

**Welcome! Warm greetings and love in Christ are extended to all members and guests ...**  
Thank you for signing the pew registration book. (*Addresses and phone numbers help us to personally thank you for your visit.*) Please call the Church Office 410-825-0900, if you have any questions or if we can be of assistance to you.

**WE APPRECIATE THE SERVICES TODAY OF:**

**Greeters:** Dorothy Thompson (Downstairs); Ushers (Upstairs)  
**Acolyte:** Usher  
**Liturgist:** Phil Lee  
**Ushers:** Gary Horn, Melvin Miles, Owen Williams, Nancy Williams

**Infants & Young Children** are cared for during Worship in Room 209.

**Children's Activity Sheets** are available in the Narthex.

**Large Print Bulletins Available – See an usher.**

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by the Akerele 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. Evelyn Dorfler, 6451 N. Charles Street, Room 254, Baltimore, MD 21212.

**PRESENCE:** June 12, 2016: 86      Offering: \$4630.67

**LRUMC VISION 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

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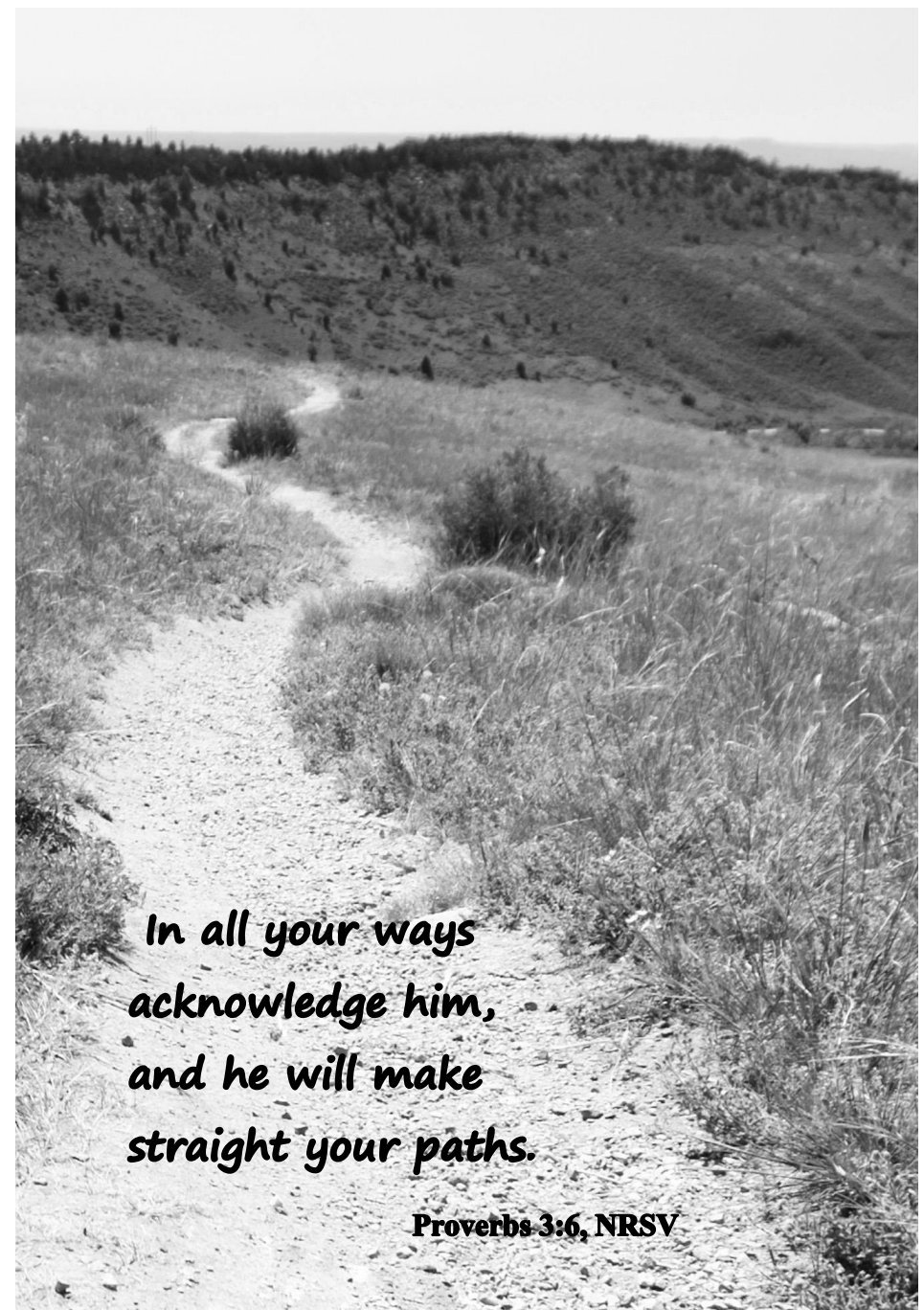
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*In all your ways  
acknowledge him,  
and he will make  
straight your paths.*

**Proverbs 3:6, NRSV**

***LOCH RAVEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH***

**6622 Loch Raven Boulevard**

**Baltimore, Maryland 21239**

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**Gathering Thought:** “A dad is someone who wants to catch you before you fall but instead picks you up, brushes you off, and lets you try again.”

**ENTRANCE**

**GATHERING**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: You servants of God, let us praise God's name.

**People: Blessed be God's name from this time forth and forevermore.**

Leader: We will praise God's name from the rising of the sun to the setting.

**People: Let us worship God together.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

*“This Is My Father's World”*

UMH 144

**\*FATHER'S DAY LITANY**

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**OPENING PRAYER** (Seated in unison)

Dear Father of light and truth, lead us by your word to your holy hill and to your dwelling place. We approach your altar with exceeding joy and praise your name with every word from our mouth. The wind cannot contain you, nor fire consume you; the earthquake fails to encompass your power, for you are God of all creation. Speak to us this morning with your still, small voice. We will listen and be your people. Amen.

