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

For our ongoing ministries;

For the sick and those in need:

Barbara and Maurice Johnson, friends of Jenny Otto

Walter Herbst, brother of Bob Herbst

James McGeady, friend of Elaine Hiner

Sterling Phillips, cousin of Davis Oliver

Carolyn, mother of Susan Ronkainen

Robert Stevenson, friend of Tina Svenson

Kim family, friends of the Pagnard family

Jean McDowell, mother of Sandy Barker

Karen Carlyle, cousin of Elaine Hiner

Genevieve Moss, aunt of Jolie Fleming

Gary Younglove, friend of Dick Conaway

David Korsh, friend of Dick Conaway

Roger Ralay, friend of Nivo and Landy Robjhon

Heather Wyche, friend of Cyndi Jones

Armen Hartman, friend of the Carney family

Vickie Gassman, friend of Bill and Debbi Iwig

Darren McFate, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes

Kate Broadhurst, friend of Scott and Jolie Fleming

Pam Woolfenden, cousin of Pat Sherfey

Carla Padgett, mother of Mark Padgett

Amy Huss, daughter of Jerry and Margaret Bruce

Evelyn Thomas, mother of Sherri Kenski

Lynn Duncan, friend of Dawn Perez

Ludid Orozco, grandmother of Kyla Grigg

Guenther Koch, friend of Cyndi Jones Shirl Peters, mother of Mary Peters

Betty Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase Michael, son of Jelanda Quarles

Micah Martino, nephew of Patricia Martino-Shapiro Faye Liming

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

Mitchell Alderton, friend of the Schnur family

Sue, friend of Erin McKenney Mac, friend of Marcia Twomey

Matt McConville, brother of Jim McConville

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

For bereaved members and their families:

Jay Patton and family on the death of his cousin, Charles Bart

Francine Cannon, Michele McGaffic, Alex, Scott, and Jaci Cannon, Michael and

Andrew McGaffic on the death of their father and grandfather, Stewart Scott

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

Ministerial Assistant: Jim Harrington

Dir. of Weekday Children's Programs: Maribeth Day



Academy of Discipleship
Annandale United Methodist Church

(Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver,

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ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.

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

Brownies with Brown (New Members) meets July 10 - 31 in Room 212C.

Faith in Life meets in Room 303.

Immanuel begins studying Jewish Foundations in Room 300.

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

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

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

Classes resuming in the fall: Issues in Christianity, Women in Search of Truth, and Women of the Day.

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

THE GRID

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

Sunday School classes merge together for the summer, starting today.

Youth Choir is on summer recess until September.

Ramp is on summer recess!

Where's Trish? Eleven youth and nine adults are currently on a mission trip to Brazil. Thank you to everyone who helped us raise money for the trip during last Sunday's car wash!



Children's Ministries

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

Summer Sunday School Fun! The summer curriculum is a mix of stories, games, service projects, and fun activities as we learn more about loving God and how we follow Jesus.

4 year old through 4th grade classes combine in room 311 at 9:45 a.m.

Children younger than 4 years old will be in childcare in room 206.

This Sunday is a SOS – Serving Others Sunday. We will make take-away lunches for Safe Haven Day shelter. During the summer many people, including children, come to the shelter for lunch and sometimes the numbers are so large that some might be turned away. The lunches allow the staff at Safe Haven a way to offer food to those who cannot get a meal that day.

Volunteers are needed: We are giving our wonderful teachers a break this summer so sign up to assist one Sunday morning this summer. Contact Becki to volunteer.

Children's Choirs are on summer recess.

Today is the last chapel until September.



Deadline is June 27! VBS REGISTRATION! Join us for "Come to the Table", July 11-15, 9 a.m. - noon Monday through Friday. Children age 3 years (as of September 30, 2015) through rising 5th graders.



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

June 26, 2016 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+OPENING PRAISE MEDLEY "He Has Made Me Glad" *FWS No. 2270
"We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise" *FWS No. 2031

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Lord, You Give the Great Commission", vs. 1, 2, 4
Hymnal No. 584

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Throughout the ages, disciples have said, "I will follow you wherever you go."

People: Lord, give us the freedom to follow you in the ways of love.

Leader: We come from busy homes, filled with little time to consider Christ in our lives.

People: Lord, give us the strength to follow you in the ways of faith.

Leader: We witness the troubles of this world – hunger, homelessness, hopelessness, and inequality.

People: Lord, give us the courage to follow you in the ways of justice.

All: Today, we celebrate the Holy Spirit, who shows us the joy of following God.

+OPENING PRAYER

Gracious God, in great wisdom, you have devised plans for each of us. Thank you for giving us gifts, abilities, and resources to contribute to the flourishing of the church of Jesus Christ. Strengthen our faith, so that we will pick up the mantle like your servant Elisha. When you call us to a new mission or ministry, help us to respond with joy and perseverance. Help us to recommit ourselves to the work you call us to do for the sake of Christ, our Lord. Amen.

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

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

Becki Stewart

ANTHEM

"He Never Failed Me Yet"

Ray

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.

