

...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:

Cindi Beale, friend of Judy McConville	Donna Dye
Denise Eades, sister of Michelle Prieto	Dan Pemberton
Barbara Duman, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes	Nancy Shaffer
Lisa Abney, sister of Theresa Bock	Rob Cannon
Don Bowman, nephew of Bina Cumby	Jim Mumford
Terri Hannon, friend of Cyndi and Chris Jones	
Stephen Lawson, son of Liz Lawson	Betsy, friend of Dawn Perez
Janice Kable, aunt of Michelle Ohmke	
Lydia Schurman, mother of Peter Taylor	Keitrah Snider
Joseph Kelly, father of Katria and JJ Kelly	Frankie Svenson
Ravine Harmon, friend of Jenny Otto	Charlene Sellner
Bethany Pope, friend of Rosemary Perdue	Betty Biney
Diane Goldstein, friend of Elaine Hiner	
Ken Robey, friend of Peter Snitzer	Cathy Millan, friend of Elaine Hiner
Stephanie Houston, mother of John Houston	
Elnora Girton, sister of Loretta Nester	Sherri Kenski
Caden, nephew of Debbie Strickland	Janet Woods
Agnes Roberts, mother of Rohn Roberts	Nilo Langreo
Dale Allen, husband of Ginny Allen	Lynette Dillard
Bob Stevenson, friend of Tina Svenson	Sue, friend of Erin McKenney
Kent Martino, brother of Patricia Martino-Shapiro	Robin Evans
Isabelle Brown, mother of Clarence Brown Evie Gibson	Ed Oliver
Patty Anderson, mother of Katie Anderson	Carol May
Delsa Hildebrandt, wife of Eldon Hildebrandt	Burns/Myers families
Beth Neary, niece of Jackie Flynn	WH Farley, friend of Cyndi Jones
Mary White, aunt of Davis Oliver	Janet Petty Sabo
Matt McConville, brother of Jim McConville	Liz Plewes
Serge and Sandy Kostun, cousins of Peter and Alice Snitzer	Faye Liming
Matthew McConville, nephew of Jim McConville	Bill Stacy
Guenther Koch, friend of Cyndi Jones	Melanie Wirick
Victoria Weyant, mother of Debbie Strickland	Helen Smith
Darren McFate, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes	Vincent Guidi
Robin Holmes, friend of Betsy Clevenger	Jim Shepard
Andy Murphree, brother of Nancy Davis	Lisa Fitchett
Tari Foltz, daughter-in-law of Betsy Clevenger	Dan DeSouza
Betty Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase	Charles George
Dave Sherfey, nephew of Gary Sherfey	Dale Hay
Bill Marts, brother-in-law of Cyndi Jones	
Gary Thatcher, friend of Betsy Clevenger	
Jacqueline Wilson, friend of Sandra Chase	

Bereaved members and their families:

Clara Golden and family on the death of her husband, Wendell Golden

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

Seminary Intern: Jim Harrington



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 the Book of Proverbs in Room 111.

Brownies with Brown (New Members) meets July 5-26 in Room 212C.

Exploring Faith in Life is studying Making Sense of the Bible in Room 303.

Immanuel is studying The Parables of Paul in Room 300.

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

Parents and Promises is studying Radical Jesus in Room 305.

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

Issues in Christianity, Women in Search of Truth, and Women of the Day resume in the fall.

TODAY, 12:30 p.m. - Young Adult lunch and discussion in Room 210.

MID WEEK CLASSES - Visit [www.annandale-umc.org/academyofdiscipleship](http://www.annandale-umc.org/academyofdiscipleship).

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

Combined Summer School class meets in the Youth Room. We will be watching a video series about the Skit Guys of Planet Wisdom fame. Come check us out!

Youth Week Schedule, July 26-31

Monday - Trip to Water Country USA. \$70 plus packed lunch or lunch/dinner money. Meet at church at 7:30 for 8 a.m. departure (light breakfast provided). Return 9:30 p.m.

Tuesday - Supermarket Sweep & ACCA Volunteering. Meet at Giant at 10:30 a.m. Pick up at AUMC at 12:30 p.m. Ultrazone Laser Tag. Meet at Ultrazone (Carlin Springs in Falls Church) 6 to 8 p.m. Cost - \$10, plus optional snack money

Wednesday - Tubing at Watermelon Park. Meet at AUMC at 9:30 a.m. for departure to park. Pick up at AUMC at 4 p.m. Cost - \$10, plus bring bagged lunch.

Group Game Night at AUMC. Activities will include pizza making, yoga, group games, and board games. Bring \$5 and a snack or drink to share

Thursday - Lake Barcroft Trip. 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. - Enjoy water games and paddle boarding (Beach #5). Bring swimsuit and snack or drink to share

Sandwich Making & Food Distribution at Heritage Campus  
Sandwich making from 3-4 p.m., food distribution from 5-6:30 p.m.

Friday - Mystery Game. Meet at AUMC at noon, pick-up at 3:30 p.m. (event will take place off-site) Bring cell phones and comfortable shoes - Cost: Free

Movie Night in Media Center at AUMC. Movie begins at 8 p.m. Snacks provided.

