

## Children's Ministries ☀

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Nursery care for infants is in Room 207.

Children's Sunday School meets at 9:45 a.m. Pre-K class (ages 2-4) meets in Room 208. The kindergarten - 1st grade class meets in Room 313. 2nd-3rd graders meet in Room 314. The 4th-5th grade class meets in Room 309.

Children's Choirs will sing in the 11 a.m. service on Feb. 23. Weekly rehearsal times:  
- Combined K-5th grade meet on Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in room 311.  
- Preschool kids meet during the Sunday school hour at 9:45 a.m.

## AUMC YOUTH

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

There will be **no youth Sunday school or Ramp** today.  
We hope our youth ski retreat is lots of fun!

Friendship UMC is hosting our annual 30-Hour Famine, Feb. 21-22. It is a wonderful opportunity for students to reflect deeply about the issue of poverty and world hunger, and take a part in a missional opportunity. Fasting starts at noon on Friday, Feb. 21, and check in is Friendship UMC at 7 p.m. (bring a sleeping bag). We will depart from Friendship at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 22.

Come to bowling with the Cohort Churches, Feb. 23, 4-6 p.m., at Bowl America (9699 Fairfax Blvd, Fairfax, VA 22031). Bring money for food as well!

Journey Retreat for Middle Schoolers, Mar. 13-15! Please fill out the forms (sent in email) with a check to 'AUMC Youth' and give them to Peter before Feb. 15, and the church will give a \$30 scholarship to bring the total cost to \$120. We strongly encourage our middle schoolers to attend! Details at <http://journeyweekend.com/>

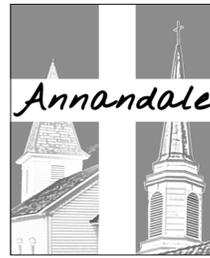


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**Immanuel Lenten study:** Using the book, *Called: Hearing and Responding to God's Voice*, by Susan Robb, along with DVDs and Bible study, the Immanuel class will investigate how God called six of the Bible's most iconic characters and can empower us in His service. Our Lenten study begins Feb. 23 at 9:30 a.m. in Room 300.

**The Bible Fellowship Sunday school class** recently began a study of John. Join us as we read and discuss the Gospel of John, including the Incarnate Word, the Signs of the Messiah, the Farewell Discourse, the Passion Narrative, the Roles of Peter and the Disciple Whom Jesus Loved. All are welcome. The class meets at 10 a.m. in Room 210.



## Welcome to Annandale United Methodist Church!

6935 Columbia Pike, Annandale VA 22003

February 9, 2020

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.

**Welcome Boy Scout Troop 150:** Today is Scout Sunday, and Troop 150 will be hosting fellowship hour after both services. The scouts will also have a display in Wright Hall. Please welcome them!

**Security System Upgrades:** AUMC is in the process of improving our security measures and procedures. These will improve our ability to protect our children's programs, church staff, and our congregation. It will also greatly decrease the workload on the church office. Trustee Chair Dana A. Goward will discuss these upcoming improvements in the sanctuary **after each service**.

**Bailey's hypothermia begins today:** AUMC will serve as an overflow site for Bailey's Shelter through next Sunday morning. We do not provide meals, but we do offer guests a warm place to stay in the Media Center. If you can help in the evening (6:30-10 p.m.) or in the morning (5:30-7 a.m.), see Teresa Beyer at the table in the atrium. Or use the sign-up form at [www.annandalechurch.com/hypothermia](http://www.annandalechurch.com/hypothermia).

**Project Long John was a great success!** Thanks to your generosity, 84 of our neighbors staying this week in the Media Center for hypothermia will have a new pair of thermal underwear — exceeding our goal! We are still seeking mittens, gloves and socks. Drop them off today in the atrium or in the office during the week.

**New small group for busy couples at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor:** Looking for support as you try to raise a young family in the faith? Brad and Libby Todd are leading a new small group during the Sunday school hour for busy couples in their 30s and 40s, with occasional full family outings or potlucks for lunch or dinner. Don't worry if you can't make it every week — this is a group that's juggling life and looking for a few moments of reflection. Our first book will be David Zahl's *Seculosity*. The discussion today will cover the introduction and Chapters 1 & 2.

**Annandale Book Lovers will meet next Sunday** in the parlor at 7 p.m. The book club is reading Erich Segal's *Love Story*. All are welcome.

**Men's Scouting Breakfast, next Saturday:** AUMC men are invited to learn more about Boy Scout Troop 150 at a breakfast for the United Methodist Men on Saturday, Feb. 15, at 8 a.m. in Wright Hall. Boys are also invited to attend. RSVP to Gary FitzGibbon at [gary@garyfitzgibbon.com](mailto:gary@garyfitzgibbon.com) or 703-963-8707, or Stan Witkowski at [switkowski11@cox.net](mailto:switkowski11@cox.net) or 703-941-2935.

