

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:** Cheryl Wagner-Koogler  
**Ushers:** Brian Miller, 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 in loving memory  
of my dear husband Dellroy by Merrill Harrison.

**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. Evelyn Dorfler, 6451 North Charles Street, Apt. 254, Baltimore, MD 21212.

**PRESENCE: July 14, 2019: 89**

**Offering: \$7,207.00**

**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. Dr. George Winkfield, 301-379-4616 cell,  
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**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

## Sixth Sunday of Pentecost

July 21, 2019

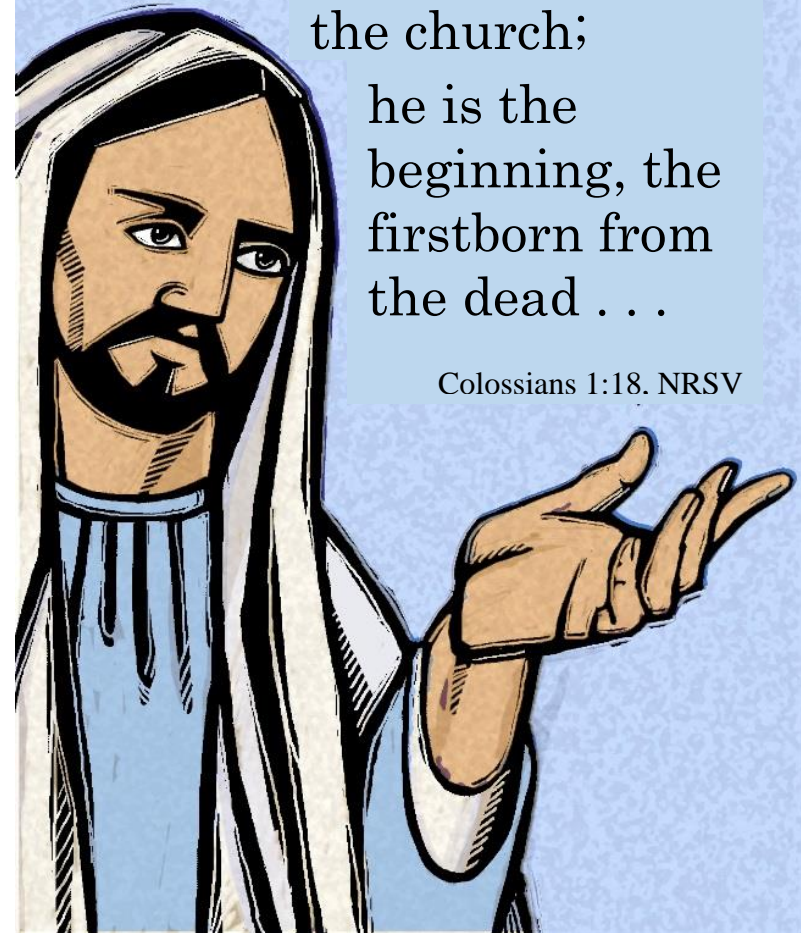
10:00 AM

He is the head of  
the body,

the church;

he is the  
beginning, the  
firstborn from  
the dead . . .

Colossians 1:18. NRSV



### Loch Raven United Methodist Church

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# The Order of Worship

**CENTERING WORDS:** This is a place to pause from the hustle and bustle of our days. This is a time to listen to the spoken word, enjoy the notes of a song, find joy in the face of our neighbor, and dwell in the Spirit of God.

## GATHERING

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Gathering Music** *Victory in Jesus* UMH 370

**Lighting of the Altar Candles**

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader:* Come, all who are burdened with many tasks.

***People:* God provides a space for rest and renewal.**

*Leader:* Come, all who have turned away from God.

***People:* God welcomes us with healing and forgiveness.**

*Leader:* Come, all who desire to know Christ.