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 9:51-62
8:30 Randy Gordon, 11 Darlene Robinson

+CHORUS "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" Hymnal No. 349

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN
THE LORD'S PRAYER
OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE
OFFERTORY "God So Loved the World" Stainer, arr. Sanborn
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 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14
Minister: The Word of God for the People of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Passing the Mantle" Rev. Johnson-Oliver

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE "Pass It On" Hymnal No. 572
+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 "The Quiet Heart" Scottie's Unfinished, John Ness Beck
Caroline Evans, piano

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

Sermon Notes: "Passing the Mantle"
Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver

1. Elijah _____ in advance to pass the mantle.
2. Elijah _____ and _____ Elisha.
3. Elisha requested a " _____ " of Elijah's spirit.
4. Elisha picked up the mantle and became Elijah's _____.

NOTES: _____

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OUR PRESENCE: June 19 Sunday Worship: 268 Sunday School: 64

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of Clay Carney on his birthday by Tracy and Kyla Carney.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of Hondre M. Razafindratsitohaina by Nivo and Landy Robjhon.

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, **July 3**, Rev. Eduardo Carrillo will preach at 8:30 and 11 a.m., and communion will be served. Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a.m.

Congratulations to Dr. Brown, Rev. Carrillo, and Rev. Johnson-Oliver, who have been reappointed to serve another year at AUMC!

Connect

Awesome August is coming! Mark your calendars for our special month-long celebration of connection, growth and service. Each Sunday in August is a combined service beginning at 11 a.m., followed by a special activity:

- Aug. 7:** Church picnic
- Aug. 14:** Stop Hunger Now food packaging
- Aug. 21:** Concert and lunch
- Aug. 28:** Washington Nationals baseball game

More details to come!

We are collecting school supplies again this summer for the Heritage Drive campus. In September, families who come for the Thursday night food distribution or our tutoring programs will be able to get supplies for their children. Check out the bulletin board in the atrium for items needed, pick up a list and let the bargain hunting begin! With your help, these children will know the joy of having new supplies.

Food Drive for ACCA: Next Sunday, **July 3**, 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 restock the food pantry for members of the Annandale community who are in need.

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

Academy Booklet submissions for fall classes and small groups are due now. Planning is underway for fall classes and small groups. Classes and groups should plan to submit updated details for summer schedules and fall studies as soon as possible.

Follow our Brazil mission team as they serve in Novo Almeida, Brazil, **June 24 – July 3**. Eleven youth and nine adults are on the trip. The team will be working on construction projects and interacting with the children served by the United Methodist Church's Shade and Fresh Water program. Please keep the team in your prayers! You can read their blog at <http://www.travelpod.com/travel-blog/brazil2011/12/tpod.html>.



Mark Your Calendar



- June 24 - July 3** – Mission Team in Brazil
- June 27** – Registration Deadline for Vacation Bible School
- June 30** – Summer Sandwich Project
- July 3** – ACCA Food Drive
- July 4** – Church Office closed. Happy Independence Day!

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 call 703-256-8330. The deadline for VBS registration is **June 27**.

New Member Class, "Brownies with Brown," will meet on Sundays in July, beginning **July 10**, in room 212C. The class, taught by Dr. Clarence Brown, is a time of exploration and discernment of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ at Annandale UMC. Topics range from Wesleyan theology to stewardship and spiritual gifts. Pre-registration is not necessary. For details, call the church office, 703-256-8330.

Thank you for your continued contributions to the Spirit Is Moving campaign. Your donations are helping our trustees to manage HVAC improvements and provide comfortable facilities and hospitality for all of our ministries.

Sign up for eGiving! Ensure that AUMC receives the support needed for operating expenses and ministries during the busy summer. Sign up for eGiving at <http://www.annandale-umc.org> and click on the Online Giving button.

Serve

Summer Sandwich Project begins **June 30**. Calling all volunteers, age 8 to 80-plus! It's time to make sandwiches for the families we serve at the Heritage Drive Campus. During the 10-week period school is out, we make about 700-800 sandwiches on Thursdays, 3—4:30 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall at Heritage. It's easy, it's fun, and it works best when we have lots of volunteers. The sandwich making is in its sixth year and is our way of serving those children who qualify for free breakfast and lunch during the school year but may not get enough to eat during the summer. For details, contact Betsy Clevenger at 703-425-6424.

Is God calling you to serve in prison ministry? Kairos of Northern Virginia is a Christian prison ministry program serving Greenville Correctional Center and Sussex I State Prison. The mission is to share the transforming love and forgiveness of Jesus Christ with the men at these prisons and provide continual spiritual support to the Kairos community. If you'd like to learn more about prison ministry, please join us for our next informational dinner on **Aug. 6** in Wright Hall at 5:30 p.m. Teams are forming for four-day weekends this fall at Greenville and Sussex I. For details, contact Frank Svenson, franksvenson@gmail.com, or visit the Kairos of NoVA website at <https://kairosnova.org/>.

ACCA Meals on Wheels coordinator needed. Do you have a heart for serving shut-ins? ACCA is in need of a volunteer who can devote about 5-6 hours a week coordinating the Annandale Meals on Wheels program. The coordinator needs a computer, will receive referrals for new clients, place orders with the caterer and report service numbers to the MOW treasurer each month. For more information, contact Mary Lee Di Spirito at 703-256-9513 or ddmld@verizon.net.

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