

...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:

Robert Stevenson, friend of Tina Svenson	
Kim family, friends of the Pagnard family	
Jean McDowell, mother of Sandy Barker	Molly Wilmarth
Karen Carlyle, cousin of Elaine Hiner	Patti Jones
Genevieve Moss, aunt of Jolie Fleming	Rocky Speake
Gary Younglove, friend of Dick Conaway	Joshua Vance
David Korsh, friend of Dick Conaway	Betsy Clevenger
Jaclyn and Grayson Bradley, family of Mark and Danitria Bradley	
Roger Ralay, friend of Nivo and Landy Robjhon	Peggy Ward
Heather Wyche, friend of Cyndi Jones	Janet Petty Sabo
Joanie Milliken, friend of Arlene Gribben	Sherril Reid
Armen Hartman, friend of the Carney family	Vincent Guidi
Vickie Gassman, friend of Bill and Debbi Iwig	Paul Flynn
Darren McFate, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes	Robert Wilson
Kate Broadhurst, friend of Scott and Jolie Fleming	Harry Martin
Pam Woolfenden, cousin of Pat Sherfey	Lydia Gillespie
Carla Padgett, mother of Mark Padgett	Bill and Mary Ruth Stacy
Amy Huss, daughter of Jerry and Margaret Bruce	Zachary Schnur
Evelyn Thomas, mother of Sherri Kenski	Linda Land
Dana and Dana Goward and family	Royce Garrett
Ludid Orozco, grandmother of Kyla Grigg	Liz Plewes
Ravine Harmon, friend of Jenny Otto	Michael, son of Jelanda Quarles
Guenther Koch, friend of Cyndi Jones	Betsy, friend of Dawn Perez
Betty Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase	Faye Liming
Micah Martino, nephew of Patricia Martino-Shapiro	
Jacqueline Wilson, friend of Sandra Chase	Donna Dye
Valerie Jersey, friend of Marcia Twomey	Betty Paul
Caden, nephew of Debbie Strickland	Beth Neary, niece of Jackie Flynn
Victoria Weyant, mother of Debbie Strickland	Nancy Shaffer
Shirl Peters, mother of Mary Peters	Mac, friend of Marcia Twomey
Matt McConville, brother of Jim McConville	Alvin Opulencia
Sue, friend of Erin McKenney	Lynn Duncan, friend of Dawn Perez
Bill Morris, step-brother of Steve Reynolds	Laura Laytar Plummer
Barbara Duman, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes	Dan Pemberton
Agnes Roberts, mother of Rohn Roberts	Father of Dave Morse
Mitchell Alderton, friend of the Schnur family	Charlene Sellner

For bereaved members and their families:

Nicholas and Lauren Twomey and family on the death of their beloved grandfather, Frederick A. Twomey

Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.

Presiding Bishop: Young Jin Cho, Richmond Area Virginia Conference

District Superintendent: Rev. 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

Seminary Intern: Jim Harrington

Dir. of Weekday Children's Programs: Maribeth Day



Academy of Discipleship
Annandale United Methodist Church

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

TODAY, MAY 29 – All adult classes are participating in the Memorial Day Ceremony at 9:45 a.m. in the Cemetery.

Next Sunday, June 5 - ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.

Bible Fellowship is studying the Book of Daniel in Room 111.

Faith in Life is studying *The Call* in Room 303.

Immanuel begins studying *Jewish Foundations* in Room 300.

In His Steps is studying *Invitation to the Old Testament* in Room 302.

Issues in Christianity is studying the Lives of Great Christians in Room 307.

Parents and Promises is studying *The Parables for Today* in Room 310.

Williams Bible Class is studying the Letters of Paul in Room 118.

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

Women of the Day is studying *Eve* by Wm Young in the Parlor.

Mid-week Classes/Groups: www.annandale-umc.org/academyofdiscipleship.

THE GRID

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

No Sunday School classes for the next three weeks

(Memorial Weekend, Youth Car Wash, Youth Sunday).

Classes will join for the summer beginning on June 19.

Youth Choir meets today from 12:15-1 p.m. in the Choir Room! See you there!

Ramp is on summer recess!

All Hands On Deck! Sign up is now available (for youth & parent volunteers) for our Car Wash Fundraiser on Sunday, June 5 during morning services.



Children's Ministries

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

End of year party for both choirs will be held today during their usual meeting times.