***People:* Here we find unexpected grace and unconditional love.  
Thanks be to God!**

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE/GUEST WELCOME

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *As We Gather/The Steadfast Love of the Lord* See insert

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *A Modern Affirmation* UMH 885

## INVOCATIONAL PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Jan Hoener

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON *Genesis 18:1-10a* Pew Bible, p. 12

## 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.

SECOND LESSON *Colossians 1:15-28* Pew Bible p. 956-957

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Sanctuary* TFWS 2164

SERMON Rev. George Winkfield

## PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Take This Moment, Sign, and Space* Bell & Maule  
Praise Band

\*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

Source of all that is, we offer these gifts to you. We give what we can and ask that you bless and multiply our offering, so that our brothers and sisters near and far may know your abundant love and your tender mercy. We also offer you our very selves. Through our lives, may people everywhere come to know the glory and wisdom we have found in Christ. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT *Open the Eye of My Heart* W&S 3008

## \*CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

## \*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

POSTLUDE *To God Be the Glory* Parker

*\*Please rise if you are able*

***Bold print: in unison***

TFWS: *The Faith We Sing* UMH: *U.M. Hymnal* W&S: *Worship and Song*

# *Prayer List*

## *Prayer Requests from July 14*

Mike Ransom (*req. by Gary & Marcia Smith*)

Rob Weaver

## *Recent Prayer Requests*

Nicole Eklund (*Cheryl Wagner-Koogler's daughter – 7/7*)

Ron Ferguson (*7/7*)

Shirley Messman (*7/7*)

Venetia Russell (*Marcia Smith's sister – 7/7*)

Jennifer Webster (*7/7*)

Joe Wynn (*7/7*)

Dontae (*Jan Hoener's godson – 6/30*)

Carl Easter (*friend of Brian & Cecelia Miller – 6/30*)

Family of Dorothy Thompson (*6/30*)

Walter Crowther (*Audrey Moltz's brother – 6/23*)

Joyce Deitrich (*6/16*)

Al Mignott (*6/16*)

Jean Oberia (*6/16*)

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

## Sharing, Caring, and Studying Opportunities

**A BIBLE WAS FOUND RECENTLY IN THE PEWS FOLLOWING THE SERVICE.** It seems have been passed down through the generations first belonging to Mrs. Yates. If you have misplaced a family Bible, please call the office, 410-825-0900.

### **SUMMER COLLECTIONS:**

- 1) LRUMC Missions Committee is collecting for Heifer International's Build-an-Ark Project this summer. See the insert.
- 2) We are collecting the following supplies for Abbottston Elementary School: Kleenex, hand soap (*not hand sanitizer*), and Clorox wipes.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS OF BOTTLES AND BOTTLE CAPS FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL THIS WEEK.**

**SPECIAL THANKS AND IMMENSE BLESSINGS** to all parishioners who supported the back-to-school-event with your monetary donations. Each of you will have an impact on the lives of the students in a special way. Again, thank you for your fine support and for helping to make the event a memorable occasion for the students.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** Please sign up for altar flowers a few weeks in advance. With summer activities and vacations, we don't want to miss your sign-up!

**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.

**MONTHLY COLLECTION FOR ACTC: Canned Fruit & Applesauce**  
Please place your items in the box labeled "Missions Collections" outside Fellowship Hall.

### **LECTIONARY READINGS FOR JULY 28:**

Hosea 1:2-10 or Genesis 18:20-32; Psalm 85 or 138;  
Colossians 2:6-15, 16-19; Luke 11:1-13

## Church Calendar for the Week of July 21

Today	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
	<b>11:15 AM</b>	<b>Fellowship Time</b>	<b>Fellowship Hall</b>
	12:30 PM	St. Paul's Ghana Methodist Church	Sanctuary

Monday – Friday	7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	IMPROVE Summer Camp	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
	<b>9 AM – 12 Noon</b>	<b>Vacation Bible School To Mars and Beyond</b>	

Tuesday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
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Thursday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
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Friday	10:30 AM	Al-Anon Meeting	Room 128
	7:00 PM	St. Paul's Prayer Meeting	Room 210

Saturday	10:00 AM	St. Paul's Choir Rehearsal	Room 210
	12-8 PM	St. Paul's Celebration	Auditorium

### Upcoming Events

August 6	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Food Pantry and Department of Human Services</b>	<b>Fellowship Hall</b>
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## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

### Where?

**LOCH RAVEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**6622 Loch Raven Blvd, 21239**

### When?

**July 22<sup>nd</sup> through July 26<sup>th</sup>**

### What time?

**9 AM - 12 PM**

**For information, call or contact: LRUMC at 410-825-0900  
or visit our website at: [www.lrumc.org](http://www.lrumc.org)**