

Welcome! Warm greetings and love in Christ are extended to all members and guests.

*If you presently have no church home,  
we hope you will consider making Loch Raven Church your home.*

Thank you for signing the pew registration book.

*(Addresses, phone numbers, & email addresses help us to personally thank you for your visit.)*

Please call the Church Office if you have any questions or if we can be of assistance to you.

**WE APPRECIATE THE SERVICES TODAY OF:**

**Greeters:** Merrill Harrison  
**Acolyte:** Usher  
**Liturgist:** Phil Lee  
**Ushers:** Brian Miller, Joyce Dietrich, Myra Wagner

Children's Bulletins are available in the Narthex for children ages 3 - 12.

**Large print bulletins are available. See an usher.**

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

The altar flowers are given by Myra Wagner  
in praise of God's everlasting grace.

**MINISTRIES OF LOCH RAVEN CHURCH**

**PRAYERS:** Please pray daily for our brothers and sisters in Christ and those on the Prayer List. The member to remember this week is Mrs. Elsie Chang, c/o Londa Lee, 2408 Perring Woods Road, Baltimore, MD 21234.

**PRESENCE: July 8, 2018:** 117

**Offering:** \$5749.00

**LRUMC MISSION STATEMENT**

*"Loch Raven United Methodist Church is a multicultural community of faith, called by God to be a living witness to the Good News of Jesus Christ by serving as stewards of God's gifts and blessings. We minister through worship, learning, fellowship and mission to the community."*

**MINISTERS & EVANGELISTS:** The People of Loch Raven United Methodist Church  
**LEAD PASTOR:** Rev. George Winkfield, 301-379-4616 cell, PastorWinkfield@gmail.com  
**PASTOR OF CONGREGATIONAL CARE:** Rev. Wayne Harting, 443-966-0244 cell  
**ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY:** Myra Wagner office@lrumc.org  
**DIRECTOR OF MUSIC:** Samuel Chin  
**ORGANIST:** Patricia Gould  
**CHILD CARE PROVIDER:** Amy Price

# Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

July 15, 2018

In him we have  
**REDEMPTION...**  
the  
**FORGIVENESS**  
of our trespasses,  
according to the riches  
of his  
**GRACE....**  
*Ephesians 1:7, NRSV*

## Loch Raven United Methodist Church

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# The Order of Worship

**CENTERING WORDS:** Those with clean hands and pure hearts are acceptable to God.  
May we be found worthy to ascend the hill of the Lord and stand in God's presence.

## ENTRANCE

### GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *You Are My All in All* arr. Hayes

Lighting of the Altar Candles

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader:* The Lord is in our midst.

*People:* We will sing and dance to God's glory.

*Leader:* Let heaven and earth rejoice this day.

*People:* Let all creation sing God's praises.

*Leader:* The One who dwelt in the ark of the covenant is with us now.

*People:* Let us worship the Lord

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *Holy Ground* TFWS 2272

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The World Methodist Social Affirmation* UMH 886

### OPENING PRAYER *(seated and in unison)*

God of signs and wonders, bless us this day with your manifold blessings. Through your love and overflowing grace, adopt us as your beloved children, that we may embrace our glorious inheritance. As we worship you this day, call us once more to reflect your glory, and seal us in the promise of your Spirit, through Christ, our Lord. Amen

## PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor George

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON *Psalms 24* Pew Bible, p. 436

### SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS AND PASTORAL 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.

## PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Shepherd Me, O God* Haugen  
Judy Zahren, soloist

\*THE DOXOLOGY UMH 94

Praise God, from whom all blessing 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!

### \*OFFERING PRAYER

When David danced your ark of the covenant into Jerusalem, O God, he distributed food among the people; loaves of bread, and cakes of dates and raisins. May the offerings we bring before you now be food for a hungry world, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SECOND LESSON *Ephesians 1:3-14* Pew Bible p. 950

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION *What Gift Can We Bring* UMH 87

SERMON Rev. George Winkfield

## SENDING FORTH

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High* TFWS 2088

\*CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE *God the Omnipotent* Chesterton

\*GOING FORTH

*\*Please rise in posture or spirit*

***Bold print: in unison***

TFWS: *The Faith We Sing*

UMH: *U.M. Hymnal*

W&S: *Worship and Song*

# Prayer List

## Prayer Requests from the Week of July 8

Linda Hook (*Audrey Moltz's friend*)  
Sarah Bradshaw (*former member of LRUMC*)  
Melvin Braun (*Jane Ferguson's nephew*)  
Margaret Brown (*Joyce Johnson's friend*)  
James Coulbourne (*Rebecca Mickey's nephew*)  
Patti Ferguson  
Lynn Fleming (*Amy Price's godfather*)  
June Jordan (*Joe Wynn's sister*)  
Shirley Messman  
Denisha Miller (*sister of Hilary Geyton's coworker*)  
Grace Miller (*req. by Beverley Mignott*)  
Bradley Will (*req. by Marcia Smith*)  
Jeanne Woodward (*Patti Ferguson's friend*)

