



# ASCENSION ASHLAND PLACE

NOVEMBER 19, 2023

Call to Worship	<i>My Testimony</i>	Furtick
Welcome & Prayer		Dr. Sterling Boykin
Scripture Reading	I Thessalonians 5:1-11	Todd Golomb
Passing of the Peace		
Songs of Praise	<i>God So Loved Holy, Holy, Holy (Jesus Reigns)</i>	Cash Highlands Worship
Scripture Reading	Matthew 25:14-30	
Sermon	Thankful for Talents	Dr. Sterling Boykin
Affirmation of Faith		
Communion		
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory	<i>Build My Life</i>	Heber
New Doxology		Ken/Miller
Announcements		
Closing Song	<i>My Testimony (Reprise)</i>	Furtick
Benediction		



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## UPCOMING WEEK AT APUMC

### Sunday, November 19

9:00 Ascension Worship  
10:00 Sunday School  
11:00 Traditional Worship

### Monday, November 20

10:00 Ladies Bible Study

### Tuesday, November 21

10:00 Prayer Shawl Ministry  
5:30 Pastor's Bible Study

### Wednesday through Friday

Office Closed for Thanksgiving

**The Joseph Project Christmas Cards** will be available soon for a donation of \$15 (or more). We'll add the postage and send cards for you, unless you want to send your own message. Get your Christmas card list up to date and watch for Fay Adams and her crew outside Fellowship Parlor starting on Sunday, November 26th. Order Sheets for names and addresses are available in the narthex, Fellowship Hall and in the Church Office. Donors will be sent a letter for tax purposes. Questions? Contact Fay at 251-402-9342.

**Children's Nativity Practices** Children who are 4yrs old through 5th grade are still welcome to join us for the Children's Nativity on December 13th. Come to The Landing at 10:00 on Sunday mornings for rehearsal & then stay for Sunday School. You can also get a recording of the music to practice at home!

**United Appeal Fundraiser** Our United Appeal Fund allows the church to be a nonprofit organization. All donations are distributed to ministries in the area. This year we will be selling lovely Christmas ornaments with a print of the church created by a local artist. The cost of \$30 covers the actual cost plus a donation to United Appeal. Ornaments can be purchased in the Church Office. We will be able to take your check, cash, or card payment on Tuesdays through Thursdays from 9 to 4:00 p.m.; on Sunday, Dec. 3rd outside Fellowship Parlor; or by special arrangement. See 11/6 E-Newsletter .

**Pledge Cards** are still available at the welcome table. Please consider making a pledge to continue the ministries of Ashland Place UMC.

**Embrace Alabama Kids representative** will be here on December 3rd in both services.

## CIRCLE OF CONCERN

Please hold these persons in your prayers: John Allen, Jean Brown & son James Williams, Victor Brown (Dee Dee Cook's brother), Braxton & Linda Lee Counts, Julie & Steve Dugan, Phillip Fields, Bruce Finley, Jane Ford, Josh Gochey, Ruffin Graham, Bill Higgs, Tee Hope, Andrew Irby, Melanie Jackson (Katie McCarrison's mother), Freddie Jones, Don Jordan, Peggy Mann, Sara Robinson, Tom Root, Burton Roton, Billie Scobey, Alan Smith (Maria Coleman's brother), Joann Smith, Peggy Tanner (Cindy Roton's mother), \*Bob Thomson, Joan Waldron, Kathryn Willingham.

## LEADING IN WORSHIP TODAY

Bass Guitar - Morgan Watkins  
Guitar/Vocals - Tiffany Norton  
Lead Guitar - Nathan Shiver

Vocals - Daniel O'Keefe, Lee Ann Boykin  
Percussion - Jes Boykin