

...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:

Rusty Nichols, nephew of Liz Walker
Elizabeth Sedlins, friend of Scott and Jolie Fleming
Nayyar Farooq, uncle of Simon Samuel
Mike Capitman, friend of Charles Perdue
Vickie Gassman, friend of Bill and Debbi Iwig
Janet Pearson, aunt of Mark Pearson
Glenn Nelsen, uncle and godfather of Mark Pearson
Betty Cox Daniel, friend of Gwen Cody
Madalynn, young relative of Jane Underhill
Paul Keplinger, father of Sheila Kyer
Victoria Weyant, mother of Debbie Strickland
Elizabeth Miesen, friend of Jenny Otto
Norman Herbst and Machaela, brother of Bob Herbst
Sloane Springer, friend of Tracy Carney
The Crossin family, friends of Gail and Dan Pemberton
Regina Robinson and family, friends of Sheila Kyer
Peggy Early, friend of Judy McConville
Frances Harbin, caregiver of Ruth Nabbie
Mike Barron, brother-in-law of Debbi and Bill Iwig
Bill Morris, step-brother of Steve Reynolds
Matt McConville, brother of Jim McConville
Frankie Rodriguez, stepfather of Zaidy Berrios
Bobbie Stevenson, mother of Tina Svenson
Evelyn Thomas, mother of Sherri Kenski
Agnes Roberts, mother of Rohn Roberts
Tim Sheehy, friend of Helen Moreman
Betty Chase, sister-in-law of Sandra Chase
Guenther Koch, friend of Cyndi Jones
Eduardo Chuahy, father of Andrea Chuahy
Shelly Colbert, niece of Debbi and Bill Iwig
Mabel W. Thornton, mother of Lavinia Odejimi
Valerie Jersey, friend of Marcia Twomey
James McGeady, friend of Elaine Hiner
Jacqueline Wilson, friend of Sandra Chase
Kim family, friends of the Pagnard family
Micah Martino, nephew of Patricia Martino-Shapiro
Roger Ralay, friend of Nivo and Landy Robjhn
Karen Carlyle, cousin of Elaine Hiner
Genevieve Moss, aunt of Jolie Fleming
Victoria and Heather Wyche, friends of Cyndi Jones
Darren McFate, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes
Carla Padgett, mother of Mark Padgett

All those in uniform
Janet Petty Sabo
Leslie, niece of Bob Herbst
Paul Flynn
Pam Jones
Ruth Miller
Ruth Nabbie, mother of Jaie Brown
Charles Cox
Kay Peek, aunt of Tracy Carney
Tina Svenson
Ed Oliver
Hilde and Dan DeSouza
Baby Jaqueline
Betsy Clevenger
Shirl Peters, mother of Mary Peters
Patti Jones
Kurt Kruger
Bill and Mary Ruth Stacy
Virginia Cannon
Andrea Berrios
Sue, friend of Erin McKenney
Linda Land
Betty Paul
Royce Garrett
Peggy Ward
Jon Bretz, cousin of Erin McKenney
Dan Pemberton
Betsy, friend of Dawn Perez
Jonathan Krause
Beth Neary, niece of Jackie Flynn
Mac, friend of Marcia Twomey
Nancy Shaffer
Michael, son of Jelanda Quarles
Rocky Speake
Donna Dye
Kathy Gallo, friend of Michelle Prieto

Bereaved members and their families:

Lavinia Odejimi and family on the death of her aunt, Susie N. Holmes
Glaucia Allen and family on the death of her husband, William Burke Allen
Family and friends of Betty Maconaughey

Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.

Presiding Bishop: Sharma Lewis, 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 Music Ministries: Patrick Vaughn

Dir. of Youth Ministries: Trish Bradley

Dir. of Weekday Children's Programs: Maribeth Day

Ministerial Assistant: Jim Harrington



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 1 and 2 Peter in Room 111.

Faith in Life is studying *Vanishing Grace* in Room 303.

Immanuel is studying *The Unbreakable Promise: God's Covenants* in Room 300.

In His Steps is studying *God of Justice* in Room 302.

Issues in Christianity is studying death and dying in Room 307.

Parents and Promises is studying *Sticky Faith* in Room 310.

Williams Bible Class schedule is to be determined.

Women in Search of Truth is studying a Beth Moore study in Room 306.

Women of the Day begins studying *Walking the Bible* in the Parlor.

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

The Tuesday Morning Bible Study has begun a new study of the Epistle to the Romans. Led by Gloria Rothman, the class meets every other Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in Room 300. The next meeting will take place on Nov 15. All are welcome to join us!