## Recent Prayer Requests

Family of Mark Greenwood (*former member of LRUMC – 7/1*)  
Karla Hannaford (*req. by Judy Zahren – 7/1*)  
Matthew (*Jan Hoener's friend – 7/1*)  
Keith and Kathy Rawlings (*req. by Peggy Kelly – 7/1*)  
Family of Wayne Bowser (*Gary Smith's friend – 6/24*)  
Harriet Cole  
Dawn Oster (*Cheryl Wagner-Koogler's sister – 6/24*)  
Samantha Audrey Moltz's niece (*– 6/24*)  
Mario Scotts (*father of Marcia Smith's friend – 6/24*)  
Rose Seets (*Karen Seets' sister-in-law – 6/24*)  
Carmen & Victor Spencer (*Beverley Mignott's parents – 6/24*)  
Myra Wagner (*6/24*)  
Gary Brewer (*req. by Cecelia Miller – 6/17*)  
Alexenia Brown (*req. by Amanda Brown – 6/17*)  
Jennie Haynes & her brother Gene Tusa (*req. by Cecelia Miller – 6/17*)

*Prayer requests will be listed for one month unless requested otherwise.*

## Sharing, Caring, and Studying Opportunities

**PASTOR GEORGE WILL BE OUT OF TOWN FROM FRIDAY, JUNE 20 THROUGH WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25. Rev. Wayne Harting will be available for any pastoral needs.**

**LRUMC'S VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS COMING – JULY 23 – 27. The theme this year is “Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus.” (See other side of this page.)**

- 1) Volunteers are needed** to help with classroom assistance & snack preparation. Please see Maria Stockton-Porter if you are able to assist.
- 2) We are requesting donations** of goldfish crackers, popcorn (pre-popped), pretzels, and graham crackers. Place in VBS donations box.
- 3) Use the enclosed insert** this Wednesday, July 18, at Chick-fil-A, Parkville. As a fundraiser, 20% of the proceeds (+ \$1 for every cookie ordered) will be given to LRUMC to offset our Vacation Bible School costs. (Extra fliers are available in the hospitality tables in the narthex and downstairs for your friends and family to support our VBS.)

**SAVE THE DATE – LRUMC will be presenting *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* on Friday, August 17 at 7 PM. INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY.**

**WANT TO BE A GAME CHANGER IN THE LIFE OF A CHILD? 3D printing of prosthetic sockets is a game changer.** Donate to the **Mission Committee's** project to help **Christian Blind Missions** set up an early adopter hospital to connect this technology with the children and families who most need it. Pick up a prescription bottle and fill it with your spare change—dollars—or a check! (*payable to LRUMC—indicate CBM Mission on the memo line*) and put in the Sunday collection plate when full. Or just drop your change in our bottle in the narthex.

**JULY/AUGUST UPPER ROOMS are available in two places in the Church** – in the Narthex and by the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor entrance to the Sanctuary. These bi-monthly daily devotional booklets may be obtained for a \$1 donation.

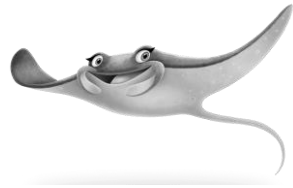
**JULY COLLECTION FOR ACTC: CANNED FRUIT** (Please place your items in the box labeled “Missions Collections” outside Fellowship Hall.)

**LECTIONARY READINGS for Sunday, July 22, 2018:**

2 Samuel 7:1-14a; Psalm 89:20-37; Ephesians 2:11-12; Mark 6:30-34, 53-56



**JOIN LRUMC SHIPWRECKED CASTAWAYS  
AT OUR 2018 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**



***Come along with Rae & our VBS Crew as we  
learn how Jesus Rescues!!***

***Ages 5-13***

***LOCATION: Loch Raven United Methodist Church  
6622 Loch Raven Boulevard***

***DATES: July 23 - 27***

***TIME: 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM***

***To register your Crewmember  
call LRUMC at 410-825-0900  
or email: [stockton.maria007@gmail.com](mailto:stockton.maria007@gmail.com)***

**Church Calendar for the Week of July 15**

Today	10:00 AM Following Worship Following Worship 12:30 PM	Worship Service Fellowship Time Sign Language Class St. Paul's Ghana Methodist Church	Sanctuary Fellowship Hall Parlor Sanctuary
Monday – Friday	7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	IMPROVE Summer Camp	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
Tuesday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
Wednesday	5 – 8 PM 7:00 PM	Spirit Night VBS Fundraiser C&CF Rehearsal	Chick-fil-A Parkville Auditorium
Thursday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
Friday	10:30 AM 5:30 PM	AI-Anon IMPROVE Talent Show	Room 128 Auditorium
Saturday	10:00 AM	St. Paul's Choir Rehearsal	Room 210

**Upcoming Events**

July 23-27	9 - 12:30	Vacation Bible School Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus	LRUMC
July 25	7:00 PM	C&CF Rehearsal	Auditorium