

...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:

Gordon Weihmiller, husband of Jane Weihmiller	Mildred Atkins
Randolph Hatcher, friend of Donna Dye	John Reeves
Caesar, friend of Donna Dye	Simon Samuel
Margaret Morgan, mother of Winnie Jan Rosenberger	William Novak
Robert Noel, father of Garry Noel	Ed Oliver
Tyrone Powe and Jerry Morgan, friends of Steve Reynolds	Beth Ann Eadie
Sarah, cousin of Michele McGaffic	Patti Jones
Brenda Andrews, sister of Sindy Keplinger	Andi Lohr
Tatiana, friend of Betsy Clevenger	
Akofa Allen, friend of Elizabeth DogsbatseVal Andrist	Donna Dye
Ann Sayre Cooke, daughter of Bob and Nancy Sayre	Ray White
Julie Gunn, mother-in-law of Nancy Bonanno	Bina Cumby
Brian Dietz, friend of Mikaela O'Brien	Vincent Guidi
Guenther Koch, friend of Cyndi Jones	Doug McQueen
Lauren Ball, daughter-in-law of Sherri Kenski	Lenora Spelman
Shatirah Thompson, cousin of Chris Bradley	Paul Flynn
Jackie Lithgow, friend of the McCarthy family	Lisa Thomasson Fitchett
WH Farley, friend of Cyndi Jones	Charles George
Dr. Tara L. Covey, friend of Sandra Chase	Francine Webb
Rafael Pino, grandfather of Natashi Anthony	
Ben Anthony, uncle of Jerry Anthony	
Beth Neary, niece of Jackie Flynn	Roger Gray, friend of Joan Oliver
Micah Martino, nephew of Patricia Martino-Shapiro	
Mike Clark, friend of Mikaela O'Brien	Virginia Crane
Roxanne Goeltz, friend of Elaine Hiner	Victoria Mayo
Arlene Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase	
Jeryl McLeod, sister of Jaie Brown	Peggy Pavone, friend of Sheila Kyer
Bob Levy, friend of Pat and Gary Sherfey	Foy LaFone
Grace Brakefield, aunt of Sandy Barker	
Tari Foltz, daughter-in-law of Betsy Clevenger	Evie Gibson

For bereaved members and their families:

Nivo Robjhon and family on the death of her mother, Laurence Rabarijohn
Marguerite Reyme and family on the death of her mother, Louise Roger
Richard Rosenberger and family on the death of his father, Alan
Rosenberger

OUR SERVICE:

Greeters: Jessica Vance, Steve Naugle, Brad Otto, Don Johnson,
Liz McConville, Rachel Bruns
Fellowship Hours: Kairos Prison Ministry

Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.

Presiding Bishop: Young Jin Cho, Richmond Area Virginia Conference

District Superintendent: Jeffrey P. Mickle

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

Associate Pastor: Rev. Eduardo Carrillo

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

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



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

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:30 a.m.

Brownies with Brown meets on Aug. 17 and Aug. 24 in Room 212C.

Exploring Faith in Life is studying *Parables from the Backside* in Room 303.

Immanuel is studying *The Apostles' Creed* in Room 300.

In His Steps is discussing the NOOMA series by Rob Bell in Room 302.

The following classes will resume in September:

Bible Fellowship, Issues in Christianity, Kaleidoscope, Parents and Promises,
Spiritual Heroes, Williams Bible Class, Women in Search of Truth,
Women of the Day

THE GRID

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

Combined Sunday School class for all 6th-12th graders is meeting in the Youth Room (Room 105). We'll be continuing *Underground Reality: Vietnam*, which discusses the persecuted church around the world as we follow eight teenage missionaries who smuggled Bibles into Vietnam. Check it out!

The next Youth Council meeting will be on Monday, Aug. 18 from 7:30-9 p.m. in the Youth Room (room 105).

Ramp starts in 4 weeks!

Grid T-Shirts and Hoodies are available – T-Shirts are \$12 and Hoodies are \$25.



Children's Ministries

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

Summer Sunday Fun!

4 year old - 4th grade classes combined, 9:30 a.m., Room 311

Childcare: during Worship, infant- kindergarten age, room 206

Worship bags available in the atrium (please neaten and return when finished)

Sowing God's Love – Collection of school supplies and socks and shoes.

Donation boxes in atrium.

