

I hope everyone is surviving this winter and if you are like me – looking forward to Spring. There are things that I do appreciate about winter, like having a snow day. It is the opportunity to forget about what you had planned or were wanting to accomplish that day and to just have fun. Curl up on the couch and watch that movie you were wanting to see. Enjoy a second cup of coffee and read a magazine or start a book. Play games with your kids, spouse, or friend or put together a puzzle. If you are really adventurous – play outside in the snow. A snow day is the chance to act like a kid again and forget about all of the

"adulting" for one day.

This is part of having a robust leisure life. What do you do for fun or leisure? God wants us to experience "holy rest or leisure." Rest is worship, that is why it is one of the 10 Commandments -Remember the Sabbath and keep it holy. Rest doesn't mean sleep; it can be a number of things but it should not be work. Find a hobby or activity that interests you, look for new leisure opportunities to try and don't feel guilty about going out and having fun. My sister, Angie Sower, has taking up writing poetry and sent me one of her works and I want to share it with you.

## **Winter Sonnet**

On brisk and cloudless day where sun doth shine, I gaze beholding nature's goodly gifts. And when I dream of all that could be mine, My treasure fills my heart and spirit lifts. For all perdition's weight and mortal cares, A Holy Love bowed down, my griefs to share. For old rebellion's curse of foulest pain-A Savior gave His life; my soul to gain. How far remov'd is this te'restrial blight! Sweet metamorphosis from night to day. Abundant grace now falls so snowy white; Pure crystalline and sheer prismatic spray, And basest earthen tendencies made right In God with man: redemption from the clay. Enjoy your time of holy rest and find an activity that brings you joy – like a snow day.

Pastor Rob

Breakfast Food for Thought at the Bean & Bistro in Northwood Wed, February 5 at 8 am

Lunch Food for Thought at Ay Jalisco in LM, Wed, January 5 at Noon

## Føbruary 2020 Prayer Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Kennedy Mannes Jane Christianson	3 Sue Slattum Geneva Patterson Roger Wagner Tom Vorland	4 Neil Schrieber Carol Tiedman Deb Reuvers Mark Hove	5 Carrie Fritz Ron Reuvers Brock Mathahs Barbara Walser	6 Leann Dahn June Low Bill Young Christopher Low	7 Tim Hauge Sandy Nitcher Ivan Fredericks Ashley Carlson	8 Kim Mary Drake Tiedemann Caryl Dahn Katy Jaspers
9 Owen Mary Michelle Skellenger Jane Podgorniak	10 Domonic Greco Sheila Enderson Cheri Groe Robyn Wilder	11 Betty Robertson Delaney Imler Christopher Bakken	12 Mark Enderson Megan Peterson Nancy Whitesell	13 Jason Tiedemann Darla Beighley Collin Jaspers	14 Eileen Redinger Tracy Young Troy Low Dean Mueller	15 Brad Mary Diane Burdick Joanne Steinmetz Kristie Steinkamp
16 Shana Rogstad Thomas Low Cody Fredericks	17 Gabriel Irons NormaKay Martinson Payton Wilder	18 Kelly Grunhovd Kerby Christianson Tori Low Jane McMullen	19 Andrew Grunhovd Kylee Mannes LeAnn Steiff	20 Kate Budach Karissa Heath Ashley Fredericks	21 Ramon Erdahl Jon Skellenger Jordyn Hove Marty Mueller	22 Richard Schwarm Joe Young Jeff Steiff
23 Sharon Matthes Dennis Castle Brenda Meland	24 Carson Christianson RG Schwarm Duane Abrahams	25 Donna Lair Joyce Hauge Bobbi Hooks Jack Barber	26 Michael Walker Alex Citurs Sarah Barringer Nicol Williamson	27 Morgan Young Josh Imler Laurel Willig Seth Wilkins	28 Brian Young Scott Stucky Peal Podgorniak Skyler Williamson	29 Kaylea Mary Allen Jaspers Gerry Arnold Dorothy Prizler Gary Irons

## In Mission Together: 2019 Asbury UMC Report

In Mission Together encourages United Methodist Churches to support United Mission on local, conference, national and international levels, through giving and sharing in relationship, to fulfill Matthew 25 ("Whatever you did to the least of these you did for me")

And Matthew 28 ("Go into all the world and make disciples.")