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Myra Wagner

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**FIRST LESSON**

Proverbs 3:5-12

Pew Bible p. 510-511

**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**

*“Good Good Father”*

Tomlin

*LRUMC Praise Band*

**\*DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from whom all blessings 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!

UMH 94

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Eternal God, we give this offering sacrificially in response to Christ's call to discipleship. We ask that it would be considered worthy of your grace. We offer our deeds of goodness; transform them into acts of benevolence befitting your mercy. We offer our treasure; turn it into the means of new life for all. Amen.

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION**

*“Eternal Father, Strong to Save”*

TFWS 2191

**SECOND LESSON**

Ezekiel 22:30

Pew Bible p. 690

**SERMON**

“Leaning, Leading, Loving”

Rev. Cliff Webner

**SENDING FORTH**

**\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT**

*“Faith of Our Fathers”*

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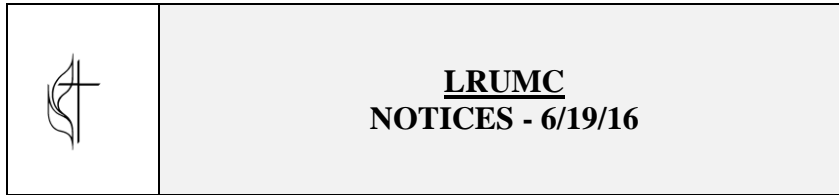
**\*CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD**

**\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

**\*POSTLUDE**

**\*GOING FORTH**

\*Please Rise in Posture or Spirit



*Please join us downstairs following the service for a time of fellowship and refreshments.*

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY TO ALL OF OUR FATHERS.**

**WE WELCOME OUR GUEST PIANIST, DONALD WOLCOTT.**

**THE SUMMER OF HOPE BEGINS NEXT WEEK, JUNE 26.**

**STAR SPANGLED CELEBRATION LUNCH AND TRIVIA – NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 26 FOLLOWING THE WORSHIP SERVICE.** Please bring a side dish to share. Meat and drink will be provided. Please sign up by Wednesday, June 22. For more information, please contact Jen Webster or Amy Price.

**REMINDER TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE KING SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS:** We will take a break this summer and resume class on Sept. 11.

**PLANS HAVE BEGUN FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL.** The Decorating Team is asking for gently used artificial Christmas trees, working Christmas lights, chicken wire, and tarps. You may bring these items to the church office during the week.

If you are interested in the latest **ANNUAL CONFERENCE NEWS**, you can check it out on the **Conference website at <http://bwcumc.org/2016-annual-conference-overview/>**

**FOR THE SUMMER, FELLOWSHIP TIME WILL CONSIST OF HOMEMADE COOKIES AND ICED TEA.** Volunteers are needed to make cookies and also to serve. Sign-up on the bulletin board in the Hospitality Area downstairs. (See Sandi Cuthbert for more information.)

**JOIN THE LRUMC ROAD RUNNERS TO MACKINAC ISLAND & UPPER PENINSULA, MICHIGAN, SEPTEMBER 18 – 24.** Total cost - \$779 (double)/ \$1028 (single). See Sharon Neumann for more information.

**JUNE COLLECTION FOR ACTC: SPAGHETTI** (Please place your items in the box labeled “Missions Collections” on the Hospitality table.)

**July/August Upper Rooms are available in two places throughout the Church.** These bi-monthly daily devotional booklets are available in the Narthex on the History Cabinets and by the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor entrance to the Sanctuary. The Upper Room may be obtained for a \$1 donation.

**CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

Today	12:30 PM	St. Paul's Ghana Church	Sanctuary
Monday – Friday	6:30 AM – 6:00 PM 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	The Learning Garden Preschool IMPROVE Summer Camp	Rooms 122, 116 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
Tuesday	9:30 AM 12:00 Noon 6:15 PM	Sandwich-making for Essex UMC Phyllis Downes Circle Aerobics	Kitchen The Peppermill Auditorium
Thursday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
Friday	10:30 AM	Al-Anon	Room 128
Saturday	10 – Noon	St. Paul's Ghana Church Youth Gathering	Fellowship Hall

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

June 26	11:30 AM	LRUMC Star-Spangled Celebration	Fellowship Hall
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## **Prayer Requests from June 12**

Ron Ferguson

Edith Feustle (*Judy Feustle's mother*)

Margaret Thomas Trusty (*Marcia Smith's mother*)

Virginia Wilson (*Dave Jackson's sister-in-law*)

Betty Brendal (*Peggy Kelly's friend*)

Betty Hess (*Peggy Kelly's friend*)

Gordon Siebold (*Peggy Kelly's neighbor*)

## **Recent Prayer Requests**

Nancy Gillotti and Sharon Neumann (*safe travels – 6/5*)

Jan Hoener (*6/5*)

Jim Wagner (*6/5*)

Chase Horn (*Yvonne & Gary Horn's grandson – 6/5*)

Miles Ferree (*Jo Thomas' great nephew – 5/22*)

Adam (*Jan Hoener's friend – 5/22*)

Bill Egan (*father of Marcia Smith's friend – 5/22*)

Lynn Huseman (*Yvonne & Gary Horn's friend – 6/5*)

Janie Johnson (*Maria Stockton-Porter's family friend – 5/22*)

Family of Michael McGeehan (*Marge Tyler's friend – 5/29*)

Family of Claire Masden (*Cecelia Miller's friend – 5/22*)

Family of Mario Seotto (*father of Marcia Smith's friend – 5/22*)

S. Smith (*Joyce Dixon's friend – 5/22*)