

...AND I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH WITH MY PRAYERS,
MY PRESENCE, MY GIFTS AND MY SERVICE.

OUR PRAYERS: (Please put prayer requests in writing or call the office.)

For our ongoing ministries

For the sick and those in need:

Ken McDonald, nephew of Winnie Tegge
Rhodes Cook, friend of the Twomey and Snitzer families
Ronda Warrick, sister-in-law of Patti Jones
Jimmie Simmons, friend of Karen Rose Beth Neary, niece of Jackie Flynn
Mother of Mark Thompson, friend of Debbie Strickland
Ken Vaughan, cousin of Steve Reynolds
Shannon Svenson, relative of Tina Svenson
Arlene Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase
Roger Ralay, friend of Nivosoa Robjhon
Art Seggerson, friend of Judy McConville
Tyler Meade, cousin of Chris Bradley
Barbara Cathcart, half-sister of DeEtte Johnson
Marcia Cornell, cousin of Luanne Pond
Amelia Masdin, friend of Elaina Carrillo
Patty Whitamore, niece of Winnie Tegge
Kiesha Morris, goddaughter of Cyndi Jones
Carolyn Johnson, friend of Allan Cogswell
Patricia Ann Morris, aunt of Chris Bradley
Richard Brooks, friend of Debbie Strickland
Margie Nichols, sister-in-law of Liz Walker
Bud Francis, cousin of Cyndi Jones Naomi Totten
Sharon Kellam, friend of Allan Cogswell
Landyn Lee Jensen, son of Jaclyn Bradley
David Smith, brother of Debbi Iwig
Susan Leahy, friend of Michelle Ohmke Carmen, friend of Jay Morris
Isla Jean Cannon, friend of Jenny Otto Peter Rose, brother of Tom Rose
Philip McConville, brother of Jim McConville
Jeffrey Gaines, friend of Jaie Brown Jeryl McLeod, sister of Jaie Brown
Dr. Tara L. Covey, friend of Sandra Chase

OUR SERVICES:

Greeters: Jessica Vance, Brittlea Brown, Amanda Witkowski,
Brad Otto, Donald Johnson, Bliss Miga
Fellowship Hours: Staff Parish Relations Committee

Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.

Presiding Bishop: Young Jin Cho, Richmond Area Virginia Conference

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Academy of Discipleship
Annandale United Methodist Church

(Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver, cjohnsonoliver@annandale-umc.org)

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:45 a.m.

Bible Fellowship is studying Romans in room 111.

Exploring Faith in Life meets in room 303.

In His Steps is studying *Troublesome Bible Passages* in room 302.

Coming Soon - Fall Classes begin September 22

Issues in Modern Christianity will study *When Christians Get it Wrong* in room 307.

Kaleidoscope will meet monthly in room 300.

Parents and Promises will meet in room 305.

Women in Search of Truth will study *Esther* by Beth Moore in room 306.

Women of the Day will study *Facing your Giants* by Max Lucado in the Parlor.

Williams Bible Class will meet in room 118

For more information and registration, visit www.academyofdiscipleship.com.

THE GRID

Youth Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

6th -12th graders meet for a combined Sunday School class in the Youth Room.

Grid Fantasy Football Draft TODAY after 11 a.m. service in the Youth Room – see Trish if unable to attend.

Parent Ramp Night – Sunday, Sept. 22, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Potluck-style dinner:

Last name A-O bring main dish, P-Z bring side dish (enough for 10 people)

Come experience RAMP and find out about upcoming events. **Deadline for sign-up is Wednesday, Sept. 18**

Paintball Trip to Hogback Mountain, Sept. 29. Registration and payment deadline: Sept. 22. Leave church parking lot after 11 a.m. service, returning at 6 p.m. (Chaperones/drivers needed!) \$50 per person (\$35 if bringing own gun). Price includes: admission, lunch (2 hot dogs, chips, drink), paintball gun, face mask, air refills, 500 rounds (must use site paint; additional cases of 500 rounds available for \$17).

RAMP is 3 weeks away... Are you going to be there!? Ramp Meal Sign-Up is posted on the bulletin board outside the Youth Room – please sign up for fall Ramp meals.

Attention Parents! Please make sure you and your youth are signed up for upcoming events **before deadlines** – Email/Call/Facebook/Speak with Trish.