Required giving: (\*)

Did your church pay apportionments? Yes
Did your church take special offerings? Yes
Did your church pay district askings? Yes
Did your church contribute to United Methodist
Missionaries? Yes

### \*FINANCIAL GIVING:

Suggested giving goal is \$3/member for local, conference, national and international categories for a total of \$12/member. Asbury UMC has 151 members for a total goal of \$453 per category or a total of \$1,812.

## Local Giving: [Goal \$453.00]

Toys for Tots = \$616.13
Asbury UMC Camperships=\$100.00
LMAMA=\$300.00
LMCS Crisis Needs Fund=\$2,042.00
LM Operation Christmas Clothes=\$4,076.61
Asbury UMC Mitten/Cap Tree=140.00
Total Local Giving= \$7,274.74

### Conference Giving [Goal \$453.00]

Women at the Well=\$292.46
Ames Korean UMC=\$308.00
Inglesia Vida Nueva=\$308.00
Neighbor Helping Neighbor=\$295.88
IA Disaster Ministries Advance Special=\$613.00
Total Conference Giving=1,817.34

## National Giving [Goal \$453.00]

Tree of Life Ministries=\$308.01

UMCOR Hygiene Kits=\$408.00

UMCOR School Kits=\$1,971.00

UMCOR Shipping Costs=\$506.00

UMCOR U.S. Response Special Advance=\$430.00

## **International Giving [Goal \$453.00]**

Heifer Proj. International=\$215.10 Mobility Worldwide(P.E.T.)=\$154.66 Self Help Intern'I = \$107.00 Katherine Parker UM Missionary (Nepal) =\$635.27

CWS Blankets=\$450.55

Porvenir Clean Water Nicaraguans=\$274.26 Kids Against Hunger=\$950.00

Ancient Pathways (Cressman's, Malawi, Africa) =\$2,550.00

UMCOR International Response Special Advance =\$380.00

Total International Giving=\$5,716.84

Total membership goal = \$1,812.00 Total financial giving all categories= \$18,431.93

### \*SERVING IN RELATIONSHIPS/PARTNERING

Relationship building is sharing time, talent and presence in outreach ministries through local, conference, national and international projects.

## **Local Serving in Relationships/Partnering:**

Name Projects & Amount of Time Served & People

Served

LM Food Shelf 151 hrs 514 Household or 1,830 family members served.

Summer Lunch Program 90 hrs 602 people served.

Community Thanksgiving Meal 90 hrs 220 people served.

Kids Against Hunger 70 hrs. 4092 meals prepared.

## Conference Serving in Relationships/ Partnering:

None

National Serving in Relation
Glory be to God

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Learning about Jesus, making life-long friends, positive Christian role models, enjoying nature, singing around a campfire are just a few of the highlights of a summer at an lowa United Methodist Camp. With over 80 camp events to choose from in two locations, one will be right for your child! Come enjoy a fun, faith-filled adventure all in one of two great places with caring staff —like Camp Okoboji or Camp Wesley Woods. Learn more at the lowa UMC web-

site: <a href="https://www.iaumc.org/camps/#iac">www.iaumc.org/camps/#iac</a> or pick-up a 2020 catalog at the camp display at Asbury UMC in the basement Fellowship Hall or visit with Rev. Jerry Asbury's Camp Ambassador.



