

Order of Worship

Father's Day

June 17, 2018

+Please stand as you are able

Worship Leader 8:45 Brandon Ashby 11:00 Dave Hogue

Welcome and Friendship Connections

+Call to Worship – Adapted from Psalm 127

Unless the Lord builds the house,

They labor in vain who build it;

Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, the fruit of the womb is a reward.

Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, so are the children of one's youth. Happy is the man who has his quiver full of them.

+Hymn of Praise "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" (vv. 1-3, v. 5) p. 139

+Affirmation of Faith The Nicene Creed p. 880

Choral Response "Father I Adore You" p. 2038

Father I adore You, lay my life before You; how I love You. Jesus, I adore You, lay my life before You; how I love You. Spirit, I adore You, lay my life before You; how I love You.

Old Testament Reading Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Gospel Reading Luke 11:9-13

Blessings and Faith Stories

Call to Prayer "Unto Thee O Lord" (based on Psalm 25)

Unto Thee O Lord, do I lift up my soul, Unto Thee O Lord, do I lift up my soul, O my God, I trust in Thee, let me not be ashamed, Let not my enemies triumph over me. Teach me Thy ways, Thy ways O Lord, Show me Thy paths, Thy paths O Lord, O my God, I trust in Thee, let me not be ashamed, Let not my enemies triumph over me.

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Moments with Young Disciples 8:45 Linda Reichard 11:00 Our Children Sing

We provide a staffed nursery for infants - 5 year olds during 8:45 & 11:00 a.m. worship

Receiving the Offering Prayer of Dedication Worship Leader

+Doxology p. 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, 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!

Special Music "Forgiven" St. Matthias Choir

Epistle Reading Ephesians 6:1-4

Message "What's a Father To Do?" Patrick Lonergan

+Song of Invitation "I Surrender All" p. 354

Benediction

Recessional "It Is Well With My Soul" p. 377



The flowers on the altar in given to the Glory of God in memory of Jarred Wingert by Michaela and John Moore.

WEEDING BUDDIES

READING BUDDIES? NO! **WEEDING BUDDIES!** Now that Reading Buddies are finished for the summer break, we are starting a whole new kind of "buddy" ministry: Weeding Buddies! If you have a love of pulling weeds while enjoying good company, please join Rita Payne and Mary Ella Fuquay to pull the weeds in the church flowerbeds and in the labyrinth. Let us know if you're interested, and we'll set up a schedule. Training provided. POC: Mary Ella (540) 479-8265 or mefuquay@gmail.com

A big thank you to Rita and Al Payne for all your weeding work.

THE U.M. WOMEN ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE

The U.M. Women of St. Matthias have been laboring in love making cough pillows, blankets and pillowcases. So far this year, 282 cough pillows have been delivered to Stafford Hospital in an effort to bring comfort to patients recovering from surgery. A total of 238 Blankets and 35 pillowcases were sent to the Chris Everett Children's Hospital in Florida where Carole and Ron Hall's daughter is a music therapist.

BABY BOTTLES DUE TODAY

The Baby Bottle mission benefits our local Choices Women's Center. Your offering helps protect the lives of the unborn and provides Christian counsel, classes, and other support for young parents.

Checks may be brought as well, payable to St. Matthias United Methodist Church, with "Choices Pregnancy Center" on the memo line.

Celebrating UM Women and UMCOR Kits for Conference

Our St. Matthias UM Women are sending \$650 for 10 Flood Buckets, 26 School Kits, and 23 Health Kits to the VA Annual Conference meeting in Hampton, VA, June 15-17. Thank you for your generous gifts to be distributed through United Methodist Committee on Relief to those in need.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

SATURDAY, JUNE 30 – 10:00 – 2:00 p.m.

The blood drive scheduled for July 6 has been rescheduled for June 30. Please consider donating blood and giving the gift of life! POC: Carole Hall, (540) 786-3194



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ~ Aug. 6-10, 9:00-Noon

Experience the Ride of a Lifetime with God~

Please consider making a difference in the life of a child. Come join in the fun and volunteer to help! The more the merrier and many helpers make the load light! We are in need of volunteers for the SCIENCE area and SKITS. Our next meeting is Sat., June 23 @ 9:30 am. Come join us!! POC: Liz Morris, momx3gnmad@verizon.net, 540-226-5133 (call or text)

NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION ADDRESS: RRR.COKESBURYVBS.COM/STMATTHIAS

This Week at a Glance

Sunday, June 17

Happy Birthday Paul Haselbush
Happy Anniversary Donald & Darlene Shelton

9:45 a.m. Adults

"Good News" Bible Study Rm. 10

"Romans" Fellowship Hall

"Restoring Fellowship" Youth Rm. A

9:45 a.m. Children & Youth

6th - 12th - Youth Youth Rm B

1st - 5th Rm. 8

Preschoolers - K Rm. 6

Nursery Rm. 15

11:00 a.m. Kids Own Worship

Monday, June 18

9:00-11:00 Food Pantry

10:00 a.m. Prayer

5:30 p.m. Upper Room

6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts

Tuesday, June 19

Happy Anniversary Dean & Pat Tony and Paul & Rosemary Balgavy

7:45 a.m. Exercise

1:00 p.m. God's Celebrators @ Celebrate

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts

7:00 p.m. Wesleyan Bldg. Bros.