Children's Ministries ☀

(Director: Becki Stewart, bstewart@annandale-umc.org)

God's Stories for the People of God!

9:45 a.m., room 311. Children 4 years through rising 5th graders.

Childcare is available in the room 207 for children under age 4

Connect Sunday for Families with Children

Sunday, Sept. 8, 9:45 a.m.-10:15, Media Center

- Special Blessing for the start of school for children and families - Parent Orientation

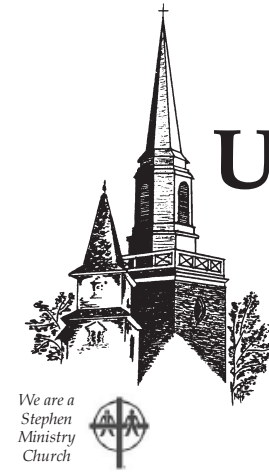
- Get connected with all the activities and fun for the upcoming year!

Sunday, Sept. 15

- First day of Sunday School for children 2 years-5th grade

- Children's Choirs resume - Chapel (11 a.m. service) resumes

Come KNOW, GROW, and SOW with us!



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

August 25, 2013 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

WELCOME OF VISITORS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

"Come Just As You Are"

Sabolick

Caroline Koziol, piano

+SONG OF PRAISE "Come Christians, Join to Sing" Hymnal No. 158

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Reach out your hand and touch our mouth, O God,
People: **that authentic praise may flow freely from our lips.**

Leader: Put your words in our mouths, O Lord,

People: **that we might exalt you with reverence and awe.**

Leader: Empower us to speak truth to the nations and to build your

kingdom here on earth.

All: **Let it be so today. Amen. Alleluia.**

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+OPENING PRAYER

Sovereign Lord, you have brought your word to us today. Before the womb's wonders were our home, you knew us as unique individuals, sacred parts of your creation. In the mystery of the womb you protected us. Out of the womb you have brought us. Empower us to ministry and mission, with the confidence of your divine touch. Amen.

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "The Apostles' Creed" Hymnal No. 881

+GLORIA PATRI Hymnal No. 70

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

Becki Stewart

ANTHEM

"The Great Divide"

Cunningham, Huesmann

Christi Schwarten, solo

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

GOSPEL READING

Luke 13:10-17

+HYMN

"O Lord, You're Beautiful"

*FWS No. 2064

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY

"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

arr. Heffler

Laura Cook, flute

+DOXOLOGY

Hymnal No. 94

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

+PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SERMON SCRIPTURE

Jeremiah 1:4-19

Minister: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"How to Lose Friends and Alienate People"

Rev. Brown

+SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Here I Am, Lord"

Hymnal No. 593

+BENEDICTION

+CHORAL RESPONSE

"On Eagle's Wings"

Hymnal No. 143

*And God will raise you up on eagle's wings,
bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun,
and hold you in the palm of God's hand.*

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+POSTLUDE

"I Will Call Upon the Lord"

O'Shields

Caroline Koziol, piano

+Please stand as you are able.

* Faith We Sing Supplementary Hymnal

...AND I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH WITH MY PRAYERS, MY PRESENCE, MY GIFTS AND MY SERVICE.

OUR PRESENCE: Aug. 18 Sunday Worship: 354 Sunday School: 43
Offerings Last Sunday: \$12,509.00

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of Rocky Speake on his birthday by Theresa Speake.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of their 6th wedding anniversary by Blake and Kate Arrington.

Rosebud on the Altar celebrates the birth of Cara Parker Stephens, daughter of Corneilus Stephens and Alysia Parker-Stephens, born Aug. 1.

Congratulations to Laura and Norman Miller who celebrate their 53rd wedding anniversary Aug. 27.

Events at AUMC!



Pick up your copy of the Academy of Discipleship 2013-14 Bulletin for fall classes and small groups. Register on the church website or on Connect Sunday, Sept 8.

Mark your calendars for the Connect Ministry Fair on Sunday, Sept. 8.

Connect with our church family, new opportunities for mission projects, children, youth, young adult and adult programs, music ministry, UMM and UMW. On Sept. 8, one worship service will be held at 10:30 a.m., followed by the Connect Ministry Fair and lunch from 11:45 – 1:45. Children's Ministry will also hold a parent orientation at 9:45 a.m.