### Open House for AUMC Weekday Preschool and Early Learning Programs:

Learn more about the AUMC Weekday Preschool and Early Learning Programs at an upcoming open house. The dates are **Feb. 11 and 25** at 10 a.m. The open houses will begin in Room 209. For more information, call 703-256-1100 for the Weekday Preschool and 703-256-8667 for the Early Learning Program.

**Coffee with Pastors, Feb. 23:** On the fourth Sunday of the month, one of our pastors will be available to chat during fellowship hour in the Coffee Café. All are welcome.

**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Tuesday, Feb. 25:** There will be pancakes with all the fixings, activities for the kids, a children's parade, king cupcakes and pancake races! The serving line will be open 5:45–6:30 p.m. RSVP by **Feb. 23** on the pew pads or contact Dottie Rogerson at drogerson@annandale-umc.org or 703-256-8330, ext. 112. Cost is \$7 for adults, \$3 for children and \$20 maximum per family. Make checks payable to AUMC.



**Ash Wednesday service, Feb. 26, 7:30 p.m.:** Join us as we begin the Lenten season with this special worship service in the sanctuary. Lent is the period of spiritual preparation and fasting leading up to Easter. On Ash Wednesday, we use ashes to signify our mortality and repentance.

**Have you signed up to help with communion and scripture reading?** We're passing around sign-up sheets again today for volunteers to serve as scripture readers and communion servers on Sundays. We especially need help with communion servers for the 8:30 a.m. service.

### Save the date

**Bi-District lay forum, March 11, 7 p.m.:** "Two Perspectives: A Conversation with Tom Berlin and Keith Boyette" will be held in the AUMC sanctuary. Revs. Berlin and Boyette were part of the mediation team that developed the proposed Protocol of Reconciliation and Grace Through Separation.

**ACCA furniture delivery, March 14, 8 a.m.–noon.** Help with pickup and delivery of furniture to those in need. Meet at the furniture warehouse next to the Little White Church. Contact: Ted Torsch, 443-415-8954.

**Rebuilding Together, April 25.** For the 19th straight year, we'll be helping to repair the house of a local homeowner in need. Contact: John Clarke, clarkejh1@gmail.com.

**Annandale United Methodist Women's Day, May 16, 10 a.m.–4 p.m.** The speaker is Kelly Johnson, author of *Being Brave: A 40-Day Journey to the Life God Dreams for You*. Contact: Jennifer Stokes, jenniferstokes11@gmail.com.

## The Jesus Story Year, 2019–2020

Our sermons in 2020 will focus on the story of Jesus. Join us as we explore how the gospels and epistles testify to the king who calls us as his particular people in the world.



**Feb. 16** – Christ our Sustenance

**Feb. 23** – Christ our Priest and Prophet

**March 1** – Christ our Brother

**March 8** – Christ our Love

**March 15** – Christ our Life

**March 22** – Christ our Caesar

**March 29** – Christ our Substitute

**First Sunday of Lent features Faure's Requiem and Will Willimon:** The first Sunday of Lent, **March 1**, will be a single service at 10:30 a.m. Our adult choir and a chamber ensemble will perform Faure's Requiem. Our guest preacher will be Rev. Dr. William (Will) Willimon, noted teacher, author, lecturer and retired United Methodist bishop. Please make plans to join us for this special service. There will be no children's Sunday school that day.



**Egg cartons still needed:** We continue to collect empty egg cartons for the food program at the Mission Center. You can leave them in the white wooden box under the coatrack near the parlor or drop them off at the Mission Center on Thursday afternoons.

**Help make sandwiches and meals on Thursdays.** If you'd like to help with our food ministry, we meet on Thursdays starting at noon at the AUMC Mission Center, 7901 Heritage Drive. Contact Betsy Clevenger at 240-682-2067 for more information.

**Help kids with their homework at the Mission Center:** Volunteers serve as tutors, readers and snack coordinators, and provide administrative assistance. Tutoring is on Wednesdays in the Mission Center fellowship hall, 3:45–5:45 p.m. We provide homework assistance to students in grades 1–9. We also need people who enjoy being read to by students. To volunteer, contact Jerry Beyer at 703-399-1395.

**Our children's clothing closet** serves low-income residents who live near our Mission Center on Heritage Drive. If you would like to donate clothing to help our neighbors, we need clothes, shoes, coats, hats and gloves in all sizes from infant to teens. We also provide adults with winter coats, gloves and hats. Donations can be placed in the white wooden box under the coatrack near the parlor.