Celebration Singers (K-5th grade): 9:15 a.m.

Cherub Choir (2 years with parent and 3-4-year-old class): 9:55, room 311.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:45 a.m.

3-4 year olds class meets as usual.

Kindergarten - 5th grade: Meet in the atrium for the Memorial Day Tribute.

Chapel (4 years - 3rd grade): follows Moments with Children, room 313

Upcoming:

June 5: Open House for Godly Play classes. Parents and others are invited to visit the classrooms so children can show their favorite lessons. Everyone is welcome.

June 12: Bridging for 5th graders to youth.

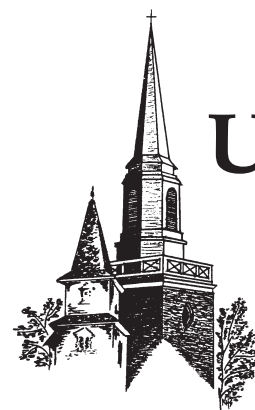


July 11-15: Come to the Table - Vacation Bible School.

Register online at www.annandale-umc.org today!!

Want to receive the weekly Children's Ministry (CM) Parent Eblast list?

Contact Becki at bstewart@annandale-umc.org.



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

May 29, 2016 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+GATHERING SONG "I Will Call Upon the Lord" *FWS No. 2002

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Lift High the Cross" Hymnal No.159

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Spread your open hands toward heaven—

People: Sing to the Lord a new song!

Leader: The Lord is like no other God—

People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth!

Leader: Come together to pray and praise:

All: The Lord has made us—Hallelujah! To the Lord we belong,
forever—Amen!

+OPENING PRAYER

O Lord, hear us in your habitation; listen to us in your dwelling place! Whatever our age, or race, or homeland, or class, or gender, or intelligence, or ability, or creed, you have promised to show us love: to heal us when we are wounded, to protect us when we are vulnerable, to come to us when we are alone. We stand now in need of your steadfast love; do not disappoint us!

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN Becki Stewart

(11 a.m. – Children may leave for Children's Chapel)

ANTHEM "Grace" Hayes Adult Choir

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.

PSALTER READING Psalm 96 8:30 Pete Snitzer; 11 Angie Houghton

+SONG OF PRAISE "Shout to the Lord" *FWS No. 2074

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY "America the Beautiful" arr. McDonald
(Tune: "Materna" by Ward) Caroline Evans, 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

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Kings 18:20-39

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

SERMON "The Best of All is, God is With Us!" Dr. Brown

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE "This is My Song" Hymnal No. 437

+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 "Hymn to the Fallen" Williams
(From Saving Private Ryan) Caroline Evans, piano

+Please stand as you are able.
*Faith We Sing supplementary hymnal

If you would like to participate in the Memorial Day Tribute, please remain after the 8:30 a.m. service for a brief liturgy in the sanctuary and procession to the cemetery. Check the bulletin insert for details.

Welcome to Annandale United Methodist Church! We extend a warm welcome to visitors and pray that something in our worship – the message, the music, the fellowship – will touch you, and we invite you to come back and worship with us again. Join us for light refreshments and fellowship in Wright Hall immediately after the worship service! Next Sunday, June 5, Dr. Brown will preach at 8:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a.m.

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OUR PRESENCE: May 22 Sunday Worship: 409 Sunday School: 156

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of Brett Wilson on his birthday by Emily Wilson.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of her father, Harvey R. Alexander, Tuskegee Airman, by Karen Alexander.



Connect

"Like" our Facebook page! We've been posting more information and photos on the church Facebook page, and we'd love to have you "like" us. You can share posts with your friends and comment on individual posts. To find us, just type "Annandale United Methodist Church – Virginia" in the search bar at the top of Facebook, or click on the "f" icon on the upper right of our website. If you have ideas or photos for Facebook posts or other news items, contact Jay Morris at jmorris@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

AUMC's Got Talent! Our annual church-wide talent show and ice cream social is next Sunday, June 5, at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary and Wright Hall. Come for a great night of fun and fellowship! Sign up now for a slot – there's room for everyone! Last year's event was a huge success, and we're confident that this year's talent will be even better. If you sing, play an instrument, dance, act, juggle, or whatever, come and be a part of this great evening for the whole Annandale church family! To sign up or for more information, contact Pat Vaughn at pvaughn@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330. Sign-ups are needed by Wednesday, June 1.