Be sure to come next Sunday, Aug. 2, at 10:30 a.m. for Youth Mission Sunday, to hear about our ASP work in St Paul. Youth Sunday School will not meet.



Children's Ministries

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

VBS Celebration Sunday, 8:30 and 11 a.m. VBS children will sing at both services. Childcare is available for children infant through kindergarten age in the nursery rooms

VBS Celebration Brunch, 9:45 a.m., Wright Hall. VBS Children, their families, and our wonderful volunteers are invited! No Children's Sunday School today.

It takes a whole church to raise faithful followers of Jesus. We are blessed with the abundance of gifted, dedicated helpers who gave their time this week. Special thanks to the VBS planning team: Jacquie Segal, Pam Jones, Joni Laurence, and Sherri Kenski.

VBS Mission Project: Tending the FIRE (Food Is Really Essential!) at God's Camp! Any kind of cereals (except oatmeal) are welcome. Donation bins are in the Atrium.

Sunday, Aug. 2 - SOS - Serving Others Sunday. Children will make sandwiches for our Heritage Drive campus for food distribution. 9:30 a.m. in room 311.

Summer Worship Bags are available in the bins near the sanctuary entrance doors for children from preschool through 3rd grade. Please return when finished.



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

July 26, 2015 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+GATHERING SONG "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" \*FWS No. 2088

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS  
+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"  
Hymnal No. 127

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, rest your spirits in the Lord.

People: We come, hungry and thirsting for God's word.

Leader: This is a place of peace and hope, where all may be fed and healed.

People: Bring us to the time of healing.

Leader: Come, place your trust in God who is always near you.

All: Open our hearts, Lord, to hear your word and feel your presence. Amen.

+OPENING PRAYER

Holy One, you have covered the barren places in our lives with the riches of your grace. In the agony and emptiness of our sin, you have filled us with forgiveness. From a small portion of food, you have given us sustenance for a lifetime. Glory and praise to you forever! Amen!

VBS CELEBRATION "God's Camp: Discovering Faith"

Many thanks to the dedicated and faithful volunteers who make VBS a special time of fun, learning, and discovery at AUMC. Your generous gift of time and energy means that the children here this week experienced the love and joy of faithfully following Jesus.

ANTHEM

"Faith"  
"Your Glory is Forever"

Hernandez and Sanders  
Johnson and Marino  
The Children of VBS

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.

LAY READING

8:30 Peter Scheible, 11 Bill Sinclair

John 6:1-21



+HYMN OF PREPARATION "Jesus Loves Me" Hymnal No. 191

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN  
THE LORD'S PRAYER  
OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE  
OFFERTORY

Justin Dean, piano

+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 Ephesians 3:14-21

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

SERMON "Sandwich at the Dead End Café" Dr. Brown

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE "They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love" \*FWS No. 2223

+BENEDICTION  
+CONGREGATIONAL 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 Justin Dean, piano

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

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OUR PRESENCE: July 19 Sunday Worship: 314 Sunday School: 68

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of Elizabeth and Win Barrow by their family.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of the children and teachers of VBS by Sherri Kenski.

Congratulations to Jack and Jane Underhill who celebrate their 54th wedding anniversary July 30.

**Vote for your favorite movie** for Awesome August Movie Night, Sunday, Aug. 13, 6:30 p.m. Which movie would you like to see? Put a check by your favorite movie, and put your ballot in the offering plate.

<input type="checkbox"/> Despicable Me	<input type="checkbox"/> Finding Nemo
<input type="checkbox"/> Up	<input type="checkbox"/> Night at the Museum
<input type="checkbox"/> Toy Story	<input type="checkbox"/> Lego Movie
<input type="checkbox"/> Monsters, Inc.	

**Welcome to Annandale United Methodist Church!** We extend a special welcome to visitors and pray that something in our worship today – the message, the music, the fellowship - will touch you, and we invite you to come back and worship with us again. Join us for refreshments and coffee in Wright Hall immediately after the worship service! **One worship service** will be held at 10:30 a.m. next Sunday, Aug. 2, when the Youth will present highlights from Youth Mission Week with the Appalachian Service Project, Trish Bradley will preach, and the Promised Land Quartet will sing.

Connect

**Don't rush off!** Take a few minutes to visit with members/visitors/friends in Wright Hall (fellowship hall) immediately after worship. If you see someone you don't know, introduce yourself! Light refreshments will be provided.

**Awesome August at AUMC begins next Sunday!** Don't miss the fun and fellowship! Stay connected with church members (and friends), meet new people, and participate in a local mission projects! During August, **one worship service** will be held on Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School will meet at 9:30 a.m. and a special event is planned every Sunday afternoon.

**Sign up today for a delicious BBQ** and lunch fellowship followed by the Promised Land Quartet Concert on Sunday, **Aug. 2**, immediately after worship. Reservations requested: sign up on the pew pad or call the church office 703-256-8330. Pay \$5 at the door. Concert is free and will be held in the Sanctuary about 1 p.m.

