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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:

Dawn Adams, friend of the FitzGibbons

Osric and Carmen Wellington, relatives of Clarence Brown Pat Shattuck

Joshua, friend of Julia Bizer

Lisa Thomasson Fitchett

Courtney, Jay, Katie, Jackie, friends of Johnny Rogerson Charlene Sellner

Remington-Katrosser family, friends of Wanda Warren Peggy Ward

Sabra Eagan, cousin of Jane Underhill

Charles George

Kendra Hockaday, friend of Rosemary Perdue

Naomi Totten

Clement Redwood, friend of Nivo Robjhon

Ginny Vardy

Jeffrey Gaines, friend of Jaie Brown

Evie Gibson

Ashley, friend of Sheila Kyer

Allison Crane

Judy Burns, mother of Carol Burns

Donna Dye

Troy Todd, friend of Louise Golobic

Jack Whitley

Jeryl McLeod, sister of Jaie Brown

Foy LaFone

Matt Poling, nephew of Rita Witkowski

Pat Shand

Linda Ware Tate, friend of Cyndi Jones

Gordon Weihmiller

W. H. Farley, friend of Cyndi Jones

Helen Grant

Bock Sill Yi, mother of Song Yi

Mary Keeling

Claire Saah, friend of Rosemary Perdue

Mary Ann Marples

Landyn Lee Jensen, son of Jaclyn Bradley

Luke Stewart

David Smith, brother of Debbi Iwig

Lisa King

Keisha Morris, god-daughter of Cyndi Jones

Philip McConville, brother of Jim McConville

Robert Hobson, father of Ted Hobson

Dr. Tara L. Covey, friend of Sandra Chase

For bereaved members and their families:

Karen Robinson and family on the death of her father, Edward Goetsche

OUR SERVICES:

Greeters: Funeral Ministry

Fellowship Hours: Deborah/Miriam Circles

Acolytes: 8:30 Danielle Oliver, Claire Vaughn

11:00 Davis Kampschorr, Danielle Oliver

Crucifers: 8:30 Wesley Vaughn

11:00 Zea Bonanno

**Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.**

*Presiding Bishop: Young Jin Cho, Richmond Area Virginia Conference*

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**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:45 a.m.**

**Bible Fellowship** is studying Romans in Room 111.

**Disciple I** (Sunday School Edition) meets in Room 210.

**Exploring Faith in Life** is studying *The Jesus I Never Knew* in Room 303.

**In His Steps** is studying *Touch: Pressing Against the Wounds of a Broken World* in Room 302.

**Issues in Christianity** is studying “Why Evil Exists” in Room 307.

**Kaleidoscope** meets monthly in Room 300.

**Parents and Promises** meets in Room 305. Special Speaker: child development specialist and psychologist Rene Hackney. Focus: emotional development and ways to teach emotion language.

**Williams Bible Class** meets in Room 118.

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

**Women of the Day** is studying *The Jesus I Never Knew* in the Parlor.

## THE GRID

### Youth Sunday School Classes

**Connect Class (Grades 6-7):** Meet in Room 209

**Epistle Class (Grades 8-9):** Meet in Room 308

**Deeper Class (Grades 10-12):** Meet in the Youth Room (Room 105)

**The Youth Choir** is NOT rehearsing today. We will meet next Sunday, May 5 at 12:15 in the Choir Room.

Join us at **Ramp** for a special message from **Jackie Long!**



### Children's Ministries ☀

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

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

**3 year olds – 5th Grade:** 9:45 a.m.

**Celebration Choir** (K -5th Grade): 9:15 a.m., Room 311

**Cherub Choir** (3 year old class and 4 year old class): During Sunday School

### ON-LINE REGISTRATION IS NOW AVAILABLE!

Join us for The Vine VBS. June 24-28. 9-noon Monday through Friday.

Children age 3 (as of Sept. 30, 2012) – 4th Grade.

**5th grade and up** – be part of the fun by volunteering to help with a class or center.

Go to [www.annandale-umc.org](http://www.annandale-umc.org) to sign up your child, as a volunteer, and for childcare if you are a volunteer with a child too young for VBS this year.

Invite your friends and neighbors!

**Join in the Race Away Hunger project** this Sunday! Get your team button to collect one of the seven food items (canned vegetables, fruit, pasta, soup and so on). Food collection begins next week and will fill the empty pantry at Rising Hope (a mission church on the Rt. 1 corridor). This is a terrific way for children to learn empathy and the power of sowing God's love through service.