## Asbury's Annual VALENTINES SPAGHETTI MEAL Saturday, February 15<sup>th</sup> 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Asbury United Methodist Church** 

Cost: Adults - \$8.00; Children under 12 - \$4.00 Children 3 & under – Free

**Everyone Welcome!** 

Takes out available the day of call 592-1106

Menu: Spaghetti with Sauce & meat balls, French bread, Relish plate,

Beverages; Coffee, Lemonade, Milk & Water

**Dessert: Ice Cream Sundaes** 



## **ASBURY UMC NOISY OFFERING - FEBRUARY, 2020**

Camperships to attend an Iowa United Methodist Camp is the Noisy offering for the month of February. Last year more than 60% of Iowa U.M. campers received assistance from either their local church or

the conference Campership Fund. Without your prayers and financial support, there would be no way for some of our campers to have a life-changing experience at an Iowa U.M. Camp.

Dave and Bobbi Hooks will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on February 14 in Florida. Please join us on February 23 as we renew our vows immediately following the church service, followed by cake and ice cream in fellowship hall. Please NO gifts.



## **VBS PRESS RELEASE**

### **JANUARY 2020**

Local churches invite families to get ready for "ROCKY RAILWAY, Jesus' power pulls us through!" Vacation Bible School to be held in Bolan, June 22-26, 2020.

A FUNDRAISER to help with the expense of ordering materials will take place Sunday, February 9, 2020, at Bethel United Methodist Church, Hwy 9 E, in Manly.

Free-will offering, all-you-can-eat pancakes, with sausages, bananas, OJ, milk and coffee from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm.

Join us and the local churches in supporting this ecumenical VBS which benefits the youth of north lowa!





# PANCAKE BRUNCH For VBS Expenses

Sunday, February 9, 2020

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Bethel United Methodist Church Hwy 9 E, Manly, Iowa

FREE-WILL DONATION

Funds go toward Vacation Bible School

## Northwood UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 2020 OFFICERS LIST

**CHURCH COUNCIL** 

Meets: 2<sup>ND</sup> Thurs. – Each Month at 10am

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**(All Committee Chairs (or committee rep	resentative in chairs a	ibsence) a	re members of A	dministrative Council.)	
Pastor	Pastor Rob Lanpher	e xx	641.525.0871		
Chairperson	Bobbi Bendickson	21	323-0032		
Lay Leader & CC & SPPRC	Bobbi Bendickson	19	323-0032		
Recording Secretary	Karen Abrahams	22	324-2050		
Treasurer	Nancy Mathahs	20	324-2445	641-381-0733	
Trustee Co-Chairperson (alternate attending meeting)	Sandy Olson	20	324-3066	641-420-0052	
Trustee Co-Chairperson (alternate attending meeting)	Jeff Greve	19	641-327-1327		
Nurture/Outreach/Worship-UMW	Bobbi Hooks	19	641-381-0699		
Health	Betty Chapin	21	390-0619		
	Terry Steinmetz	21			
	Dean Mueller	21			
Custodian	Karen Hove	XX	324-8015		
STAFF PARISH RELATIONS COMMI			Each Even Mor	nth at 6:30pm	
	s: Bobbi Bendickson 8			•	
Lay Members to Annual Confere				Robertson	
Legal Advisor: Northwood-John G	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		•		
**(Must be church members, at least1 young adult, only		•			
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Chair-Donna Lair (592.5742) (secreta	•	-		,	
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BOARD OF TRUSTEE	•	-	ets: As Needed		
** (Must be 2/3 professing church member				mbers, 3-yr rotation	
Term Ending 20	21		22		
Co- Chair Sandy Olson (324-3066)	Wade Bendickson		Custodian:	: Karen Hove (324-8015)	
			Co- Chair	Jeff Greve (327-1327)	
AUDIT COMMITTEE	Meets: in January t	o conduct	financial audits		
Term Ending 20	21			22	
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Term Ending 21	Jen Greve (327-1327	)			
VOLUNTARY I	MINISTERIAL RESPON	SIBILITY P	OSITIONS		
Church Men's Group	Terry Steinmetz			324-2253	
Missions/Ingathering/Fellowship Coffee	LeAnn Steiff			324-2192	
Church Historian	Margie Barber			507-448-2956	
Membership Secretary	Ona VanHeiden			324-1557	
Ushers	Bob Perry			324-252	
Altar	Karen Abrahams			324-2050	
	Bobbi Hooks			641-381-0699	
	Nancy Mathahs		324	-2445/641-381-0733	
	Joanne Steinmetz			324-2253	
Meals on Wheels	Karen Hove			324-2476	
Share Shoppe	LeAnn Steiff			324-2192	
Funeral Meals	Karen Hove			324-2476	
Prayer Shawls and Soup Ministry	Betty Chapin			390-0619	
Manna	Pastor Rob			641-525-0871	
	Karen Abrahams			324-2050	
Communion Stewards	Bobbi Hooks			323-0077	
SSG. Stewards	200011100K3			323 3377	
	Joanne Steinmetz			324-2253	
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Karen Arhart