Wednesday, June 20

Happy Anniversary Gene & Linda Bailey

10:00 a.m. UMW Crafts

6:00 p.m. Choir Practice

7:00 p.m. Finance

Thursday, June 21

11:00 a.m. Retired Teacher's Luncheon

6:00 p.m. Upper Room

6:29 p.m. Prayer

7:00 p.m. Al-Anon

Friday, June 22

1:00-5:00 p.m. Love & Laundry

Saturday, June 23

Happy Birthday Ron Hall

7:00 a.m. Pray Like a Man

8:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

9:30 a.m. VBS Meeting

NEW ADDRESS

Pete Jerman's New Address:
300 Twinridge Lane, Apt. 222
Richmond, VA 23235
(804) 720-2725

NEW EMAIL

Pastor Pat's new email address:
Patbtony@gmail.com



UMW IN SEARCH OF PVC PIPE

The UMW is in need of PVC Pipe for a future project. All sizes accepted; scrap pieces as well. Please leave the pipe in the closet by the kitchen.

Annual Conference Offering

The Annual Conference offering will support the following missional priority projects:

Cambodia: \$50,000 – Church Growth and Development and Community Health & Agric. Development

Brazil: \$25,000 – Shade and Fresh Water Ministry with Children

Mozambique: \$25,000 – Lay Leadership Development

Native Americans: \$10,000 – Support for Volunteers in Mission teams working with Native American Ministry and Tribal Youth

Cuba Recovery: \$25,000 – Hurricane Recovery for Churches in Cuba

Haiti: \$25,000 – Funds to support Volunteers in Mission teams to Haiti

Puerto Rico Recovery: \$25,000 – Hurricane Recovery support for Puerto Rican churches

Moscow Seminary: \$15,000 – Support for student scholarships

Please make checks to St. Matthias UMC with note “Conf. offering”

Prayers of the Community of Faith!

There is power in prayer! Please write the names of those you want lifted up in prayer on the Prayer Card in your Friendship Pad. These persons will remain on the prayer list for 21 days (Daniel 10:10-14). Their names may be resubmitted after the 21 days.

Mourning / Families of: ●Eileen Bowles (R. Keene) ●Francis Bray (S. Bray) ●Ruth Waple (B. Machleit) ●John Gregory (B. Machleit) ●Susie Rice (C. Bray)

Continuing Needs: ●Velma Bailey (M. Holt) ●Paul Balgavy (R. Balgavy) ●Loretta Bass (Patsy Vida) ●Debbie Carpenter (B. Anderson) ●Margaret Courtney (R. Courtney) ●Pattie Cushing (R. Keene) ●Lindsey Fortune (D. Farrar) ●Jennifer Giannuzzi (B. Giannuzzi) ●Dennis & Connie Hagan ●Mrs. "Clyde" Hambrick ●Mary Ann & David Hill (J. Studley) ●Rev. Wayne Hogue ●Shelley Holmes (B. Holmes) ●Michelle Hutchinson (D. Jenkins) ●Billie Jo Hynson (B. Gmitter) ●Pete Jerman ●Jim Kocher (J. Belako) ●Kyra (P. Vida) ●Ed Marks (J. Clark) ●George Nosek (D. Garrett) ●Dian Rubiera (B. Giannuzzi) ●Emerson Rudacille (J. Studley) ●Bob & Claire Runger (B. Anderson) ●Joe & Lita Schepers ●Dorothy & Pastor Bob Van Natta (W. Hogue) ●Amy Watkins (C. Hall & L. Cooper) ●Bob Watts (J. Cover) ●Renewal of UMC ●Ken & Charlotte Stockwell ●Patricia Turley (J. Keene) ●Austin Wolfe (R. Varela) ●Betty Zelloe (D. Jenkins)

Prayer Requests from the week of May 27: ●Pete Jerman

Prayer Requests from the week of June 3: ●Michelle Hutchinson ●Jason Toombs ●Family of Ruth Waple (B. Machleit) John Gregory, Ralph & Launa Trotta and Steve Waple ●Those affected by flooding (S. Frantum) ●Jim Bell (S. King) ●Joe Reichard (L. Reichard) ●Family of Francis Bray (S. Bray) ●Sara (P. Tony) ●Pastor Bert, Pastor Regina and family as they prepare to move to Fredericksburg June 27th. Their address will be 403 Hanover Street, Fredericksburg, 22401.

