

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:** Dolores Courtney  
**Acolyte:** Usher  
**Liturgist:** Helen Blakey  
**Ushers:** Gary Horn, Melvin Miles, Nancy Williams, Owen Williams

**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 in honor and memory of James T. Smith, 11/11/1991 - 6/23/2008

John 16:22 - "Therefore you now have sorrow; but I will see you again and your heart will rejoice, and your joy no one will take from you."

James - Until we meet again. Save a good spot for us. We love you. - Mom, Dad, and Christian

**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. Dorothy Thompson, c/o Russell Thompson, 800A Southerly Road, Apt. 535, Towson, MD 21286. (Dorothy celebrates her 90th birthday June 25.)

**PRESENCE: June 16, 2019: 82**

**Offering: \$4,051.00**

**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, 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

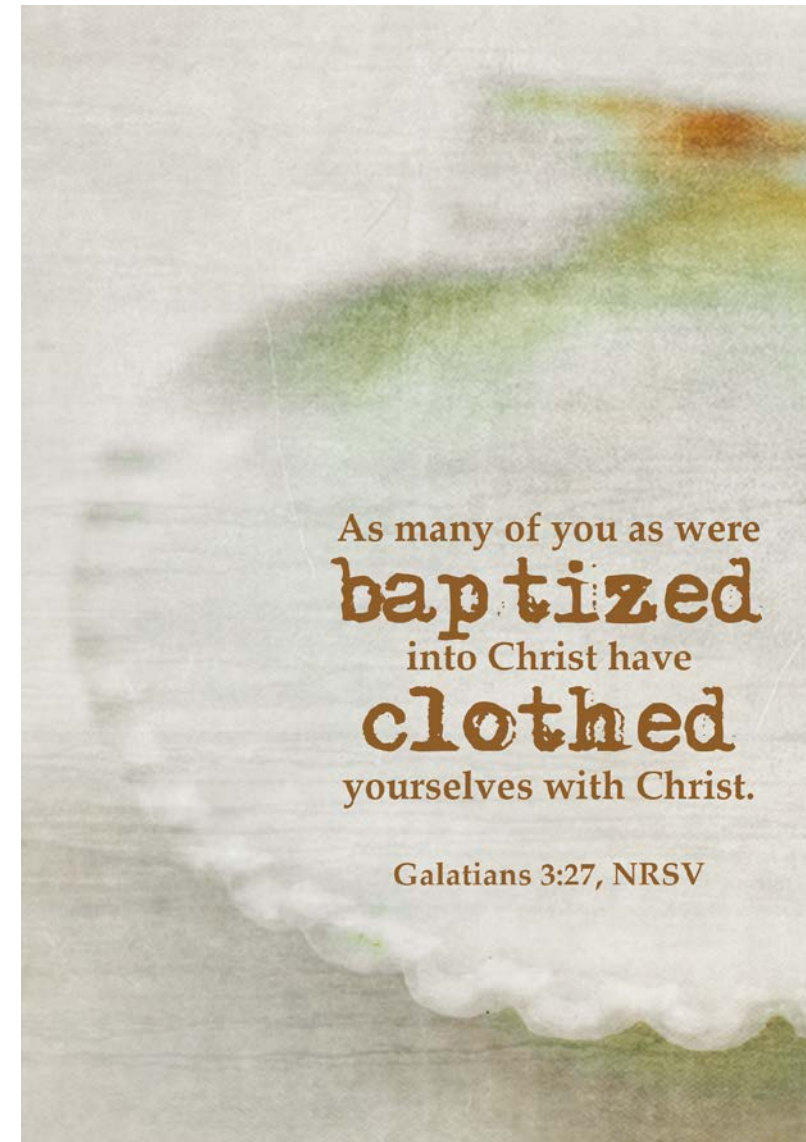
**ORGANIST:** Patricia Gould

**CHILD CARE PROVIDER:** Amy Price

## Second Sunday of Pentecost

June 23, 2019

10:00 AM



## Loch Raven United Methodist Church

6622 Loch Raven Boulevard

Baltimore, Maryland 21239

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# The Order of Worship

**CENTERING WORDS:** God speaks most clearly in silence.

## GATHERING

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Gathering Music** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* UMH 140

**Lighting of the Altar Candles**

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader:* All who thirst, refresh yourselves in the waters of the living God.

*People:* **As a deer longs for flowing streams, our souls long for God.**

*Leader:* All who weep, comfort yourselves in the safety of the living God.

*People:* **As a deer longs for flowing streams, our souls long for Christ.**

*Leader:* All who feel lost and forgotten, find home and family in the house of the living God.

