

...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:

Margie Nichols, sister-in-law of Liz Walker	Shirley Nelms
Michelle Warren, friend of Cherrie Welch	
Zab Pemberg, friend of Elaina Carrillo	
Guenther Koch, friend of Cyndi Jones	
Luis Vasquez, son-in-law of Dottie Rogerson	
Paul D'Omellas, friend of Patricia Martino-Shapiro	
R. Foster Caffi, friend of Sandra Chase	Olinda Guamble
Joe David, relative of Jaie and Clarence Brown	Ellie Whitfield, CDC
Genie Eason, aunt of Rachel Bruns	Linda Davis, aunt of Robin Patton
Nan Summers, mother of Nancy Bonanno	Lisa Thomasson Fitchett
Alexis Kramer, friend of Mark and Danitria Bradley	
Jordan Householder, friend of Mark and Danitria Bradley	
Lisa King and twins, niece of Margi McCarthy	Anita Liberatore
Bryan Johnston, brother of Sindy Keplinger	Camille Anders Yahm
Michele Maurer, friend of Sarah Bizer	Curt, friend of Julie West
Jeryl McLeod, sister of Jaie Brown	Jay Walker, friend of Julie West
Victoria Weyant, mother of Debbie Strickland	
Sherry Meadors, mother of Tabitha Temple	Charles George
Adam Oas, nephew of Debbie Strickland	Valorie Andrist
Tari Foltz, daughter-in-law of Betsy Clevenger	Dorothy Armstrong
Kelly Maurer, friend of Louise Golobic	Kim Good, friend of Sheila Kyer
Landyn Lee Jensen, son of Jaclyn Bradley	Kate Svenson
Mike Herrman, friend of Erin McKenney	Shannon Svenson
Jane Kable, mother of Michelle Ohmke	Preston Adams
Chip Boswell, cousin of Davis Oliver	Stephen Strickland
Lauren Stewart Ball, daughter-in-law of Sherri Kenski	Victoria Mayo
Maranda Mazyck, mother of Robin Mazyck	Virginia Crane
Paul Foltz, grandson of Betsy Clevenger	Kyunga Han, sister of Sook Han
Nancy Morris, friend of Clarence Brown	Donna Dye
Laurence Rabarijohn, mother of Nivo Robjhn	Evie Gibson
Arlene Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase	Foy LaFone
Dr. Tara L. Covey, friend of Sandra Chase	Frank West
Carolyn Johnson, friend of Allan Cogswell	

For bereaved members and their families:

Family and friends of Pauline (Polly) Robinson
Barbara Yancey and family on the death of her mother, Mollie Yancey
Ernie Keeling and family on the death of his wife, Mary Keeling,
on Dec. 25, 2013

OUR SERVICE:

Greeters: Rick Hampton, Willie Lord, Brittlea Brown,
Brad Otto, Dale Ruhter, Wilton Ward
Fellowship Hours: In His Steps Class

Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.

Presiding Bishop: Young Jin Cho, Richmond Area Virginia Conference

District Superintendent: Rev. Kenneth Jackson

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Clarence R. Brown, Jr.

Associate Pastor: Rev. Eduardo Carrillo

Associate Pastor, Adult Discipleship: Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver, J.D.

Associate Pastor, Hispanic Outreach: Rev. Luz Zuleta

Dir. of Christian Ed. for Children: Becki Stewart *Dir. of Youth Ministries: Trish Bradley*

Dir. of Music Ministries: Patrick Vaughn

Pianist: Justin B. Dean

Dir. of Weekday Children's Programs: Maribeth Day



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.

Brownies with Brown will resume on Feb. 16.

Exploring Faith in Life meets in Room 303.

Immanuel is studying *Old Testament Prophets for Today* in Room 300.

In His Steps resumes its study of *Love Walked Among Us* in Room 302.

Issues in Christianity is studying the Afterlife in Room 307.

Kaleidoscope meets today in the Sanctuary.

Parents and Promises meets in Room 305.

Spiritual Heroes meets in Room 210.

Women in Search of Truth is studying *Esther* by Beth Moore in Room 306.

Women of the Day resumes its study of *Facing Your Giants* in the Parlor.

Williams Bible Class is studying Men of the Bible in Room 118.

THE GRID

(Director: Trish Bradley, tbradley@annandale-umc.org)

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Grades 6-7 Class: meet in Room 209, 9:45 a.m.

Grades 8-9 Class: meet in Room 308, 9:45 a.m.

Grades 10-12 Class: meet in the Youth Room (Room 105), 9:45 a.m.

Youth Choir will meet today for Wizard of Oz practice at 3 p.m. in the Media Center!