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**ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL** 

Meets: 1st Tues. - Each Odd Month at 6:00pm

ADMINISTRATIVE	CONCIL	ivicets.	I IUC	s Lacii Odd Month at 0.00pm	
**(All Committee Chairs (or co	mmittee repre	esentative in chairs absend	e) are i	members of Administrative Council.)	
Pastor		Pastor Rob Lanphere	XX	641.525.0871	
Retired Pastor		Jerry E. Robertson	XX	592.4484	
Chairperson		David Taft	20	592.1947	
Vice-Chairperson		<b>Brad Grotewold</b>	20	592.2705	
Lay Leader		Joyce Sherman	21	592.0983	
Lay Member to Annual Conf	erence	Betty Robertson	21	592.4484	
Recording Secretary		Harriet Young	21	592.5612	
Treasurer		Daryl Sherman	21	592.0983	
Financial Secretary		Jill Nelson	21	592.4150	
Christian Education/Sunday	School	Kelly Grunhovd	22	420-4350	
Superintendent Co-Ch	nair	Kristen Mannes	21	590.7973	
Stewardship & Finance		Eric Christianson	20	592.1292	
Worship Committee		Jane Christianson	20	592.2080	
Trustee Chairperson		DN			
Cemetery Committee	Co-Chair	Dan Tiedman	21	592-9190	
	Co-Chair	Wayne Mannes	22	592.1084	
Memorial Committee		Harriet Young	21	592.5612	
Missions Ministry Team	Co-Chair	Marilyn Castle	21	592.6165	
	Co-Chair	Betty Vold	21	588.3410	
<b>Evangelism/Special Events</b>		Joyce Sherman	20	592.0983	
Staff Parish Relations	Co-Chair	DN			
Membership Secretary		Sue Bridges	21	592.6371	
<b>UMW Representative</b>		LaVonne Hartman	xx	592.2577	
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David Taft (592.1947)	IVI	ike boue(323.0064 01 224.	.3733)		
BOARI	OF TRUSTEES	(Chairperson & Secretary	: DN)	Meets: As Needed	
				women, 3 to 9 members, 3-yr rotation	
Term Ending 20		21		22	
Custodian: Anne Skellenger	xx 641.590.206	8 Brian Young (592.1063	)	Scott Nelson (592.4150)	
Chris Rogstad (592.4720)		Dave Imler (592.3389)		Rusty Schipper (590.7881)	

Ben Peterson (592.2365) Sue Bridges (592.6371)

**CEMETERY COMMITTEE** Meets: As Needed \*\* (Must be 2/3 professing church members, of legal age, elect own chair, 3-yr rotation

Term Ending 20 21

Ben Mannes (590.2817) Co-Chair: Dan Tiedman (592.9190) Co-Chair: Wayne Mannes (592.1084)