Begin the fall on a high note! Join the choir! Adult Choir Open House Wednesday, **Sept. 11**, 7:15 p.m. For details contact Music Director Pat Vaughn pvaughn@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

Financial Peace University Class is scheduled for **Sept. 19 – Nov. 14**, 7 – 8:30 p.m. in room 210. FPU is a biblically-based video curriculum that incorporates small-group discussions and encourages personal financial accountability and discipleship and is taught by best-selling author Dave Ramsey. Register at DaveRamsey.com by clicking on "Find a Class" and then choose Annandale UMC. Cost is \$93 for nine, 90-minute classes. The program at AUMC is being coordinated by AUMC members Bill and Robin Evans.

Stop Hunger Now: Join us for a meal packaging event on **Saturday, Sept. 14, from 8:45 a.m. to noon.** Stop Hunger Now is an organization that donates 25 cent meals to impoverished people across 75 countries, as well as giving food to help with disaster relief. For these meals to reach their recipients, we need YOU to help pack them. Saturday morning, join us in Wright Hall to make an assembly line to help stop hunger worldwide.

Wednesday Night Together Fellowship Dinner resumes Wednesday, **Sept. 18**, 5:45 p.m. The Mozambique Mission Team will present on their recent trip. Registration is available at www.annandale-umc.org. Click on the Calendar/Registration box on the home page and then click on the blue box at the top of the calendar page that says Open Registrations. You may also email or call Joyce Kitzmiller in the office jkitzmiller@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.



Mark Your Calendar



Sept. 1, ACCA food drive

Sept. 8, single service, "Connect" Ministry Fair

Sept. 11, Adult Choir Open House

Sept. 14, Stop Hunger Now

Sept. 15, Convocation Sunday

Sept. 18, Wednesday Night Together



Back-to-School Supplies Collection: now through **Sept. 16.** Help local children get a strong start on the new school year! Bring the following items (new) to the collection box in the atrium: crayons, markers, glue sticks, scissors, notebook paper, and folders. These items will be distributed to families in need at the Immanuel campus of AUMC on food distribution nights.

2014 Women's Retreat, May 2 - 4, 2014, Eden Resort - Lancaster, PA. It has been 3 years and will be 4 years since our last weekend away Women's Retreat. In 2014 the Women of AUMC will be traveling to Amish Country where we will be staying at the beautiful Eden Resort. We will also have the option to go to the play "Moses" at the Sight & Sound Theater and a second option is to have dinner at an Amish restaurant called Good & Plenty where food is served family style. We only reserved space for 50 ladies so make sure to reserve your spot. To help with the planning of this retreat we ask that you sign up early and turn in your registration form and \$30 deposit as soon as possible. Our speaker for our 2014 retreat is Katie Webster Carson. Registration forms are now available so do not miss out on this exciting opportunity. If you have any questions or would like a registration form mailed or emailed please contact Cyra Doty at 703-354-5330 or email radu94@aol.com.

Help the youth! AUMC Car Magnets are available for a suggested donation of \$5 each as a fundraiser for the AUMC youth program. The 7" oval magnets have a white background with the letters AUMC in red in the center. Around the edge are the words Annandale United Methodist and the web site www.annandale-umc.org. The magnets can be purchased in the church office. The Youth appreciate your support!

Help provide safe drinking water. AUMC's Earth and Spirit Committee is raising funds to purchase drinking water filters for the people of northern Ghana. The goal is to purchase 25 filters, at a cost of \$250 each, for a total of \$6,250. To make a donation of any size, make your check payable to AUMC with "E&S water filter" in the note line.

Help make sandwiches! Volunteers are needed **Thursdays** at 4 p.m. to make sandwiches for the food distribution program at the Immanuel campus. Help is needed with food distribution, Immanuel campus, every Thursday, 5 – 7 p.m. For more information call Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424.

Please print your name clearly on the attendance pad at the end of the pew, or bring a return address sticker to worship to use when you sign in. Everyone who attends church is important, but your presence won't be known if your handwriting is illegible! We ask that everyone, both members and visitors alike, and members of the choir, write their names, addresses, and other information in the spaces provided. Then send the attendance pad back to the other end of the pew so you can learn the names of those sitting next to you.

Have you visited the new AUMC web site? It has new photos, is easy to navigate and provides one-click access to the church calendar, online registration, videos of the pastors' sermons, Sunday School classes and small group information, mission projects and much more! www.annandale-umc.org.