

Children's Ministries ☀

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Sunday School classes meet at 9:45 a.m.

Today is our Day of Service, 9:45 a.m. Combined Sunday school for children (ages 2- 5th grade) in Hughes Hall. All children are invited to live out Jesus' call to "feed my sheep" through hands-on service projects.

Bible presentations, June 2: We will present Bibles to our third graders next Sunday. Please send an email to Ruth Anne Luckenbaugh, rluckenbaugh@annandale-umc.org, stating how you would like your child's name to appear on the bookplate. Also, if you have an older child who has not received a Bible, please let Ruth Anne know so that a bookplate can be prepared.

Vacation Bible School: "Athens: Paul's Dangerous Journey to Share the Truth." All children age 3 (as of Sept. 30, 2018) through rising fifth graders are welcome. The cost is \$20 for the first child and \$10 for each additional child (\$40 maximum per family); register at annandalechurch.com/vbs. Volunteers can sign up at annandalechurch.com/vbsvolunteer.

AUMC YOUTH

6th-12th Grade; *Leader:* Rev. Peter Kwon, pkwon@annandale-umc.org

SUNDAY SCHOOL (9:45 a.m.)

Middle schoolers meet in Room 209

High Schoolers meet in the Youth Room

YOUTH NIGHT

(5:30-7:30 p.m.)

See you tonight!

Youth Choir meets today, 12:15-1 p.m., in the Choir Room. Join us!

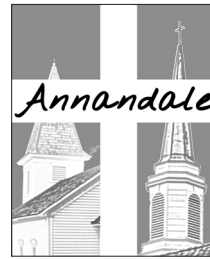
June 2: Youth Sunday (10:30 a.m.), Collide (4-6 p.m.) and Talent Show (6:30 p.m.): We will have ONE service at 10:30 a.m.! Youth will lead the worship, gaining a sense of ownership of our services. Reach out to Peter to get involved. **Collide** is our event for welcoming our rising 6th graders into youth ministry. There will be arcade-style basketball hoops, cornholes, giant jenga, pizza and more. Our **Annual Talent Show** is at 6:30 p.m. To participate in the talent show, talk to Peter or email Pat Vaughn at pvaughn@annandale-umc.org.



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Rev. Jason Micheli
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Welcome to Annandale United Methodist Church!

6935 Columbia Pike, Annandale VA 22003

May 26, 2019

Thank you for joining us for worship today! Come to Wright Hall after the service for fellowship and refreshments, and feel free to take this leaflet home for a friend.

Single service at 10:30 a.m. next Sunday, June 2: Join us as we honor our youth, who will lead us in a combined worship service that day.

AUMC's Got Talent! Our annual church-wide talent show and ice cream social is **next Sunday, June 2**, at 6:30 p.m. Come for a night of fun and fellowship! Sign up now for a slot — there's room for everyone! 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, **May 29**.



Scripture and Sexuality Sunday school class begins June 2: Next Sunday, Jason will begin a new Sunday school class that explores scripture and human sexuality. Jason will look at what the Bible says about sexuality and marriage, and how there is room for diversity of interpretation. Faithful, Bible-reading Christians can and will come to different conclusions on the subject, so come with an open mind. The goal will be to get beyond polarizing rhetoric and create a safe space for dialogue and discussion. The class will meet in Hughes Hall at 9:45 a.m. (9:30 a.m. on **June 2**).

Book party delay: Jason has a new book coming out in June, *Living in Sin: Making Marriage Work Between "I Do" and Death*. The book party originally scheduled for June 7 at Auld Shebeen in Fairfax has been postponed. Jason will let us know when it's rescheduled.

Beginning June 3, Door #1 will remain locked until 6 p.m. on weekdays for the safety of the children enrolled in our schools and our staff. Visitors can gain access to the building Monday–Thursday, 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m., by buzzing the intercom at Door #2. From 4:30 to 6 p.m., visitors should come to Door #1. Someone from the school will be available to open the door. The church office is closed on Fridays.



Flowers on the Altar are offered to the Glory of God and in honor of Art Pond on his birthday by Luanne Pond.

AUMC News

Giving statements are in the atrium. Please pick up your envelope.

Samaritan Gifts, which are received Mother's Day through Father's Day (**June 16**), 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.



Children's education job opening: Ruth Anne Luckenbaugh will be leaving her current position as director of Christian education for children to join the staff of our weekday children's programs. If you are interested in applying for this position, or know of someone who is, the job description is posted on our website at www.annandalechurch.com.

Charge Conference, June 16: AUMC members are invited to attend a called Charge Conference on Sunday, **June 16**, at 12:15 p.m. in the sanctuary. The meeting is to elect new officers for the church and will be led by District Superintendent Jeff Mickle.