Sept. 7 - Connect Sunday, 9:45 a.m., Sanctuary

- **Special Blessing** for the start of school for children and families.
- **Promotion** for children 3 yrs (as of 9-30-14) through 5th grade.
 - **Orientation** and classroom visits.
- **Register your child** and sign up for events and activities

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

Sunday, Sept. 14

o **First day of Sunday School** for children 3 years-5th grade

o **Children's Choirs** resume

o **Chapel** (11 a.m. service) resumes

Come KNOW, GROW, and SOW with us!



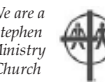
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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

AUGUST 17, 2014, 10:30 a.m.

AWESOME AUGUST

PRELUDE "I Just Came to Praise the Lord" arr: Schrader
Laura Cook

WELCOME

REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

WELCOME OF VISITORS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

+CALL TO WORSHIP Based on Psalm 67 Dr. Brown

Leader: May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us

People: that your way may be known upon earth, your saving power among all nations.

Leader: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

People: Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth.

Leader: Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

All: May God continue to bless us; let all the ends of the earth praise God's holy name.

+PRAISE MEDLEY "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing", vs. 1-4

Hymnal No. 57

"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" *FWS No. 2088

"Shout to the Lord" *FWS No. 2074

+OPENING PRAYER

God of love and grace, nothing compares to the promise we have in you. We pray for the presence of the Holy Spirit in this place of worship and in our lives. We thank you for the healing, forgiveness, peace, and love that we experience in your presence. Help us to be a living sacrifice, to worship you with our whole lives, and to daily be transformed into the image of your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. In his name, we pray, Amen.

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

Becki Stewart

(Children's Chapel is on summer recess)

ANTHEM

"Alpha and Omega"

Trice

Justin Dean, Todd Morgan, Pat Vaughn and Adam Whitman, quartet

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 LESSON Matthew 15:10-20

+CHORUS "More Like You" *FWS No. 2167
More like you, Jesus, more like you.
Fill my heart with your desire
to make me more like you.
More like you, Jesus, more like you.
Touch my lips with holy fire
and make me more like you.

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN Rev. Carrillo
THE LORD'S PRAYER
DISCIPLESHIP MOMENT
OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE
OFFERTORY "Be Thou My Vision" arr: Heffler
Laura Cook

+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
EPISTLE LESSON Romans 12:1-2
Minister: The Word of God for the People of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Turn Down for What?" Rev. Johnson-Oliver

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE "Open the Eyes of My Heart" On Screens
+BENEDICTION
+CHORAL RESPONSE "Awesome God" *FWS No. 2040
Our God is an awesome God;
he reigns from heaven above
with wisdom, pow'r, and love.
Our God is an awesome God!

+POSTLUDE "Blest Be the Tie That Binds Us Together" arr. Hayes
Justin Dean, piano

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

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OUR PRESENCE: Aug. 10 Sunday Worship: 304 Sunday School: 36
Offerings Last Sunday: \$27,897

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of his wife, Peggy on her birthday today, by Wilton Ward.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of Vincent and Jeanne Guidi on their 67th wedding anniversary by Karen, Pat and Gary.

Flowers in the Atrium are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of her dear husband, Phil on their 60th wedding anniversary, by Evie Gibson.

Congratulations to Burnett and Ramona Thompson who celebrate their 64th wedding anniversary Aug. 19.

"Turn Down for What?"
Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver

- 1. Turn down as an act of _____.
2. Turn down being _____ to the world.
3. Turn down to be _____ by the _____ of your mind.
4. Turn down to follow God's _____ for your life.

Notes: _____

Events at AUMC!



AUMC T-shirts are available for \$10 each in youth and adult sizes. Visit the Awesome August table in the Atrium today or purchase in the church office. Exact cash or check payable to AUMC with "t-shirt" in the note line.

Pew Patrol needs a volunteer to prepare the pews for the 4th Sunday of each month. Pew Patrol works any day during the week; duties include making sure the pews have attendance pads, pencils and other materials. To volunteer or for more information, contact Garry Bell gbell@annandale-umc.org.

ESL classes meet on Tuesdays from 7 - 9 p.m. at the Heritage Campus, 7901 Heritage Dr. Contact Mike or Liz Hoefler at 703-845-7751.

"Parents Helping Parents", A Parent Support Group supported by AUMC, will meet Aug. 19, 7 p.m., at Poe Middle School. Enter door # 2. The topic will be Transitioning to Middle and High School. Babysitting will be provided.

Attention gardeners: If you have a bountiful crop of vegetables from your garden, you are invited to share your excess harvest with those in need who pick up food on Thursdays at the Heritage campus. Bring any fresh produce donations to the food distribution site 7901 Heritage Dr. on Thursdays by 4 p.m. For more information, contact Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424.

