

...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:

Kurt Hinshaw and family, friends of DeEtte Johnson	Donna Dye
Robert Hobson, father of Ted Hobson	Doris White
Sarah Turner, aunt of Sally Bizer	Molly Cromwell
Jim Bizer, father of Mike Bizer	Rocky Speake
Frank Kenski, father-in-law of Sherri Kenski	Michelle Prieto
Dr. Tara L. Covey, friend of Sandra Chase	Janet Woods
Nancy Borneman, friend of Sandra Chase	Sherril Reid
Frank Dunagan, brother of Phyllis Shockley	Maddie Grace Brown
Family and friends of Casey Schulman	Elizabeth and Win Barrows
Bobbie Stevenson, mother of Tina Svenson	Pat Shand
Robert McGuire, father of Laura Hart	Mary Peters
Marcia Cornell, cousin of Luanne Pond	Luke Stewart
Egan Delaney, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes	Lisa King
Philip McConville, brother of Jim McConville	Jack Whitley
Barbara Gard, grandmother of Tracie Clemmer	Elaine Snider
Barbara Duman, friend of Denny and Jennifer Stokes	Helen Newkirk
Chrisanne Lenzsch, friend of Erin McKenney	LaQueta Thomasson
Louise Powers, aunt of John Clemmer	Mary Ann Marples
Sue Medlin Smith, friend of Patricia Martino-Shapiro	
Connie Pearson, mother of Mark Pearson	
Jeffrey Gaines, friend of Jaie Brown	
Heike Knight, sister of Margaret Vaughn	
Joseph Martino, father of Patricia Martino-Shapiro	
Jim Matheny, friend of Don Yesukaitis	
Steve Ripper, brother-in-law of Don Yesukaitis	

For bereaved members and their families:

Sally Bizer and family on the death of her aunt, Agnes Smith.
 Ted Hobson and family on the death of his mother, Virginia Hobson.
 Tami Hatch and family on the death of her mother, Dot Hatch.
 Family and friends of Fran Valler.

OUR SERVICES:

Greeters: Communion Stewards
 Fellowship Hosts: Caring Ministries

Hearing devices are available upon request from the ushers.

Presiding Bishop: Young Jin Cho, Richmond Area Virginia Conference
District Superintendent: Rev. Kenneth Jackson
Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Clarence R. Brown
Associate Pastor: Rev. Eduardo Carrillo
Associate Pastor Adult Discipleship: Rev. Cynthia Johnson-Oliver, J.D.

Accountant: Wanda Carr	Dir. of Weekday Children's Programs: Maribeth Day
Assistant to DCEC: Stephanie Haley	Dir. of Youth Ministries: TJ Knowland
Business Administrator: Garry Bell	Facilities Maintenance Manager: Taye Nadi
Cemetery Manager: Mike Moser	Media Specialist: Diana Dzikiewicz
Communications Manager: Barbara Gordon	Membership Secretary: Dottie Rogerson
Dir. of Christian Ed. for Children: Becki Stewart	Office Manager: Joyce Kitzmiller
Dir. of Music Ministries: Patrick Vaughn	Pianist: Justin B. Dean



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

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 *Confronting the Controversies* Room 303.
In His Steps is studying Romans in Room 302.
Issues in Modern Christianity is studying *Why Evil Exists* in Room 307.
Kaleidoscope will meet today in Room 300.
Parents and Promises meets in Room 305.
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 meets in the Parlor.

For more information and registration, visit www.academyofdiscipleship.com.

THE GRID

(Director: TJ Knowland, tjknowland@annandale-umc.org)

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)
Youth Choir resumes TODAY from 4:30-5:30 p.m. in the Choir Room!

“OMG”Series Finishes Tonight...

We heard last week about saying “Oh My God” as a cry of desperation. Join us tonight as we look at saying it when we are in complete awe. When we really think about it, our God is AWESOME! Come at 5:30 for dinner and remember to bring \$2 to contribute. See you tonight!

Reminder that all Final Balances for the Ski Trip are due!



Children's Ministries

(Director: Becki Stewart, 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
Chapel (4 years old as of Sept. 30, 2012 - 3rd grade): During 11 a.m. service, Room 312
Children's Council Meeting follows the second service, Room 309

NEW YEAR REMINDERS

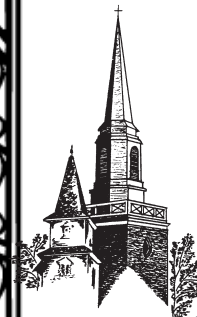
CHAPEL PARENTS – Time to sign up for your days to assist with Chapel. Chapel leaders lead each class session. You serve as a second adult so that we meet our safety policy requirements. The signup sheet is on the table near 312. Thanks!