Attend an AARP Smart Driver class, June 24-25. The two-day course for drivers 55 and over will be held 10 a.m.- 3 p.m. each day in the Media Center, with one hour off for lunch. Cost: AARP members - \$15; nonmembers - \$20. Completion of the class may save on your auto insurance. Space is limited. To reserve a spot, contact Jane Underhill at 703-573-2056.

Vacation Bible School: "Escape to Athens with Paul!" This year's Vacation Bible School is **July 8-12**, 9 a.m.-noon. Children will learn the story of the Apostle Paul and be inspired to share the truth of God's immeasurable love! Information about registration and online payment is available at www.annandalechurch.com/vbs. Volunteers, center leaders and shepherds are needed and can sign up to help at www.annandalechurch.com/vbsvolunteer.



Communion on Sundays during the 8:30 a.m. service has been extended during Eastertide. We received lots of positive feedback during Lent for serving the Eucharist each Sunday. We will continue this practice in the coming weeks to assess how people like it.

Spring/Summer Sermon Series: Crazy Talk! Stories Jesus Told (About Himself)

The theologian Karl Barth argued that Jesus himself is the subject of the cryptic and caustic parables, that the parables are primarily ways Jesus spoke of his death. They reveal not timeless truths but the scandal of the Gospel and what it means to be a student of that good news.

June 2 - The Sheep and the Goats: Matthew 25:31-46

June 9 - The Wedding Banquet: Matthew 22:1-14

June 16 - The 10 Virgins: Matthew 25:1-13

June 23 - The Unjust Judge: Luke 18:1-8 (Guest preacher: Marco Santangelo)

June 30 - The Talents: Matthew 25:14-30

July 7 - The Rich Fool: Luke 12:13-21

July 14 - The Budding Fig Tree: Luke 21:29-33

July 21 - The Publican and the Pharisee: Luke 18:9-14

July 28 - The Two Debtors: Luke 7:41-43

Collecting food for AUMC's food programs: Please note that on the first Sunday of the month, we collect food in the colorful buckets just inside the front doors of the church for the ACCA food pantry. On the third Sunday of the month, we collect food items for our Mission Center.



Awesome August is coming! Mark your calendar for two special events in August: **Aug. 4** will be our annual picnic, and **Aug. 18** will be an afternoon of baseball at Nationals Park. Tickets to the game (Nats vs. Brewers) will be \$31. We will be in the top four rows of Section 141, under an overhang and with very few steps. Tickets will be available for sale starting in July, but you may indicate your interest in advance by emailing office@annandale-umc.org with the number of tickets you would like. During August, there will be a single worship service at 10:30 a.m. Our picnic will be after the service on **Aug. 4**.

Mission trip to southwestern Virginia, Oct 6-12: AUMC is sponsoring an adult mission trip to Jonesville, VA, to help with the Appalachian Service Project (ASP). We will be doing relational ministry and home repairs. Typical ASP projects include roofing, drywall and insulation, wheelchair ramps, plumbing, electrical repairs, foundation repair, painting, and stair and floor repairs. Cost for the week: \$450, including transportation, lodging, meals and all construction materials. Cost for a partial week (three days): \$300. For more information, contact John Clarke at clarkej1@gmail.com. Commitments are needed with a nonrefundable deposit of \$225/full week or \$150/partial week by **June 15**.

Prayers for our members

Jim Cromwell	Charlotte Sell	George Hill	Sue Plucknett
Charlene Sellner	Beth Graves	Edouard Quansah	Joan Oliver
Becky Fornaris	Cora Russell	Debbie Strickland	Tammy Rapp
Angie Wang	August McCarthy	Stephanie Lips	Ramona Thompson
John Thomas	Linda Land	Tina Svenson	
Emily Dunker	Sue Meekins	Mary Ruth Stacy	
Julie Montgomery	Danitria Bradley	Beverly Pierce	

Prayers for our friends and family outside AUMC:

Henrique Albertani, father-in-law of Bevin Albertani
Ravololonirina Yvette, friend of Nivosoa Robjhon Eva Fong, sister of Anna Moeller
Laverne Baker, friend of Melissa Plewes Fran Keen, mother of Molly Wilmarth
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Eve Moscovitz, friend of Marie Cavanagh Fran Fluharty, sister of Rita Witkowski
Granny Brown, friend of the Witkowski family Max, grandson of Betsy Clevenger
Andy Reilly, grandson of Pat and Gary Sherfey Dale Thomas, friend of Kelly Neitzey
Larry Lausten, husband of Lucille Lausten Sylvia Hardewig, sister of Winnie Tegge
Dori DeSpain, friend and sister-in-Christ of Pam Adams Hannah Porras
Clarice Karter, friend of Jane Underhill Karen Bizer, step mother of Mike Bizer
Sheryl Blunt, friend of Ruth Anne Luckenbaugh Paula Bevan, sister of Fred Carns
Robert Elder, friend of Marcia Twomey Paul Keplinger, father of Sheila Kyer
Joan Fontz, mother-in-law of Bill Pemberton Hazel Poole, mother of Brenda Poole
Mary and John Crossin, friends of Gail Pemberton Justin, friend of Michele Earhart
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Fran Keen, mother of Molly Wilmarth Mary Korves, mother of Trish Bradley
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For bereaved members and their families:

*Sheri Reeves McFarland and Elisa Reeves on the death of their mother, Elizabeth
"Betty" Reeves*

*Christie Shattuck, Debbie Fritz and family on the death of their mother, Patricia Shattuck
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Contemporary Worship

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Thank you for joining us at AUMC! Please fill out the pew pad and pass it on.

Gathering Song: "Softly and Tenderly"

*Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling - calling for you and for me
See on the portals He's waiting and watching - watching for you and for me
(Repeat)*

*(Chorus) Come home come home. Ye who are weary come home
Earnestly tenderly Jesus is calling, calling O sinner come home*

*Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading - pleading for you and for me
Why should we linger and heed not His mercies - mercies for you and for me
(Chorus)*

*O for the wonderful love He has promised - Promised for you and for me
Tho we have sinned He has mercy and pardon - Pardon for you and for me
(Chorus x2)*

Opening Prayer

Song of Praise: "Do It Again"

*Walking around these walls; I thought by now they'd fall
But you have never failed me yet
Waiting for change to come, knowing the battle's won
For you have never failed me yet*

*(Chorus) Your promise still stands. Great is your faithfulness, faithfulness
I'm still in your hands. This is my confidence. You've never failed me yet
(Instrumental)*

*I know the night won't last. Your word will come to pass
My heart will sing your praise again
Jesus you're still enough. Keep me within your love
My heart will sing your praise again
(Chorus x2)
(Instrumental)*

*I've seen you move: You move the mountains. And I believe I'll see you do it again
You made a way where there was no way. And I believe I'll see you do it again
(Chorus x2)*

*You've never failed me yet. I never will forget
You've never failed me yet. I never will forget*

Welcome and Passing of the Peace Announcements

Scripture Lesson: Luke 8:4-8 - Angie Wang
Sermon: "Here It Is! Hear It!" - Rev. Peter Kwon

Offering of the People
Offertory: "Draw Me Close" - Worship Band

The Great Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer: Hymnal #895

Invitation and Communion

Communion Music: "Give Me Faith" - Worship Band

Closing Song: "Reckless Love"

*Before I spoke a word You were singing over me. You have been so so good to me
Before I took a breath You breathed Your life in me. You have been so so kind to me*

*(Chorus) And O the overwhelming never-ending reckless love of God
O it chases me down fights 'til I'm found, leaves the ninety-nine
I couldn't earn it I don't deserve it. Still You give Yourself away
O the overwhelming never-ending reckless love of God yeah
(Instrumental)*

*When I was Your foe still Your love fought for me. You have been so so good to me
When I felt no worth You paid it all for me. You have been so so kind to me
(Chorus)*

*There's no shadow You won't light up, mountain You won't climb up coming after me
There's no wall You won't kick down, lie You won't tear down coming after me
(Repeat)
(Chorus)*

Benediction

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*We invite you to participate in the Memorial Day Tribute today. Please remain in the
sanctuary for a brief liturgy and then proceed to the cemetery.
See the bulletin insert for details.*

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Voluntary: Caroline Evans, piano

Call to Worship

Processional Hymn: “*Come, Christians, Join to Sing*” - Hymnal #158

Opening Prayer

Almighty God, in Christ you have shown us the way, revealed to us Your Truth, and offered to us everlasting life. Open our hearts and minds, O Lord, that we may hear and receive Your words, and believe in all that you have done through Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Welcome and Passing of the Peace

Announcements

Children’s Sermon: Ruth Anne Luckenbaugh

Offering of the People

Offertory: Caroline Evans, piano

Doxology: Hymnal #94

Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Lesson: Luke 8:4-8 - Dana B. Goward

Anthem: “*Beautiful in His Time*” - Forrest; Adult Choir

Sermon: “*Here It Is! Hear It!*” - Rev. Peter Kwon

Prayers of the People

Lord’s Prayer: Hymnal #895

Apostles Creed: Hymnal #881

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Recessional Hymn

“Bring Forth the Kingdom” - The Faith We Sing Hymnal #2190

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: Caroline Evans, piano

Invite your pew neighbor to fellowship hour in Wright Hall!