Prayer Requests from the week of June 10: ●Jason Toombs ●Carrie Zollman ●Kseniya (D. Naifeh) ●Bob Runger (B. Anderson) ●Mo Khalifa (B. Grant) ●Those seeking employment ●Nancy Clark (B. Grant) ●Those battling cancer and facing upcoming surgeries ●Daniel Oliver (F'burg UMC) ●Stomach issues of some Honduras Team members ●USA and North Korea meeting ●All those in the regional jails



ST. MATTHIAS YOUTH GROUP

focuses on growing our faith, having LOTS of fun, and maintaining close knit fellowship. The group welcomes all 6th-12th graders! You do not have to be a member of the church to be a part of it....so invite some friends!

Watch for summer gatherings at Sweet Frog, etc.

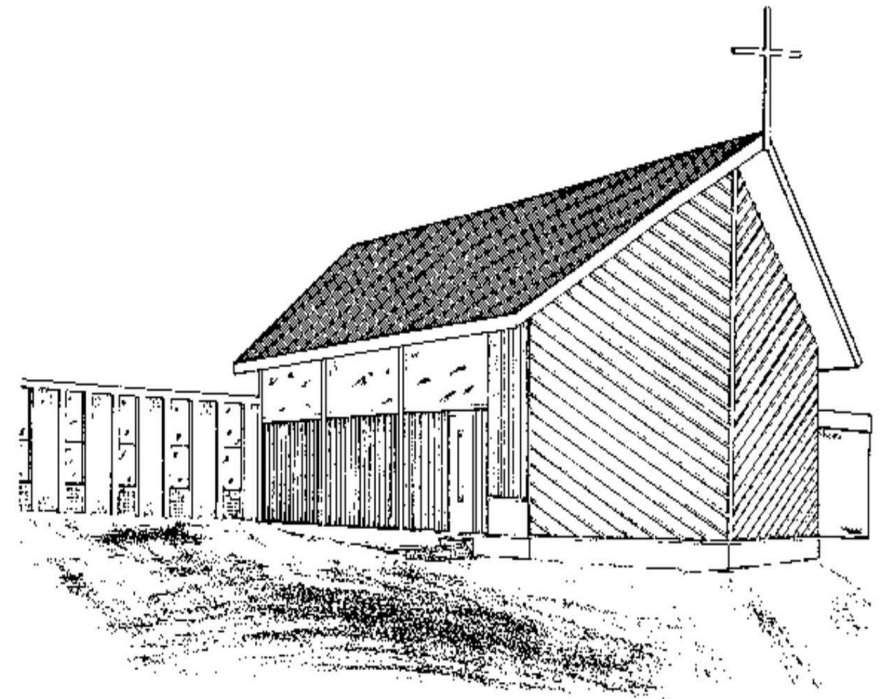
*Save the date -- 2nd Annual Car, Truck & Motorcycle Show, Sat., Sept. 8. - Rain date: Sept. 29



“Friends are friends forever, if the Lord’s the Lord of them,” a phrase from Christian music artist Michael W. Smith, is a word for this season of transitions. There are so many “Wow, God!” moments in our ministry together over the last six years. Thank you for the memories and for the love of Christ poured out in the farewell celebrations: in the Couple’s Bible Study, Vital Church Gathering and May Worship Meeting. Last weekend’s Saturday evening Farewell Open House, Sunday a.m. Worship and special Second Sunday Fellowship were awesome, filled with surprises of our Lord’s grace! Bless you for your prayers and encouraging words and actions of faith through challenging days as well as days of celebration.

Thank you for all the amazing gifts and to God be the glory for the ways you continue to reach out in love in our community and beyond. On June 27th, Pastor Bert Cloud will begin serving St. Matthias UMC. Please pray for him and his family, support them, love them as you keep your eyes on the Lord Jesus Christ, our generous and faithful Redeemer. You’ll be in our prayers; the best days of ministry are yet to come!

Pastor Pat and family



St. Matthias United Methodist Church

A Christ-centered community of faith, reaching, teaching, loving, and serving.

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A Prayer Covenant Congregation of the Virginia Conference

8:45 & 11:00 Worship

Staffed nursery for infants – 5 yrs.

11:00 a.m. Kids Own Worship (pre-school – 5th grade)

Discipleship Groups 9:45 – 10:45

Classes for all ages: 3 years - adults

Staffed nursery for infants - 2 years

... wheelchair available and gender-neutral handicap accessible restroom available.

... large print bulletins and hymnals available upon request

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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Rev. Pat B. Tony

Attendance on June 10

Sunday School: 19

Morning Worship: 169