Sign up for the AARP Smart Driver class, June 6-7, in Wright Hall. The two-day course for drivers 55 and over will be held 10 a.m.– 3 p.m. each day, with one hour off for lunch. Cost: AARP members - \$15; nonmembers - \$20. Completion of the class may save on your auto insurance. Plan to arrive 15 minutes before the first class to pay for the course. To reserve a spot, contact Jane Underhill at 703-573-2056.

Share the sacrament of communion with our hospitalized or homebound members by volunteering to give communion each month to someone who is unable to attend Sunday service. For more information on our shut-in program, contact Pat Sherfey at 703-354-9676 or psherfey@yahoo.com.

Grow

Godly Play Open House: Do you ever wonder what your child is learning in Godly Play? On June 5 at 9:45 a.m., join your child in the K-3rd grade classes for a show and tell of their favorite stories. We encourage all parents to visit to support their children as they grow in faith and in their walk following Jesus.

Our ELP and preschool have been re-accredited by the NAEYC Academy for Early Childhood Program Accreditation! Only a small percentage of schools have earned this high mark of achievement. Congratulations to our weekday children's program staff!

Summer fun opportunity: Volunteers, center leaders, and shepherds are needed for AUMC's Vacation Bible School, "Come to the Table," July 11-15, 9 a.m. to noon. Contact Becki Stewart, bstewart@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330.



Heritage Campus: On the table under the atrium monitor, you can find a brief description of our new initiatives at the Heritage Drive Campus, along with a summary of our two Congregational Conversations, for your information.



Mark Your Calendar



- June 5 – Youth Car Wash
June 5 – Godly Play Open House
June 5 – AUMC's Got Talent
June 6-7 – AARP Smart Driver Class

Give

All God's Children Camp is a week-long overnight summer camp sponsored by the VA UMC for children (ages 7-12) of incarcerated mothers or fathers. The camps will take place at Camp Overlook near Harrisonburg, June 26 -July 1, and Occohonock on the Bay, Eastern Shore, July 31-Aug. 5. June 1 is the deadline to sign up to be a mentor. All can help with prayers and donations for scholarships of any amount; \$400 sends one child to camp. Checks, made out to AUMC with All God's Children Camp in the memo, may be placed in the Sunday collection plate.



Youth Car Wash, June 5: Support the youth summer mission trip to Brazil and get your vehicle cleaned at the Youth Car Wash during both Sunday services on June 5. A love offering is appreciated to help fund the trip. You can also purchase an AUMC magnet for your car by making a suggested donation of \$5. Magnets are also available in the church office.

Lenten Missions Update: The Missions Committee would like to thank all of those who generously gave to the Lenten Missions Project (LMP) offering this spring. Donations are still being accepted and will allow us to further our outreach to those in need in Annandale and around the world. Make your check payable to AUMC with Lenten Missions Project in the memo line.

Help distribute food to the hungry every Thursday, 5-7 p.m., Heritage campus, 7901 Heritage Dr. For details, call Betsy Clevenger at 703-425-6424.

Samaritan Gifts, which are received from Mother's Day through June 19, Father's Day, go directly to the financial support of residents in need who reside at a Virginia United Methodist Home (VUMH). Your gift can be designated to any VUMH community or go where the need is greatest as an undesignated gift.

AUMC is again sponsoring an adult mission trip to Brenton, West Virginia (Wyoming County), Oct. 23-29, with the Appalachia Service Project (ASP). Cost for the full trip: \$475 including transportation, lodging, meals and construction materials. Cost for 3 days: \$325. Contact John Clarke, clarkejhl@gmail.com, for more information. Commitments needed with a nonrefundable deposit of \$225.

Flowers on the Altar Needed: If you would like to place flowers on the altar in memory or honor of a loved one, please circle the date(s) you wish and return this form with a check made payable to AUMC. Cost: \$25 per arrangement. Flowers are not placed on the altar on the first Sunday of each month, Communion Sunday, Easter Sunday and the Sunday before Christmas have special flowers.

Table with 4 columns for months (July, August, September, October, November, December) and 4 rows for dates (10, 17, 24, 21, 18, 16, 23, 30, 13, 20, 11).

Name of Donor: _____ Phone: _____

[] In Memory of [] In Honor of (check one)

I/we wish to leave the flowers for distribution to shut-ins or those in the hospital. YES _____ NO _____