**Come KNOW, GROW, and SOW with us!**



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

April 28, 2013 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

WELCOME OF VISITORS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

INTROIT

“We Are Singing”

arr. Hopson

Combined Youth and Adult Choirs

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven”

Hymnal No. 66

+PSALTER

(Psalm 148 selected verses)

Leader: Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise the LORD in the heights!

People: Praise the LORD, all God's angels; praise the LORD, all God's host!

Leader: Let them praise the name of the LORD, for God commanded and they were created.

People: Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!

Leader: Young men and women alike, old and young together!

All: Let them praise the name of the LORD, for God's name alone is exalted; God's glory is above earth and heaven. Praise the LORD!

+OPENING PRAYER

Holy God, you have called us to follow in the way of your risen Son, and to care for those who are our companions, not only with words of comfort, but with acts of love. Guide us in the path of discipleship, so that, as you have blessed us, we may be a blessing for others, bringing the promise of the kingdom near by our words and deeds. Amen.

MISSION MOMENT - RACE AWAY HUNGER

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

Becki Stewart

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

ANTHEM

“Draw the Circle Wide”

Miller

Combined Youth and Adult Choirs

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.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Acts 2:42-47  
8:30 a.m. Bailey Senyitko, 11 a.m. Cyndi Jones

+HYMN

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit" Hymnal No. 334

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN  
THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE  
OFFERTORY

"I Will Rise" Courtney  
Combined Youth and Adult Choirs

+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 12:9-13

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

SERMON

"Love One Another" Rev. Johnson-Oliver

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

+SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE

"They'll Know We Are Christians" \*FWS No. 2223

+BENEDICTION

+CHORAL RESPONSE

"On Eagle's Wings" Hymnal No. 143

And God will raise you up on eagle's wings,  
bear you on the breath of dawn,  
make you to shine like the sun,  
and hold you in the palm of God's hand.

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+POSTLUDE

"I Know Whom I Have Believed" arr. Schram  
Justin Dean, piano

+Please stand as you are able.

\* Faith We Sing Supplementary Hymnal

Sermon Notes:

"Love One Another", Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver

- 1. Early Christians accepted \_\_\_\_\_ as an entry point for sharing the Gospel.
- 2. Early Christian house-churches were a place of authentic \_\_\_\_\_ and were the first \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. Extending hospitality was a mark of new \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.
- 4. Christian hospitality is rooted in the command to \_\_\_\_\_ one another.

NOTES: \_\_\_\_\_  
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OUR PRESENCE: April 21 Sunday Worship: 402 Sunday School: 159  
Offerings Last Sunday: \$16,217.75

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of Lizanne Cook.

Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of Brian and Shawn Wilson's anniversary by Brett and Emily Wilson.

Events at AUMC!



Fun and Service: TODAY, April 28, is the deadline to register for the Camp Highroad "Giving Back" Campout, scheduled for May 17-19. This is a fun opportunity for people of any age to help clean up and repair faculties at the camp and enjoy a weekend together outdoors. Contact Mark Bradley, Bradleyfam@aol.com.

Family Fun Day at Kings Dominion for Virginia United Methodists is scheduled for Saturday, May 4. Price is \$29.99 per person on that day for United Methodists. Purchase your ticket online by going to http://KingsDominion.com/VAUMC and entering User Name: KDUMC04 Password: KDUMC04. The Methodist discount may also be used Saturdays, May 4, 11, and 18, and also Memorial Day weekend, May 25, 26, and 27.

Mission Opportunity: Flower Planting - Join the Mission Team in planting flowers at Joseph's House, Sunday, May 5. We will meet at AUMC at noon. Joseph's House is a home in Washington, DC for terminally ill homeless men and women. It offers a caring human presence for those who would otherwise face a lonely, isolated death. Bring your gardening tools and begonias to plant. If you are unable to join us, you may donate flowers (bring by noon May 5). A signup sheet is in the atrium for volunteers.

You have spoken. Thanks to all for suggestions for the upcoming sermon series. Here is the schedule: May 5: Doubt and Hope; May 12: Christian Home - Who should "submit"? (Joint sermon by Clarence and Cynthia); May 19: Holy Spirit; May 26: Kingdom of God; June 2: Sin and Grace; June 30: Forgiveness.