22

Roger Hermanson (592.4526) Treasurer: Josh Imler (592.4523) Dave Imler (592.3389)

Butch Heitland (592.6304)

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE Meets: As Needed \*\* (Must be 2/3 professing church members, elect own chair, 3 yr rotation

Term Ending 20 22

Char Hanson (588.3582) Chair/Treasurer: Harriet Young (592.5612) Marilyn Castle (592.6165) Jean Heitland (592.6304) Foster Hartman (592.2577) Tiffany Tiedman (324.8573) CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TEAM Meets: As Needed

Camp Coordinator: Rev. Jerry Robertson xx (592.4484)

All Sunday School Teachers

Term Ending 20 21 22

Chad Tiedemann (390.0873) Chair/Sunday School: Kelly Grunhovd (420.4350)

Superintendent/Co-Chairs: Kristen Mannes (590.7973)

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE Meets: As Needed

Pastor Rob Lanphere xx 641.525.0871

Term Ending 20 21 22

Chair: Eric Christianson (592.1292) Lay Leader: Joyce Sherman (592.0983) Auditor: Jessica Schipper AdCo Chair: David Taft (592.1947) Financial Secretary: Jill Nelson (592.4150) Trustee Chairperson DN

Treasurer: Daryl Sherman (592.0983)

WORSHIP COMMITTEE Meets: As Needed

Accompanist Molly Holtan xx
Accompanist Caryl Dahn xx 592.0363
Altar Committee Mona Levorson xx 592.4236
Kaylene Erdahl xx 592.5478

Term Ending 20 21 22

Chairperson: Jane Christianson (592.2080) Shana Rogstad (592.4720) LaVonne Hartman (592.2577) Kaylene Erdahl (592.5478) Jean Heitland (592.6304) Sue Bridges (590.2443)

Acolyte Coordinator: Kathy Christianson (592.1292)

Usher Coordinator: Aaron Mannes (590.7972)

**Communion Stewards** 

Term Ending 20 21 22

Jeanie Grotewold (592.2705) Dave Imler (592.3389)

Daryl Sherman(592.0983/590.2110) Harriet Young (592.5612)

EVANGELISM / SPECIAL EVENTS Meets: As Needed

Term Ending 20 21 22

 Chair: Joyce Sherman (592.0983)
 Jeanie Grotewold (592.2705)
 Kathy Christianson (592.1292)

 Megan Peterson (592.2365)
 Sue Slattum (588.3354)
 Sara Nelson (592.4150)

Josh Imler (592.4523)

NOMINATIONS & LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT Meets: As Needed

\*\* (Must be church member, 3-yr rotation, not more than 9 members, at least 1 young adult, Only one from a household, May not succeed self.)

Chairperson, Pastor Rob Lanphere xx 641.525.0871

Term Ending 20 21 22

Rock Bridges (592.6371) Lay Leader: Joyce Sherman (592.0983) Megan Peterson (590.3750)

Jean Heitland (592.6304) Tracy Young (592.1063)

CHURCH HISTORIANS Meets: As Needed

Term Ending 20 21 22

Finley Rogstad (592.4720) Mona Levorson (592.4236)

Donna Lair (592.5742)

Caryl Dahn (590.1204)

MISSIONS MINISTRY TEAM Meets: As Needed

Term Ending 20 21 22

Betty Langpap (592.1131) Co-Chair: Marilyn Castle (592.6165) Char Hanson (588.3582) Rev. Jerry Robertson (592.4484) Co-Chair: Betty Vold (588.3410) Jeannie Grotewold (592.2705)

## Asbury United Methodist Church Administrative Council Minutes

(Unapproved) Tuesday, January 7, 2020 5:30 pm

The ADCO meeting was called to order by chairperson, David Taft. Pastor Rob gave the devotion. The secretary's report was read and approved. The treasurer's report was read and approved. Daryl stated that the year-end balance was \$14,738.34. He stated that the final bill for the siding has been received in the amount of \$95,469.00. The interest from the Schwan & Willis Trust Fund was used for some of the final payment. \$179.00 was donated toward the blue and gold Christmas lights.

