

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: Theresa Alaeze
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 flower bowl is given in loving memory of Dellroy Harrison by his wife, Merrill.

The vases are given in celebration of Adaeze's birthday, by the Alaeze family.

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. Ruth Weygand, c/o Arlene Ruckle, 40 Tecumseh Trail, Hedgesville, WV 25427. (Ruth will be celebrating her 97th birthday on July 30.)

PRESENCE: July 15, 2018: 98

Offering: \$4631.51

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

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

July 22, 2018

*As he went ashore,
he saw a
great crowd ...
and he
began to
teach them
many
things.*



Mark 6:34, NRSV

Loch Raven United Methodist Church

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The Order of Worship

CENTERING WORDS: Christ is building us into a place where God lives through the Spirit. In our life together, *we* are the presence of Christ's peace and hope in the world.

ENTRANCE

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Here I Am, Lord

Schutte/Carter

Lighting of the Altar Candles

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Welcome, friends and strangers, long-timers and newcomers, those from nearby and far off.

People: **We gather as one because Christ is our peace.**

Leader: We gather as the temple where God lives through the Spirit.

People: **We gather with Christ Jesus as our cornerstone, the one who joins us together.**

Leader: Hear the good news of peace that brings us together.

People: **With our brothers and sisters, we are no longer strangers, but residents with God.**

*HYMN OF PRAISE

Come Away with Me

TFWS 2202

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Ecumenical Version

UMH 882

OPENING PRAYER (*seated and in unison*)

Jesus Christ, our Peace, our Cornerstone, we come from a world of division longing for the promise and good news of your peace. Remind us again of your work of reconciliation – reconciliation that breaks down the barriers of hatred in our communities and our own lives, and between nations and peoples. Make of us a place of belonging and peace, where you may dwell in joy, in the name of the God of Sure Promises and of the indwelling Spirit. Amen

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Rhoda Wilson

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON

2 Samuel 7:1-14a

Pew Bible, p. 244

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

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)
Theresa Alaeze

Tomlin & Giglio

*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

Jesus, our Hope, we send these gifts: to those without hope, to those who need your love, and to those longing for your peace. May our gifts and may our very lives reveal that God lives in us and that we look upon all, stranger and friend alike, as our brothers and sisters. Amen.

SECOND LESSON

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Pew Bible p. 818

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

UMH 381

SERMON

Rev. Wayne Harting

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT

The Church's One Foundation

UMH 545

*CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

*POSTLUDE

My Heart Ever Faithful

Bach/arr. Smith

*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 15

ARC of Prince George's County (*req. by Joyce Johnson*)
Family of Irene Boykin (*Judy Zahren's neighbor*)
Family of James Colbourne (*Rebecca Mickey's nephew*)
Malachi Corrigan (*Judy Zahren's neighbor*)
Anne Tollin (*Joyce Johnson's friend*)
Sherry Vanhoose (*Shirley Messman's sister*)

Recent Prayer Requests

Linda Hook (*Audrey Moltz's friend – 7/8*)
Sarah Bradshaw (*former member of LRUMC – 7/8*)
Melvin Braun (*Jane Ferguson's nephew – 7/8*)
Margaret Brown (*Joyce Johnson's friend – 7/8*)
Patti Ferguson (*7/8*)
Lynn Fleming (*Amy Price's godfather – 7/8*)
June Jordan (*Joe Wynn's sister – 7/8*)
Shirley Messman (*7/8*)
Denisha Miller (*sister of Hilary Geyton's coworker – 7/8*)
Grace Miller (*req. by Beverley Mignott – 7/8*)
Bradley Will (*req. by Marcia Smith – 7/8*)
Jeanne Woodward (*Patti Ferguson's friend – 7/8*)
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*)

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

Sharing, Caring, and Studying Opportunities

PASTOR GEORGE WILL BE OUT OF TOWN UNTIL THURSDAY, JULY 26. Rev. Wayne Harting is available for any pastoral needs.

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

SAVE THE DATE – LRUMC will be presenting *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* on Friday, August 17 at 7 PM. Invite your friends and family. COME SUPPORT MEMBERS FOR LRUMC AND THE COMMUNITY.

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.

WE ARE COLLECTING NEEDED ITEMS FOR ABBOTTSTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: Kleenex, hand sanitizer, hand soap, Lysol wipes, Lysol spray, and (new) boy's and girl's underwear (sizes 6-10).

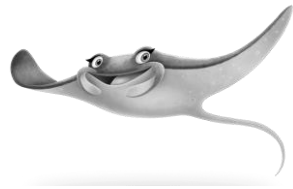
JULY COLLECTION FOR ACTC: CANNED FRUIT (Please place your items in the box labeled "Missions Collections" outside Fellowship Hall.)

LECTIONARY READINGS for Sunday, July 29, 2018:

2 Samuel 11:1-15; Psalm 14; Ephesians 3:14-21; John 6:1-21



**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***

Church Calendar for the Week of July 22

Today	10:00 AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
	Following Worship	Fellowship Time	Fellowship Hall
	Following Worship	Sign Language Class	Parlor
	12:30 PM	St. Paul's Ghana Methodist Church	Sanctuary

Monday – Friday	7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	IMPROVE Summer Camp	2 nd Floor
	9 - 12:30	Vacation Bible School	LRUMC
		Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus	

Tuesday	9:30 AM	Sandwich-making for Essex UMC	Kitchen
	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium

Wednesday	7:00 PM	C&CF Rehearsal	Auditorium
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Thursday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
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Friday	10:30 AM	AI-Anon	Room 128
	5:30 PM	IMPROVE Talent Show	Auditorium

Saturday	10:00 AM	VBS Set-up	Room 210
		St. Paul's Choir Rehearsal	

Upcoming Events

August 1	7:00 PM	C&CF Rehearsal	Auditorium
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