Sunday School classes welcome children ages 3 (as of Sept. 30, 2012) through 5th grade at any time during the year. Registration forms are available from the third floor Parent's Resource Area.

SAVE THE DATE – Vacation Bible School June 24-28. Mark your calendars now for VBS 2013 ~ THE VINE!

Pick up PICTURES WITH SANTA from the 3rd Floor Parent Resource Area. (across from 310).

Come KNOW, GROW, and SOW with us!



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THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR DIVINE WORSHIP
January 13, 2013 • 8:30 and 11 a.m.
BAPTISM OF THE LORD

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

WELCOME OF VISITORS

+GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS IN PEACE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE “The Solid Rock”, arr. Raney Justin Dean

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN “God of Grace and God of Glory”
 Hymnal No. 577

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: If it were not for the presence of God-with-us; we would lack the strength to overcome whatever threatens to engulf us.

People: Blessed be God who saves us from the destructive forces which surround us.

Leader: Praise God who hears and answers our calls for help.

People: We join our praise to that of the Psalmist as we proclaim:

ALL: Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth.

+OPENING PRAYER

God our Father, we give you thanks that you have gifted us with faith in your Son Jesus Christ, our Savior and our Lord. Make this faith grow in us, that it may weather all questions and difficulties. Give us also a great understanding and trust in the leadership of the Church, that together we may strengthen our community and bear witness to the world of your saving mercy and love. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH “The Apostles' Creed” Hymnal No. 881

+GLORIA PATRI Hymnal No. 70

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

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

...AND I WILL SUPPORT THE CHURCH WITH MY PRAYERS, MY PRESENCE, MY GIFTS AND MY SERVICE.

OUR PRESENCE: Jan. 6 Sunday Worship: 303 Sunday School: 123
Offerings Last Sunday: \$23,471.00


Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in memory of her mother, Helen Nichols, by Liz Walker.


Rosebud on the Altar celebrates the birth of Fiona Gwendolyn Aiobhinn Watson, daughter of Jared and Courtney Watson, born Dec. 4, 2012.

Congratulations to Charles and Emma George who celebrated their 53rd wedding anniversary Jan. 9.


Events at AUMC!




 **Seminar/Kaleidoscope will meet today** (Jan. 13) at 9:50 a.m. in room 300, and Dr. Jack Underhill will present his 7th annual "State of the Nation" summary, covering 2012 trends in U.S. crime, education, the elections, the state of the American family, the economy, taxes, religion, and other topics.

 **The Bible Fellowship Class** begins an in-depth study of Paul's letter to the church at Rome. This letter is Paul's summary of the gospel, its need, its content, and its expression. Anyone is welcome.

 **Coming Soon: Lenten Study 2013:** *The Jesus I Never Knew*, by Phillip Yancey. Registration begins next Sunday, Jan. 20; the study begins Feb. 10.

 **Ordinary People, Extraordinary Lives!** is the title of the new sermon series about the Disciples. The schedule is as follows: Jan. 20, Mary; Jan. 23 (Wednesday) Matthew; Jan. 27, Judas and Feb. 3, Barnabas.

Save the Date: Vacation Bible School this year will be June 24-28, 9 a.m. until noon. Registration coming soon. VBS Celebration Sunday will be June 30.

 **Wednesday Night Together**, scheduled for Jan. 16, is an opportunity for fellowship and a "night out". The program next week will be about James and John as part of the sermon series Ordinary People, Extraordinary Lives! Dinner reservations are due by noon on Monday, Jan. 14, and can be made on the pew pad or by contacting Joyce Kitzmiller, jkitzmiller@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330. The menu will be chicken and rice, salad, rolls and chocolate cream pie. Cost is \$7 per person, \$3 per child, \$20 per family maximum, or \$10 per carry-out meal payable in cash or check at the door; make checks payable to AUMC. Dinner begins at 5:45 p.m., the program will begin about 6:30 p.m.

Teams Forming to Prepare Meals: four teams of 4 -5 people are needed to provide dinner for 150 students at Poe Middle School. Volunteers are needed to create a menu, shop for ingredients, prepare food, serve the meal, and clean up. Funds are available to cover costs. For more information, contact Molly Wilmarth molly.wilmarth@yahoo.com, 703-474-3281 or Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424.

