Women in Faith:** Thursday, March 5, 12:30 p.m., Room 106. Our program will be “Mapping Our Meanderings” led by Rennae Petersen. The Union Gospel Mission gift will be spices, pasta, rice or other kitchen supplies. Please join us!

**By My Works:** Saturday, March 7, 8:00 a.m., Fellowship Hall. All men are invited to join us for breakfast and fellowship.

**Town Hall Meetings:** Sunday, March 8, 10:15 a.m. and 12:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Two Town Hall meetings – and optional tours – will be held at 10:15 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. A simple meal will be served from 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Come hear – and see – how the funds will be used to address significant building and infrastructure needs – including repairs to the exterior, HVAC, improved audio-visual, and essential facility upgrades that prepare our space for the next generation. Some of the areas involve structural repairs or replacements. Some include updating paint, flooring, bathrooms, kitchen, etc. These are not just cosmetic updates. They are investments in the place where lives are changed.

**DWU Highlanders and Wesleyan Bells:** Monday, March 9, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary. The Dakota Wesleyan University Highlanders vocal chorus and the Wesleyan Bells will perform at Asbury UMC. The DWU Spring Tour features a 14-voice select choir from DWU – the Highlanders. The Highlanders will feature both sacred and secular pieces. The Wesleyan Bells ring five octaves of handbells and three octaves of hand chimes. They are the only collegiate handbell ensemble in the Dakotas. Each year these groups perform for audiences in South Dakota and as far away as Chicago, Denver, Phoenix, Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Minneapolis, and Omaha. The concert is free and open to the public. Invite a friend for an evening of music!

**Comforters:** Wednesday, March 11, 9:30 a.m., Room 005. Comforters meet to put together small baby quilts. We match two flannel pieces of cloth, sew them together, turn them, and then tie them. Most of these small blankets are sent to Tree of Life, Mission, SD. A few blankets may be given to other non-profits in the Sioux Falls area. All are welcome to come and make the small quilts.

*For a complete calendar, please refer to our website [sfasbury.org](https://sfasbury.org) and click on Announcements. To receive the newsletter by email or mail, please contact Roxie at [rpogany@sfasbury.org](mailto:rpogany@sfasbury.org) or 605-332-8861.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Serve at Asbury!:** There are a number of ways to experience life-change with Christ by serving others at Asbury by getting involved in one of Asbury's Ministry Teams! Opportunities involve hospitality ministries such as ushers and greeters, music ministries, discipleship ministries, digital ministries, online service hosts, and more. If you're curious about volunteer opportunities or would like to get involved, checkout our [online serve card](#) today!

**Asbury Facebook Campus:** Join us on the Asbury Facebook Campus to stay connected with Asbury all week long as we gather online for Asbury staff check-ins, volunteer resources, Bible studies, and much, much more. The Asbury Facebook Campus is our primary hub for online ministry and you are invited to join the conversation by visiting <https://www.facebook.com/groups/278047053749345> today!

**Funeral Coordinator Needed:** Responsibilities include: visiting with the family, the pastor and the funeral home to determine what the family wants for lunch after the funeral; finding workers; and calling volunteers to provide cakes, bars or cookies for the lunch. Questions? Please call Linda Maxwell (336-7137) or Linda Marquardt (334-5584). If interested, please contact the church office or Pastor Kip. This is a volunteer position.

**HyVee Gift Cards at Asbury - Help Christ's Mission!:** HyVee gift cards may be purchased on Sunday mornings in the Hospitality Room. See Scott Roberts. You can also stop by the church office to get gift cards or mail a check and gift cards will be mailed to you. 5% of all sales come back to Asbury. These funds are used to fund mission projects throughout the year. Thank you for supporting this program.

**Sunday Worship By Phone:** Each week, in addition to our online services, people will have the opportunity to hear our weekly sermons and announcements without needing any sort of login or special code by dialing Asbury's Sunday Worship by Phone number at 605-221-1769. Each week's recording will be available by Sunday evening and we hope that it will serve as a meaningful point of connection for those unable to join us for our online services.

**Asbury Staff on Facebook Live:** Join a member of the Asbury Staff Monday-Friday at 10:00 a.m. on <https://www.facebook.com/groups/278047053749345>.

**Prayer Requests and Prayer Chain:** To submit a prayer request or to become part of the prayer chain, please fill out a Connection Card located in the pew or contact Pastor Matt at [matt@sfasbury.org](mailto:matt@sfasbury.org) or Pastor Kip at [kip@sfasbury.org](mailto:kip@sfasbury.org).

### OUR PURPOSE:

To experience the life-changing love and grace of Jesus Christ.

### OUR VISION:

To be a community that is experiencing life-change and growth because of Jesus.

### OUR MISSION:

To provide life-changing experiences with Christ by loving and accepting all, nurturing discipleship, and serving others.

## Online Giving Available

Giving online is easy and allows you to make a one time contribution or set up automatic recurring contributions and view your online giving history. Simply follow these steps: Go to [sfasbury.org](https://sfasbury.org) and click on "[Give Now](#)" then Click on the "Create Profile." Follow the onscreen instructions. Questions? Contact [accounting@sfasbury.org](mailto:accounting@sfasbury.org) or 605-332-8861.