THE GRID

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

Sunday School Classes

Senior high will meet in the Youth Room (Room 105)

Middle school will meet in Room 209.

Youth Choir meets today at 12:15 p.m.

Tonight is Middle School Night at RAMP!

All 6th, 7th, and 8th graders, come join us from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.!

Our next Youth Council meeting will be at the DiPetto/Poole house on Monday, Nov. 14, at 7 p.m. Be sure to mark your calendars!



Children's Ministries

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-olds): during Sunday school, Room 312

2-year-old children (as of 9-30-16) are welcome to join choir with a parent in attendance.

CHAPEL (4 years-3rd grade): at 11 a.m. service following Moments with Children in Room 313. Pick children up from chapel directly after worship ends, and sign up to help!

Christmas Pageant registration is now available online! Sign up by Nov. 20 at www.annandale-umc.org to be part of this magical celebration of the true story of Christmas! The pageant will be performed during the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services on Dec. 11; there is a required rehearsal on Saturday morning, Dec. 10.

Come KNOW, GROW, and SOW with us!



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

November 13, 2016 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+GATHERING SONG "Forever" On Screens

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN "O For a Thousand Tongues" Hymnal No. 57

+CALL TO WORSHIP Jim Harrington

Leader: The Word of God is planted in our hearts.

People: May our hearts be receptive to the Word.

Leader: The Love of God rains down on us.

People: May our souls soak in the wonder of God's love.

Leader: The Breath of God blows softly within us.

People: May our minds be stirred by the power of God's spirit.

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made.

All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

+OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, we cannot trust in our own goodness, so deal with us, not according to the severity of your judgment, but according to your mercy. Complete the work you've started in our lives so that your world may be transformed. Forgive us, when we neglect to see you, your work and your people. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN Casey Bonanno
(11 a.m. - Children may leave for Children's Chapel)

ANTHEM "For the Beauty of the Earth" arr. Mallory Annabells

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 Isaiah 12:1-6

+CHORUS "Cares Chorus" *FWS No. 2215
I cast all my cares upon you,
I lay all of my burdens down at your feet,
and anytime that I don't know what to do,
I will cast all my cares upon you.

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN
THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE
OFFERTORY "Prayer (Be Still My Soul)" arr. Whitehill
Annanbells

+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 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13
Minister: The Word of God for the People of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Just Do It" Rev. Carrillo

SENDING FORTH

+RECESSIONAL HYMN "It Is Well with My Soul" Hymnal No. 377

+BENEDICTION
+CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "We Are Called" *FWS No. 2172
We are called to act with justice,
we are called to love tenderly,
we are called to serve one another,
to walk humbly with God!

+POSTLUDE Antje Farmer

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

POINSETTIAS FOR CHRISTMAS
To place a poinsettia in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of a loved one on Dec. 24, please complete the form below and return it to the church office with your check for \$11 per plant by Sunday, Dec. 4. Orders without payment will not be accepted. Please use a separate form for each plant ordered. No telephone orders will be accepted. Make checks payable to AUMC. Poinsettia given by: Phone: Amount enclosed: In memory/honor of: (Check one) I will take the poinsettia Give poinsettia to shut-ins

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OUR PRESENCE: November 6 Sunday Worship: 366 Sunday School: 147

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of those who have served.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of her mother, Cora N. Earley, by Ginney Smelser.

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, Nov. 20, we begin our Advent study and sermon series: Sent: Delivering the Hope of Christmas by Jorge Acevedo. Rev. Johnson-Oliver will preach our first Advent sermon, "Jesus Reconciles," at 8:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday school will meet at 9:45 a.m.

Connect

Young adults meet today at 12:30 p.m. for lunch and discussion. See Rev. Carrillo for details.

Children's Christmas Pageant is just around the corner! We invite all children (infants through fifth grade) to participate in our annual Christmas Pageant during the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services on Dec. 11. Be sure to register your child online at www.annandale-umc.org by Sunday, Nov. 20. Also, there is a required rehearsal Saturday morning, Dec. 10. This is a wonderful opportunity for your child to learn more about the real story of Christmas!

Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service, Nov. 22: AUMC will host the ACCA Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service on Nov. 22 at 7:30 p.m. A small reception will be held in Wright Hall before the service at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend. ACCA also kicks off a year-long, 50th anniversary celebration this month. AUMC is one of the founding members of ACCA.