*People:* **As a deer longs for flowing streams, our souls long for the Spirit.**

*All:* **Come! Revive yourselves in the waters of the living God.**

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *In Christ There Is No East or West* UMH 548

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *Ecumenical Version* UMH 882

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

God of mystery, open our eyes, that we may see you in unfamiliar places; open our ears, that we may hear you speak in the sound of sheer silence; open our hearts, that we may feel the depth of your love. When we wander in the wilderness of fear and death, revive us with your care, that we may find strength for our journey and return to the land of hope and life. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Rhoda Wilson

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON *1 Kings 19:1-15a* Pew Bible, p. 284-285

ANNUAL CONFERENCE REPORT Brian Miller  
Lay Member to Annual Conference

## 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 *Days of Elijah* Mark  
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

Sovereign God, you feed us by your own hand, lest our souls shrivel for want of nourishment; you revive us with your waters of life, lest our hearts faint in the desert of our despair; you call us back to life and new possibilities, lest our hopes fail in our sorrow and anguish. Accept these offerings in gratitude and praise for the many blessings that we have received from your hand. Accept the gift of our love, and our pledge to love others as you have loved us. Amen.

SECOND LESSON *Luke 8:26-39* Pew Bible p. 841

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Christ Has Broken Down the Wall* W&S 3122

SERMON Brian Miller, Lay Servant

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT *By Grace We Have Been Saved* W&S 3110

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

## \*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE *The Regal Trumpet* Paxton

## \*GOING FORTH

*\*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

Al Mignott (6/16)  
Regina (*Charles Danforth's girlfriend – 6/2*)  
Cassandra Barnett-Goodwin (*Marian Stockton-Porter's friend – 6/2*)  
Bill Denzer (*Jen Weaver's uncle – 6/2*)  
Jennie Dorsey (6/2)  
Merrill Harrison (6/2)  
Family of Dr. Bill Moulds (*friend of Adrian Palazzi – 6/2*)  
Dawn Oster (*Cheryl Wagner-Koogler's sister – 6/2*)  
Linea Russell (*Marcia Thomas-Smith's niece – 6/2*)  
Family of Walter Thomas (*Marcia Thomas-Smith's friend – 6/2*)  
Family of William Sivels (*Marcia Thomas-Smith's great uncle – 6/2*)  
Demetria (*Patti Ferguson's friend – 5/26*)  
Dontae (*Jan Hoener's "godson" – 5/26*)  
Faith (*daughter of Patti Ferguson's friend – 5/26*)  
Bill Baker (*Ken & Linda Cole's nephew-in-law – 5/26*)  
Friends of Bill Bratton (5/26)  
Ken Cole (5/26)  
Jacoba Deming (*mother of Ken & Linda Cole's grandson – 5/26*)  
David Peters (*Merrill Harrison's brother – 5/26*)  
Kathy Rawlings (*req. by Peggy Kelly – 9/16*)  
Mike Ransom (*req. by Gary & Marcia Smith – 9/9*)

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

## Sharing, Caring, and Studying Opportunities

**OUR CHILDREN AND ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES WILL BE TAKING A BREAK FOR THE SUMMER. Thank you to all leaders and participants. Sunday School will resume September 8.**

### SUMMER COLLECTIONS:

- 1) **See the insert regarding the Missions Committee Summer Collections project.**
- 2) **Loch Raven UMC will be hosting a back-to-school event Friday, August 23.** Monetary donations are requested by July 14 to purchase school supplies and for various activities. Please give by placing your donation in one of the pew envelopes and mark it "Back-to-School." (Suggested donation - \$20.)
- 3) **Vacation Bible School will be held from 9 AM - 12 Noon, July 22 – 26.** Donations are requested of plastic bottle and caps (cleaned) of any size for arts and crafts.

**WE ARE SEEKING VOLUNTEERS TO TAKE OUR FOOD DONATIONS TO ACTC. If you are available to deliver the food weekly or biweekly, please contact Merrill Harrison (410-668-3187).**

**REMINDER: If you are donating clothing for the Corner Hope Chest, make sure they are cleaned, on hangers and the size clearly labeled. There are forms on the coat rack in the Arcade for your donations. Please fill out the form and put with your donated clothes.**

**IF YOU WISH TO GIVE YOUR OFFERING ELECTRONICALLY, YOU MAY DO SO BY VISITING OUR WEBSITE (WWW.LRUMC.ORG) AND CLICKING ON THE VANCO LINK.**

**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: Instant Potatoes**  
Please place your items in the box labeled "Missions Collections" outside Fellowship Hall.

### LECTIONARY READINGS FOR JUNE 30:

2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14; Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20; Galatians 5:1,13-25; Luke 9:51-62

## Church Calendar for the Week of June 23

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
Tuesday	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Sandwich-making for Essex UMC</b>	<b>Kitchen</b>
	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
Thursday	6:15 PM	Aerobics	Auditorium
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
	12:00 PM	St. Paul's Prayer Meeting	Room 210

### Upcoming Events

July 4                      **Independence Day**  
**Church Office Closed**



## 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)**