Ramp Parent Night is TONIGHT from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. (Please note - no 5 p.m. gym time this evening) Potluck style dinner - Last name A-O bring main dish, P-Z bring side or dessert (enough to feed 10 people)
Come experience Ramp and find out about upcoming Grid events.

Spaghetti Fundraiser Dinner is one week away! Check out information in the announcements section of the bulletin.

Students interested in community service hours are welcome to participate in Stop Hunger Now on Saturday, Feb. 15. See announcements section of bulletin for more details.



Children's Ministries ☀

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL (3 years - 5th Grade): 9:45 a.m.

Celebration Choir (K -5th Grade): 9:15 a.m., room 311

Cherub Choir (3-4 year old classes): during Sunday School

Chapel (4 years - 3rd grade): Follows Moments with Children at 11 a.m. service.
***Parents sign up to help** in chapel as the second adult. You will assist the leader as the 2nd adult.

3rd-5th Graders bring your bibles each Sunday. 3-4 grade class is working on Bible skills and the 5th graders are beginning the Kingdom Lessons.

SUMMER PROGRAMS..... save the date!

VBS – July 7-11 - ages 3 (as of September 30, 2013) – rising 5th graders

KIM – July 14-17 - Evening Program for rising 3rd-5th graders.

Come KNOW, GROW, and SOW with us!



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

February 9, 2014 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

PRELUDE "Great is the Lord" arr. Hayes
Justin Dean, piano

WELCOME

+**GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE**

+**PROCESSIONAL HYMN** "Holy is the Lord" On Screens

+**CALL TO WORSHIP** Rev. Johnson-Oliver

Leader: Shout out, O people of God!

People: We raise our voices like trumpets.

Leader: Worship God not only in this place but in all the world.

People: We are witness of his grace and love in and out of this place.

Leader: In each woman and man caring for their neighbor,

People: By caring, healing and loving we step away from judging.

Leader: Happy are those who are caught up in your awesome love, who get a mighty kick out of doing your commandments.

People: Love and compassion will be in their houses.

All: Let us find light in the darkness, trusting the grace, mercy and truth of God. Together, let us worship God.

+**OPENING PRAYER**

Lord, you have called us to be the light of the world, but we hide our light under our sinful actions and words. Forgive us, we pray, and guide us to shine more brightly. Help us to let your light shine through us, so that the world may give glory to you, O God. We ask that you may transform our lives into what you intend us to be. You are the light of our seeing, the wisdom of our understanding, and the delight of our loving. Through Jesus Christ, your very Mind incarnate, Amen!

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN Becki Stewart
(11 a.m. – Children may leave for Children's Chapel)

+**HYMN** "Be Thou My Vision" Hymnal No. 451

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.

EPISTLE LESSON

I Corinthians 2:1-12
8:30 a.m. P. Sherfey, 11 a.m. J. West

+HYMN "Together We Serve" *FWS No. 2175

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN Rev. Johnson-Oliver
THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE
OFFERTORY "Go Light Your World" arr. Allen Adult Choir

+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
GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 5:13-20

Minister: The Word of God for the People of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Disruptive Light" Rev. Carrillo

+SONG OF RESPONSE "Mighty to Save" On Screens

+BENEDICTION

+CHORAL RESPONSE "As We Go" On Screens

*As we go, may Your Spirit go before us.
As we go, may we follow where You lead.
May we live what we have learned,
share the message we have heard.
and be a light unto the world as we go.*

+POSTLUDE "How Majestic is Your Name" arr. Hayes Justin Dean, piano

+Please stand as you are able.
* Faith We Sing Supplementary Hymnal

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OUR PRESENCE: Feb. 2 Sunday Worship: 406 Sunday School: 137
Offerings Last Sunday: \$18,121.65

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of Craig Morris by John and Polly Morris.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of her father, Charles N. Thomas, by Sherri Kenski.

Events at AUMC!



Kaliedoscope/Seminar: today at 9:50 a.m., Dr. Jack Underhill will do his annual "State of the Nation" summary—with a focus on those left behind. Location: right side at the front of the sanctuary opposite the choir loft.



Tickets for AUMC's The Wizard of Oz are available before/after worship services on Sunday in Wright Hall and in the church office on weekdays. Tickets are \$15 each. Performances will be Thursday, **Feb. 27** and Friday, **Feb. 28** at 7 p.m. and Saturday, **March 1** at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Child care is available by reservation (call the church office) for Friday night only. Come see the amazing talents of AUMC children, youth and adults. There's No Place Like Home! **If you would like to place an advertisement** in the Wizard of Oz Playbill, **tomorrow, Feb. 10, is the deadline.** Contact Tracy Carney, carneys@cox.net or Barbara Gordon bgordon@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330.