Feed the hungry: Sandwich making helpers are needed Thursdays at 4 p.m. to make sandwiches for the food distribution program at the Heritage campus, 7901 Heritage Dr. Help is needed with food distribution, Heritage campus, every Thursday, 5 - 7 p.m. For more information call Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424.

New Member Class "Brownies with Brown" will meet Aug. 24 at 9:30 a.m. in room 212C. The class, taught by Rev. Dr. Clarence Brown, Jr., is a time of exploration and discernment of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ at AUMC. For more information, call 703-256-8330.

All Our Neighbors Need Shoes! Help collect new socks and shoes for our friends at Safe Haven and the Heritage Drive campus area. The greatest needs are sneakers and work boots for men sizes 8-10, women's sneakers sizes 6-8 and all children's sizes. Donation bins are in the Atrium. Donations are due by Aug. 29.

Refreshment stand scholarship fund raiser: The AUMC Mission Committee is sponsoring a refreshment stand for Awesome August Movie Night on Sunday Aug. 31, 7 p.m. Contact Pam Thomas, pams150club@yahoo.com, 571-236-3376, or another mission committee member to volunteer.

School Supplies Drive: 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, folders, other basic supplies. These will be distributed to families in need at the Heritage Drive campus of AUMC on food distribution nights. Last day to donate is Aug. 31.

AUMC's Early Learning Program has openings for the fall for ages 1 - 3. Call 703-256-8667 for information.

Volunteers are needed to serve meals at Poe Intermediate beginning this fall. For more information, contact Sheila Kyer, 703-981-6080 or Kyer027@aol.com.

Sign up for eGiving and help ensure that AUMC receives the support needed for operating expenses and ministries during the busy summer. To enroll, visit http://www.annandale-umc.org/ and click on the Online Giving button. An alternative is to sign up for automatic withdrawal from your bank account. Forms are available in the church office or call 703-256-8330 to have one mailed to you.

Companions in Christ and Disciple FastTrack classes are forming now to begin in September. Companions offers small groups a powerful experience in spiritual formation by exploring classic spiritual practices and inviting participants to a deepening relationship with God and one another. Disciple FastTrack is a bible study of shorter duration than the original Disciple program, with the same in-depth study of growth as disciples of Christ. Contact Rev. Johnson-Oliver to learn more.

There's a place for you in the choir! If you are an adult, looking for an opportunity to share your voice on Sunday mornings, look no further! Our Adult Choir provides music for 8:30 and 11 a.m. worship services September - July and we always welcome new members. Anyone who is interested is invited to the Adult Choir Open House on Wednesday, Sept. 10 at 7:15 p.m. This is a no pressure - come and check us out evening, so come and give us a try! Rehearsals are Wednesdays, 7:15-8:45 p.m. in the Choir Room. For details, contact Music Director Pat Vaughn pvaughn@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

AUMC will host a Beth Moore live simulcast on Saturday, Sept. 13, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Register online at www.annandale-umc.org. Dig into Scripture with world-class author and Bible teacher Beth Moore and worship with Travis Cottrell during this unforgettable Living Proof Live Simulcast experience! Beth's mission is to guide women everywhere into a richer, more fulfilling relationship with the Father.

Serve as a Tutor: AUMC's Heritage Drive Tutoring Program will assist elementary and middle-school Wednesdays this fall from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. starting Sept. 17. Tutors will help students with their homework, primarily math and reading. To volunteer as a tutor, receptionist, helping with snacks, or in some other way, or if you have any questions, contact Jerry Beyer at beyerga@gmail.com or 703-399-1395.

AWESOME AUGUST

Fun, fellowship and mission.

+ A SINGLE WORSHIP SERVICE, 10:30 A.M. EVERY SUNDAY IN AUGUST. Dress casual and/or wear an AUMC T-shirt. Sunday School meets at 9:30 a.m.

+ TODAY: BBQ lunch in Wright Hall (\$5 donation) and Navy Sea Chanters Concert in the Sanctuary. Don't miss this free concert by the outstanding U.S. Navy chorus! Everyone is invited!
+ Sunday, Aug. 24, Take Me out to the Ballgame! Nationals vs. Giants (Sold Out!)

+ Sunday, Aug. 31, 7 p.m., Singalong (Wright Hall) and Movie Night Under the Stars (back parking lot). Refreshments will be sold with proceeds going to Missions. Bring a blanket or lawn chair!