Thank you for your financial commitment to AUMC! Your generous support ensures that we have the resources to further our ministries and fund our operations. If you have not turned in a pledge card for 2017, extra cards are in the pews. You may leave your completed card in the offering plate or turn it in to the office. Note: We have received several cards that do not have a name or address. If you inadvertently turned in the receipt portion of your card, please contact Garry Bell in the office at 703-256-8330.

Grow

Buy pecans, help UMW missions! United Methodist Women are selling a new crop of pecans (whole and in pieces, chocolate- and cinnamon-covered) and walnuts after each Sunday worship service. To reserve a case of 24 or to make a special request, contact Sally Bizer at 703-256-3373. Make checks payable to AUMW.

New Member Class, "Brownies with Brown," will meet today, Nov. 20 and Nov. 27 at 9:45 a.m. in Room 212C. The class, taught by Dr. Clarence Brown, is a time of exploration of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ at AUMC.

Join the Festival Choir: We are rehearsing for our Christmas Lessons and Carols service on Dec. 4. If you are college age or above and love to sing the songs of the season, join us for this short time commitment on Wednesdays through Nov. 30, 7:15-8 p.m., in Room 113. Contact pvaughn@annandale-umc.org for details.



Advent Study 2016 is Sent: Delivering the Gift of Hope at Christmas by Jorge Acevedo. "As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them..." (John 17:18) God sent Christ into the world as our Savior. In turn, Christ sends us into the world. But do we really understand how, where, and why we are sent? This Advent study challenges us through story, art, and Bible study to discover what it means to be Christ's hands, feet, head, and heart in the world. Advent study and sermon series begins Nov. 20. Books are available for purchase in Wright Hall.



FaithJustice Forum - The monthly forum will meet next on Sunday, Nov 20 at 12:30 p.m. in Room 300. The topic is "Is Unity Possible? Postmortem on Election 2016." Recommended Reading: Roadmap to Reconciliation by Brenda Salter McNeil. A light lunch will be provided. RSVP at www.annandale-umc.org/faithjusticeforum or to cjohnsonoliver@annandale-umc.org.

Ministry outreach opportunities at Golden LivingCenter: Join us on the first Sunday of the month as we minister to the residents of Golden LivingCenter - Sleepy Hollow (6700 Columbia Pike). We meet at 2:30 p.m. to sing hymns and reflect on the scripture. This is a ministry of presence, so simply "being there" is appreciated by the residents. If you play an instrument or would be willing to prepare a brief scripture lesson, that would be helpful, too. To get involved, contact Rick Rosenberger at 703-371-5809 or rosenbergerra@yahoo.com.

Serve

Hypothermia Week is coming! Make plans to help out after Thanksgiving for our annual Hypothermia Week, Nov. 27-Dec. 4. Each year, AUMC partners with FACETS to offer our homeless neighbors a warm meal and a place to sleep. Volunteers are needed for setup, meals, donations, transportation, cleanup, and overnight and morning coverage. Sign up for time slots in the atrium or through SignUpGenius at http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090B4FAEAC229-aumc. Also, don't forget to take one of the yellow sticky notes from Hypo Harry in front of the sanctuary. Harry is covered with stickies representing hygiene, comfort and personal-care items needed to help our guests. For more information, contact Cyndi Jones at cyndij123@verizon.net or 571-212-8824.

Help with homework on Wednesdays: Be a part of our tutoring team on Wednesday afternoons, 3:45-5:45 p.m., in the AUMC Mission Center fellowship hall. Volunteers are needed to serve as tutors, readers and snack coordinators for students in grades 1-9. To volunteer, contact Jerry Beyer at 703-399-1395.

Volunteer to serve after-school meals at Poe Middle School. The commitment includes prepping, serving or going shopping one Tuesday per month. Bakers are also needed to make cookies (supplies provided). For more information, contact Sheila Kyer at 703-981-6080 or Sheila.Kyer@dbhds.virginia.gov.

Lend a hand with backpack meals: Our food ministry provides backpack meals to designated fourth- and fifth-grade students at Annandale Terrace and Braddock Elementary Schools. Volunteers are needed to pack the meals and deliver them. Contact Betsy Clevenger at 703-425-6424.

Thank you for your Kairos cookies and prayers for the Kairos Prison Ministry program at Greensville Correctional Center, Oct. 13-16. Seeds of faith were planted, lives were touched by God's amazing love, new friendships were started, and God's gracious forgiveness was extended. Your cookies, prayers and support are vitally important for this ministry. Thank you and God bless you! - Your Annandale UMC Kairos team members.