Monday at noon is the reservation deadline for the Wednesday Night Together fellowship dinner scheduled for Wednesday, **Feb. 12.** The program will be presented by Jennifer Budlong-Cole, Executive Director, Clean Fairfax, at the invitation of AUMC's Earth and Spirit class. The menu will be Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, broccoli, rolls, and white chocolate cheesecake. Register by noon on **Feb. 10** on the pew pads, online at www.annandale-umc.org, by emailing Joyce Kitzmiller - jkitzmiller@annandale-umc.org or calling 703-256-8330. The meal price (pay at the door) is \$8 per person, \$3 for children under 12, and \$25 per family maximum.

Open Houses: The Weekday Preschool and Early Learning Programs will have Open Houses for prospective parents for the 2014 – 2015 school year on Wednesdays, **Feb. 12 and 26.** The preschool open house begins at 9:30 a.m. and the Early Learning Program at 10:30 a.m. Each will have an informational session followed by a tour of the program. For more information see the website www.annandale-umc.org/preschool-programs.

Annandale Food Ministry, Heritage Drive campus, needs volunteers this week. On Thursday, **Feb. 13,** noon, help bag lunches for Bailey's Shelter. From 5 – 7 p.m. that day, help set up and distribute food and cleanup after. For more information call Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424.

The Stop Hunger Now meal packaging event is scheduled for Saturday, **Feb. 15,** from 8:45 a.m. until noon in Wright Hall. Everyone is encouraged to attend and participate! Stop Hunger Now aims to end hunger by packaging and distributing meals all over the world. A refreshment table for volunteers will be set up during the meal packaging event and donations of baked goods, fresh fruit, granola bars, and other snacks are needed. Drop off donations of refreshments Friday, **Feb. 14,** in the kitchen or Saturday morning, **Feb. 15** in the Coffee Café off the atrium. If you have questions, call Betsy Clevenger 703-425-6424.

ACCA's furniture ministry (which delivers donated furniture to needy families) needs volunteers! AUMC's next date to assist is Saturday, **Feb. 15,** 8 a.m. to 12 noon. If interested, call Peter Taylor, 703-477-3903. For more information about donating furniture and to arrange for pickup, contact Don Di Spirito at ddml@verizon.net or 703-256-9513. Items needed include: mattresses/box springs (all sizes except King size), kitchen and dining tables and chairs, sofas (not sleeper sofas), living room chairs, coffee tables, end tables, and lamps.

Mark Your Calendar

Feb. 12 - Wednesday Night Together

Feb. 15 - Stop Hunger Now

Feb. 16 - Youth Spaghetti Dinner

Feb. 27-28, March 1 - The Wizard of Oz

March 4 - Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper



A spaghetti dinner, hosted by the AUMC youth as a fundraiser, is scheduled for Sunday, **Feb. 16,** from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in Wright Hall. Cost is \$10 per person and the meal includes salad, spaghetti, bread, drinks, dessert. The youth will help prepare and serve the meal; proceeds will benefit upcoming Grid activities. Reservations are encouraged, but not required. Pay at the door. Child care will be available if there is enough interest. To make a reservation for the dinner and to request child care, send an email to Joyce Kitzmiller, jkitzmiller@annandale-umc.org or call the church office 703-256-8330.

Sunday Morning AV Team needs volunteers! The AV Team provides sound, slides and video at the morning worship services. If you have an interest in this area and would like to volunteer, please contact Garry Bell, bgell@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

Did you miss a recent Sunday worship service? Want to make a donation online? Please visit our web site www.annandale-umc.org where you can listen to sermons, download the latest Witness newsletter, check an upcoming event on the church calendar and make donations online.

Centering Prayer meets on Mondays, 9:30 a.m. in room 308. This is a meaningful way to begin the week in a quiet place away from the busy pace of life and to spend more time with God. Centering Prayer includes a practice of silence in which we open the mind and heart to God's transforming work. All are welcome: from those with experience to those new to the practice. Our time together includes supporting one another and discussing a short piece of spiritual wisdom.

Say what? Please print your name clearly on the attendance pad at the end of the pew, or bring a return address sticker with you 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.

The Children's Ministry's new KIMyr (Kids In Mission Year 'Round) program is in full swing! If you have a child in 3rd, 4th, or 5th grade, we hope he/she can join us for: a KIMyr Work Day after the 11 a.m. service on March 2 to prepare for our Lenten Mission food drive for Poe families, a visit to Ramp on March 30, and a Church-wide Family Camp Out at Camp Highroad on May 16-18. For details, contact Becki Stewart, bstewart@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

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