### Prayers for our members

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Anne Capitman	Charlene Sellner	Sue Meekins	Ludid Orozco

### Prayers for our friends and family outside AUMC:

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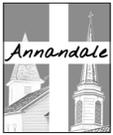


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# Contemporary Worship

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**Opening Presentation:** Troop 150

**Gathering Song:** "Forever"

Leader: *Give thanks to the Lord, our God and King. His love endures forever  
For He is good He is above all things. His love endures forever*

*Sing praise sing praise*

*With a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, His love endures forever  
For the life that's been reborn, His love endures forever.*

*Sing praise sing praise*

All: *Sing praise sing praise*

*Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong, forever God is with us  
Forever forever*

*From the rising to the setting sun, His love endures forever  
And by the grace of God, we will carry on. His love endures forever  
Sing praise sing praise*

*Sing praise sing praise*

*Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong, forever God is with us  
Forever forever and ever*

**Opening Prayer**

**Song of Praise:** "Good Good Father"

Leader: *I've heard a thousand stories of what they think You're like  
But I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead of night  
You tell me that You're pleased and that I'm never alone*

*You're a Good Good Father*

*It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are  
And I'm loved by You. It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am*

All: *I've seen many searching for answers far and wide  
But I know we're all searching for answers only You provide  
Because You know just what we need before we say a word*

Chorus: *You're a Good Good Father*

*It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are  
And I'm loved by You. It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am*

*You are perfect in all of Your ways. You are perfect in all of Your ways*

*You are perfect in all of Your ways to us*

(Repeat)

(Chorus)

*Love so undeniable I can hardly speak*

*Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think*

*As You call me deeper still, as You call me deeper still*

*As You call me deeper still into love love love*

(Chorus)

**Welcome and Passing of the Peace**

**Announcements - Scout Sunday**

**Epistle Lesson:** 1 Corinthians 2:1-12 - Noah Winkler

**Offering of the People - Offertory:** "As the Deer" - Worship Band

**Gospel Lesson:** Matthew 10:1-16

**Sermon:** "Militant Grace" - Rev. Jason Micheli

**The Great Thanksgiving - Lord's Prayer:** Hymnal #895

**Communion - Communion Music:** "Lord I Need You" - Worship Band

**Closing Song:** "How Great is Our God"

Leader: *The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty*

*Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice*

*He wraps Himself in light and darkness tries to hide*

*And trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice*

Chorus (All): *How great is our God, sing with me*

*How great is our God, and all will see*

*How great, how great is our God*

*And age to age He stands, and time is in His hands*

*Beginning and the End, beginning and the End*

*The Godhead three in one: Father Spirit Son*

*The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb*

(Chorus)

*Name above all names, worthy of all praise*

*My heart will sing: how great is our God*

(Repeat)

(Chorus)

**Benediction**

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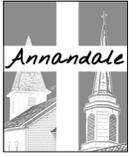


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# Traditional Worship

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**Opening Presentation:** Troop 150

**Voluntary:** “We Have Heard the Joyful Sound” - Booth, arr. McDonald  
Caroline Evans, piano

**Call to Worship:** Psalm 112

Leader: Praise the Lord!

**People: Happy are those who fear the Lord,  
who greatly delight in his commandments.**

Leader: Their descendants will be mighty in the land;  
the generation of the upright will be blessed.

**People: Wealth and riches are in their houses,  
and their righteousness endures forever.**

Leader: They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright;  
they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

**People: It is well with those who deal generously and lend,  
who conduct their affairs with justice.**

Leader: For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever.

**People: They are not afraid of evil tidings;  
their hearts are firm, secure in the Lord.**

Leader: Their hearts are steady, they will not be afraid;  
in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.

They have distributed freely, they have given to the poor;  
their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honor.

**All: The wicked see it and are angry; they gnash their teeth and melt away;  
the desire of the wicked one comes to nothing. Amen.**

**Processional Hymn:** “God, Whose Love is Reigning O’er Us” - Hymnal #100

**Opening Prayer**

Set us free, O God, from our bondage to Sin, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

**Welcome and Passing of the Peace  
Announcements - Scout Sunday**

**Children’s Sermon  
Offering of the People - Offertory**

**Doxology:** Hymnal #94  
**Prayer of Dedication**

**Epistle Lesson:** Corinthians 2:1-12 - Noah Winkler

**Anthem:** “Go, Light Your World” - arr. Allen; Adult Choir

**Gospel Lesson:** Matthew 10:1-16

**Sermon:** “Militant Grace” - Rev. Jason Micheli

**Pastoral Prayer**

**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:** “Lord, You Give the Great Commission,” vs. 1, 2, 4, 5  
Hymnal #584

**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:** “Come, People of the Risen King” - Getty, arr Ijames  
Caroline Evans, piano

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