Mason District Town Hall will be held at AUMC on Tuesday, Jan. 15, 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Guests will include Mason District Supervisor Penny Gross, School Board Representative Sandy Evans, Police Station Commander Capt. Gun Lee and code compliance representatives.

Join the 2013 Mission Trip: Volunteers are being recruited for a VIM construction/ leadership development mission team to Cambine, Mozambique in 2013. The tentative dates are July 26 through Aug. 11. If you are interested in participating, or would like more information, please contact Molly Wilmarth, molly.wilmarth@yahoo.com; Erin McKenney, hoopsfan1@verizon.net; or Mark Bradley, Bradleyfam@aol.com. The first team meeting (mandatory) is scheduled for Jan. 27 at 3 p.m. in room 210 at AUMC (Note: this meeting time has changed from previous bulletins). All interested persons are encouraged to attend.



Mark Your Calendar



Tuesday, Jan. 15, 7:30 p.m.: Mason District Town Hall

Wednesday, Jan. 16, 5:45 p.m.: Wednesday Night Together fellowship dinner

Thursday, Jan. 17, noon: brown bag lunch making and 5-7 p.m., food distribution at Immanuel campus. Contact Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424 for details.

We Want to Hear from You! The Communications Committee and office staff need to know what you want to know about AUMC and how you want to get it...on paper, online, electronically or in print? Visit the AUMC website www.annandale-umc.org to complete the survey online or pick up a survey in the Atrium today.

Did you know that AUMC's United Methodist Women have launched a task force to fight human trafficking here in Northern Virginia? To learn more, contact Kristine Grow at krstngrow@gmail.com.

Brown Bag Lunch makers needed Thursdays through March, 12 noon at Immanuel campus. The lunches are for the Bailey's Homeless Shelter. Help is also needed with food distribution every Thursday, 5 - 7 p.m. For more information call Betsy Clevenger, 703-425-6424.

Volunteers are needed to provide Sunday morning coverage in the church office 9:30 - 10:45 a.m. If several people volunteer, they would only be needed once or twice a month. Please contact Joyce Kitzmiller at jkitzmiller@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330 if you are interested.

Sunday Morning AV Team needs more volunteers, especially for the 11 a.m. service! The AV Team provides sound, slides and video at the morning worship services. If you have experience in this area and would like to volunteer, please contact Garry Bell, gbell@annandale-umc.org or call 703-256-8330.

Inclement Weather Announcements: When the weather is severe enough to cancel services/activities, information will be recorded on the office voice mail system. Call 703-256-8330 to hear the recorded message or visit the website www.annandale-umc.org.

Flowers are needed for the Altar on Sunday, Jan. 20. If you would like to place flowers on the altar in memory or honor of a loved one, please bring or mail a check to the church office and note to whom the flowers are in memory or honor of. The check should be payable to AUMC and the cost is \$25 per arrangement. For more information call 703-256-8330.

Kindergarten Readiness: The Weekday Preschool and Early Learning Programs are sponsoring a parent coffee on Kindergarten Readiness on Tuesday, Jan. 15 at 7 p.m. in the Media Center. Two kindergarten teachers from Weyanoke and Mason Crest Elementary Schools will talk about what skills and milestones are important for your child to have mastered before entering school. All interested parents are invited to come and bring their questions.

The Happy Wanderers will be going to the Indian Museum of American History on Thursday, Jan. 17. Anyone interested should contact Rosemary Perdue at 703-354-6645.

The Grid Needs You! In less than three weeks, 30 youth from our church will attend their annual Ski Retreat. This is not the "normal" ski trip. Youth will ski on Saturday, but throughout the entire weekend they will be challenged to live a "Life in HD" through worship, alone time, and bible study. In order to make his possible we need your help. Each youth is in need of a \$50 scholarship to help them go on this retreat. You will be a HUGE part in making a difference in these youth's lives. See The Grid's table in the Atrium after church to help support the youth of our church.

ANTHEM "Built on a Rock" arr. Althouse
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.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 43:1-7
8:30 a.m. Carol Burns, 11 a.m. Justin Dean

+HYMN "You Are Mine" *FWS No. 2218

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERTORY "Jesus, Lover of My Soul", arr. Ham Justin Dean

+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 Matthew 16:13-20

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

SERMON "Peter the Rock" Dr. Brown

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN OF RESPONSE "My Hope is Built" Hymnal No. 368

+BENEDICTION

+CHORAL RESPONSE "The Summons" *FWS No. 2130

*Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.*

+POSTLUDE "Rock Medley", arr. Ham Justin Dean

+Please stand as you are able.

* Faith We Sing Supplementary Hymnal