Pastor Jerry gave a report on the "In Mission Together" form. A final copy will be made and published in the church newsletter. He also stated that the Annual Valentine Spaghetti Dinner will be held on Saturday, February 15th.

Pastor Rob stated that Ash Wednesday service will be held on February 26th at 5:50. The circles will again be serving soup. Holy Week will be held on Wednesday, April 8th at 5:30 with the serving of a Seder meal and everyone eating at the same time.

ADCO members in attendance were: Chairperson, David Taft, Daryl Sherman. Pastor Jerry and Betty Robinson, Pastor Rob and Harriet Young.

The next meeting will be held on March 10th at 5:30. Donna Lair will give devotions.

Meeting adjourned.

Harriet Young, recording secretary



## ASBURY – WHERE HAS THE MEMORIAL MONEY BEEN DESIGNATED?

Imler account \$2013.00

\*Undesignated 1,987.69

\*Includes .16 interest- Dec.

155.00 Lillian Smith Memorial

## Iowa United Methodist Foundation Scholarship Information

The IUMF goal is for all United Methodist students to have the opportunity to apply for these scholarships and assist them as they continue their education. Each of our school year scholarships will have an individual application indicating all required application criteria. The student must complete one set of application documentation for each scholarship for which they apply.

For more information on IUMF Scholarships go to: <a href="http://iumf.org/scholarships/">http://iumf.org/scholarships/</a>

The lowa United Methodist Foundation offers thousands of dollars in scholarships every year to students who demonstrate academic and community excellence. We offer:

<u>High School Senior Scholarships</u> for graduating high school seniors <u>Non-Methodist College Scholarships</u> to all students of the church

<u>United Methodist College Scholarships</u> for students who will be attending United Methodist colleges

<u>United Methodist Seminary Scholarships</u> to students following the call to join the ministry

Westmar College Scholarships for students who will attend or are attending United Methodist colleges in lowa

There are also other scholarship opportunities available through the <u>General Board of Higher Education</u> and <u>Ministry and United Methodist Higher Education Foundation</u> that the Iowa United Methodist Foundation participates in.

**Scholarship applications are open December 1 – March 1 annually.** All applications and required documents, such as essays, references, and transcripts can be submitted through the online portal. The link to the online portal will be available December 1.

Our Sympathies to:

the family and friends of Ivan Olson who passed away on January 27, 2020 and funeral was on January 31<sup>st</sup>.

the family and friends of Don Grotewold who passed away on January 29, 2020 with funeral at Asbury held on Feb 8<sup>th</sup>

Shelly Skellenger Ed Monson Joan Kvale Christian
Dave Hooks
Carole Yocum

our military and their loving families, the unemployed, Iowa UMC Cabinet and Bishop.

## In Our Thoughts...

Lake Mills Care Center...

Carol Griffiths Lillian Smith

Good Shepard Mason City...

Ivan Olson Winona Hennigar

Lutheran Retirement Home in Northwood...

George Kesler Norma Kay Martinson Nancy Whitesell Jane McMullen Sandy Nitcher Bernice Estes Rick Low Wanda Citurs

## Northwood Sunday Schedule

10:45 am Worship Service-N 11:45 am Fellowship –N



## **Asbury Sunday Schedule**

9:00 am Worship –A 10:00 am Fellowship –A 10:00 am Sunday School-A

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Regular Schedule UMW after Worship-A	3	4	5 Food 4 Thought 8am Bean & Bistro-LM Noon-Ay Jalisco- Nwd	6	7	8
9 Regular Schedule	10	11	12 Kids Club-N	13 10am Council-N 6pm Joint SPRC at Asbury	14	15
16 Regular Schedule	17	18	19 Kids Club-N	20	21	22
23 Regular Schedule	24	25	26 5:30 Service and Agape Meal  A S H WEDNESDAY	27	28	29