**Buy your tickets today** for AUMC at the Washington Nationals baseball game on **Aug. 9**. Stop by the table in the Atrium or the church office on weekdays. Tickets are \$20 each, cash or check payable to AUMC with "baseball tix" in the noteline.

**Church picnic** at Annandale Community Park on Hummer Road and softball game is planned for **Aug. 16**, about 1 p.m. Hamburgers and hotdogs will be provided. If your last name ends in A-M bring a salad or side dish if you name ends in N-Z bring a dessert. If you want to play softball, send an email to bgordon@annandale-umc.org.

**Movie Night Under the Stars** will be **Aug. 23**, 7 p.m. Vote for your favorite movie by sending an email to bgordo@annandale-umc.org or fill out the form elsewhere in this bulletin. Refreshments will be sold to benefit Missions.

**Stop Hunger Now** food packaging event is **Aug. 30**, 12 p.m. Lunch will be provided. Bake sale to benefit Youth Missions. For more information, visit the web site www.annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

**Show your true colors:** wear purple AUMC tshirts to worship on Sundays during August and to Awesome August events! AUMC tshirts, available in adult, youth and children's sizes, will be sold for \$10 each before/after worship services during July and in the church office during the week. Exact change is appreciated. Make checks payable to AUMC with "tshirt" in the noteline.

**Food is Really Essential:** Tending the F.I.R.E. is the VBS Mission project! You can help by donating boxes and bags of dry cereal for food ministries. The goal is to raise 400 boxes.

GROW

**Today: New Member Class** "Brownies with Brown" meets in room 212C at 9:45 a.m. 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. The class will not meet in August so we can all attend Awesome August events!

**Today: Young Adults will meet for lunch and discussion** at 12:30 p.m. in room 210. A light lunch will be provided. Everyone is welcome. For details, contact Rev. Eduardo Carrillo, ecarrillo@annandale-umc.org. Young adults will not meet in August for lunch and discussion..let's all go to Awesome August events!



Mark Your Calendar

**July 27-31 – Youth Week**  
**Every Sunday in August – one service at 10:30 a.m.**  
**Aug. 2 – all church lunch and concert**  
**Aug. 9 – Take Me Out to the Ball Game**  
**Aug. 16 – all-church picnic**



Serve

**AUMC's Mission Team to Brazil** will be blogging about their experiences from July 24-Aug. 8. Pray for team members Erin McKenney, Mark Bradley, Mark Carlton, Bob Dickerson, Deb Reynolds, and Ryan Witkowski, and check out their stories and photos here: [www.travelpod.com/travel-blog/brazil2011/10/tpod.html](http://www.travelpod.com/travel-blog/brazil2011/10/tpod.html).

**Food Drive for ACCA:** Next Sunday, Aug. 2, is the first Sunday of the month, which is the monthly food drive for the ACCA food pantry. Bring boxed, canned and bagged non-perishable food to help re-stock the food pantry for members of the Annandale community who are in need.

**Please give generously** to the communion offering next Sunday. The offering collected on most communion Sundays is used for the pastor's discretionary fund, which is used for emergency assistance requests. Your gift will help a child smile, a family recover, and a community rebuild after disaster strikes.

**Prayers and donations** are welcome for All God's Children Camp, a week-long overnight summer camp sponsored by the Virginia United Methodist Church for children of incarcerated mothers or fathers. The camps will take place in Eastern and Central Virginia in early August, but no longer at Camp Highroad in Northern Virginia. The Virginia Conference welcomes prayers and donations for scholarships of any amount; \$400 sends a kid to camp for a week. Place your check, payable to AUMC with All God's Children Camp in the memo, in the offering plate. The Camp really makes a difference in children's lives! Former counselors from AUMC were delighted to learn that a young man they met at Camp Highroad is now entering college. Questions can be directed to Rick and Jan Rosenberger, 703-371-5811.

**Thank you** to all who helped at the Heritage Drive campus service day last week! If you left items behind, check the lost and found in the main (Columbia Pike) office.

**Help make 800 sandwiches** and pack 80 lunch bags every Thursday at 3 p.m. through the summer at the Heritage Drive campus, 7901 Heritage Drive., to help feed kids who normally eat free lunch during the school year. From 5 – 7 p.m. every Thursday help distribute food to neighbors in need at Heritage campus. Contact Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424, for more info. Both stand up and sit down tasks available.

**Assist families in need** by donating the following (bring to marked boxes under the coat rack): sheets and towels (any size), cooking utensils, and children's clothing for Shelter House; clean plastic grocery bags for the Heritage Food Distribution site; children's clothing for the Children's Clothing Closet, Heritage Campus.

**Help children** by donating the following (look for marked boxes in Atrium): new school supplies (crayons, markers, glue sticks, scissors, paper) and boxes/bags of dry cereal for Safe Haven, ACCA and Heritage food site.

**Summer slump:** Help ensure that AUMC receives the support needed for operating expenses and ministries during the busy summer: sign up for eGiving! To enroll, visit <http://www.annandale-umc.org/> and click on the Online Giving button. Increased participation in eGiving will help stabilize our church's finances during the summer when many are away on vacation. Thank you for your continued support of our church family with your time, talent and treasure! An alternative to egiving 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.