Gourmet Dinner and Fellowship: Don't miss the next Wednesday Night Together, May 8, 5:45 p.m. The menu will be parmesan lemon crusted tilapia, bow tie pasta with alfredo sauce, lemon roasted asparagus, rolls and pound cake with strawberries for dessert. (Thank you Joni Laurence!) The program will be "Kairos, God's Special Time - A Prison Ministry". Dinner reservations are made on the attendance pad in the pew or by contacting Joyce Kitzmiller, jkitzmiller@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330 by noon on Monday. Cost is \$7 per person, \$3 per child, \$20 per family maximum, or \$10 per carry-out meal, in cash or check at the door.

Calling all AUMC Men! We need YOU! On Mother's Day, May 12, we are going to give our ladies in the Adult Choir the morning off and FILL our loft with the men of AUMC! If you have ever sung in your life, this is YOUR chance! We will be meeting for the next two Wednesday nights from 8:15-8:45 p.m. and we want YOU! Prior choir experience is NOT required! We hope to see you this Wednesday in the Choir Room at 8:15 p.m. for rehearsal! For more information, contact Pat Vaughn, pvaughn@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330.

Calling College Grads: An upcoming issue of the Witness will highlight AUMC's 2013 college and high school graduates. Please send the following information: name of student, degree, name of college/university, and any other information you would like to share, such as future plans (graduate school, new job, etc.) and parents' names. Please email information to bgordon@annandale-umc.org.

Haiti Mission Blog: To read about the amazing experiences of the Annandale Haiti Mission Team members, check out their blog, linked to the AUMC web site www.annandale-umc.org.



Mark Your Calendar



TODAY, 9:45 a.m., room 300: Presentation on Internet Safety for Teens by a representative from the Center for Missing and Exploited Children. This class will focus on parents with teens, but parents of children of all ages are welcome.

May 2, 5 - 7 p.m., food distribution, Immanuel Campus

May 3, 7-9 p.m., AUMC's new member class "Brownies with Brown", room 210.

May 4, 7:30 p.m., David Chavez Doctoral Recital, Sanctuary.

May 4, "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner"

May 5, ACCA food drive.

May 8, 5:45 p.m., Wednesday Night Together fellowship dinner.

Volunteer Drivers needed by Rising Hope: A driver is needed from 10 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Wednesday mornings to deliver groceries to about 20 people who are home bound due to illness or old age. A van is available or the volunteers can use their own vehicle. For more information, contact Sarah Heckman, Rising Hope United Methodist Missions Church, 8220 Russell Rd., Alexandria, VA, 703-360-1976, sheckman@risinghopeumc.org.

Join a Team to Race Away Hunger! Their pantry is empty. Their cupboards are bare. Rising Hope needs our help! AUMC to the rescue! On Sunday, May 5, AUMC is launching a Food Drive for Rising Hope to RACE AWAY HUNGER. You can be a Soupy Shark, or Beany Bear. How about a Pasta Parrot or a Meaty Monkey? Want to collect canned vegetables? Join the Veggie Vipers. And let's not forget the Fruity Flamingos and the Tomato Tigers! Beginning TODAY, join a team and receive an official team button and an information flyer. Collections will continue through May 19. Food dropped off during the week should be taken to the church office. Every 50 items equals 1 lap around the track. Special prize to the winning team!

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner - May 4

All are invited to host or attend dinner on May 4 in AUMC members' homes. Don't miss this opportunity to meet people from the church that you have not had a chance to meet, or to catch up with friends you haven't seen for awhile.

Hosts:

- host the dinner at your home
- provide an entrée and beverage
- envelopes will be mailed to you during the week of April 28 with the number of guests

Guests

- bring a side-dish and/or dessert for the expected number of people
- dinner host/address/dinner time and dish serving number envelope will be mailed to you the week of April 28.

Everyone is encouraged to sign up as a host or guest no later than April 28. Fill out the form below and put it in the offering plate or return it to the church office. Or you may contact Linda Hobson at 703-642-8623 or kraavings@cox.net to sign-up or with questions. Limited sign-up will also be available between services in the atrium.

HOST GUEST (circle one)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Food Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday Service you attend: 8:30 \_\_\_\_\_ 11 \_\_\_\_\_

(Host): How many guests can you accommodate? \_\_\_\_\_

Time of Guest Arrival: \_\_\_\_\_

(Guest): # Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Dish to Share: \_\_\_\_\_