## SUNDAY WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

## **NORTHWOOD**

2020	2-Feb	9-Feb	16-Feb	23-Feb
Scripture Reader	Margie Barber	Joanne Steinmetz	Margie Barber	Bobbi Hooks
Ushers	Ivan & Robin Fredericks	Ivan & Robin Fredericks	Ivan & Robin Fredericks	Ivan & Robin Fredericks
Coffee Servers	Melinda & Hannah Lanphere & Kim Bode	Mission Dinner	Deb & Dean Mueller	Hook's Anniversary / Vow Renewal Celebration
Communion Steward	Joanne Steinmetz			

We are always in need of volunteers! Check the sign up sheet in Wesley Hall to let us know when you can help. If you find that you are unavailable to help on the Sunday assigned, please trade with someone else on the list and let the Office know (641-324-1557).

## STAFF PARISH PASTOR RELATIONS COMMITTEE

If you have concerns or compliments regarding the church, please talk to Pastor Rob first. If you talk to Pastor Rob and still have a concern, please contact a SPRC member.

<u>ASBURY UMC</u>
<u>2020</u>
Betty Robertson
Joyce Sherman
David Taft
Donna Lair
Richard Schwarm

# NORTHWOOD UMC 2020 Bobbi Bendickson Mary Christianson Mike Bode Dean Mueller John Greve

<b>Church Attendance</b>						
Worship	N	<u>A</u>				
Jan 5	26	77				
Jan 12	31	60				
Jan 19	canc	cancelled				
Jan 26	22	53				

If you have any compliments about your church, share them with everyone!

## **Asbury**

- 5 Carol Tiedman
- 12 Sheila Enderson
- 12 Megan Peterson
- 14 Tracy Young
- 20 Kate Budach
- 22 Ramon Erdahl
- 23 Sharon Matthes
- 24 R.G. Schwarm
- 26 Morgan Young

## **Northwood**

- Carter Wilde
- 5 Tom Vorland
- 7 Barbara Walser
- 7 Nancy Whitesell
- 9 Ashley Carlson
- 9 Robyn Wilder
- 10 Rypleigh McClanahan
- 12 Kerby Christianson
- 12 Mark Hove
- 14 Dean Mueller
- 15 Joanne Steinmetz
- 18 Thomas Low
- 19 Payton Wilder
- 21 Jack Barber
- 22 Sarah Barringer
- 22 Seth Wilkins
- 26 Pearl Podgorniak
- 26 Allen Jaspers
- 28 Skyler Williamson
- 28 Dorothy Prizler

## **Year End Paperwork**

It is that time again, we have year end statistics requiring membership numbers for the congregation, Sunday School and UMW. We need income and expenses. Forms will be sent to chairs to assist the office in completing these reports. Please turn all required paperwork for auditing

into the Auditors or church office by Jan 15th. You will need to submit only the following items:

Bank Statements, Checkbook or savings book

The auditor does not need any other paperwork. Thank you





We appreciate receiving your articles for upcoming church events!

If you have material that you would like included in the newsletters or bulletins or any corrections to information, please contact us in one of these ways:

The Newsletter Team WANTS YOU!

call the office at

641.324.1557

send the information via email northwoodUMC@msn.com



or mail to

Northwood UMC ATTN Newsletter PO Box 104, Northwood IA 50459

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## Jehruary INSPIRATIONS-2020

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Lake Mills IA 50450
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1000 1st Avenue North
PO Box 104
Northwood IA 50459
Phone 641.324.1557 (N)
NorthwoodUMC@msn.com

THE MISSION OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH:
TO MAKE DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD.

## OPEN HEARTS, OPEN MINDS, OPEN DOORS,

THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH.