

WILLIAMSBURG
UNITED
METHODIST
CHURCH

Welcoming Neighbors
Nurturing Faith
Transforming Our World

October 14, 2018
Twenty-first Sunday
After Pentecost



*Holy Spirit, help us understand that your will is not to make the world look more like
the church but to make your church more like Jesus Christ. Amen.*

PRELUDE

Jazz Prelude
(Dennis Janzer)

INTROIT

WHAT DOES THE LORD REQUIRE OF YOU
(Jim Strathdee)

Sanctuary Choir

*HYMN 400 *red book*

COME, THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

It was easy to come to worship this morning.

We feel welcome and look forward to the worship service.

How hard it is to enter God's kingdom.

We have to be ready to let go of the things that tie us down.

Get ready. God is waiting for you.

Open our hearts and our spirits, Lord, to receive your word for us.

*OPENING PRAYER

**O God, our Creator, Alpha and Omega, to you a thousand years is like
a minute, but for us every second counts.**

Every minute is scheduled; every minute is precious.

A minute of overtime means a minute away from our loved ones.

But at this moment, we have chosen to give our time to you;

**to step out of our demanding schedules, to stop and pray and worship
and remember that life is more than what our appointment books**

**tell us. God, we honor and praise you with our most precious
commodity — our time. Amen.**

MOMENT OF TEACHING

11:00 a.m.

Please invite our children forward, singing:

**This, this is where children belong,
welcomed as part of the worshipping throng.**

**Water, God's word, bread and cup, prayer, and song:
this is where children belong.**

Children may depart for The Worship Place in Room 161 or return to their seats. 11:00 A.M. ONLY

EPISTLE LESSON

EPHESIANS 5:15-20 (194 NT)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL LESSON

MARK 10:17-31 (46 NT)

SERMON

Does Anybody Really Know What Time It Is?

Rev. Bill Jones

*HYMN 432 *red book*

JESU, JESU

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.**

PRAYER RESPONSE

ORTHODOX KYRIE

(arr. Gary Alan Smith)

Sanctuary Choir

OFFERTORY

Prayer for Peace

(David Cherwien)

Sanctuary Choir

*DOXOLOGY 94 *red book*

**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!**

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN 2130 *black book*

THE SUMMONS

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

THE LORD BLESS AND KEEP YOU

(EMF)

Sanctuary Choir

*POSTLUDE

TRUMPET RONDEAU IN G MAJOR

(Dennis Lasky)

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the Glory of God in honor of the
61st wedding anniversary of Bud and Marylyn Voorhess.

THIS ALSO IS OUR WORSHIP

THIS WEEK AT WUMC

Today

8:15 Worship Service
9:15-11:00 Atrium Refreshments
9:30 Small Groups, Youth Group,
Sunday School, Connect 101
11:00 Worship Service
The Worship Place

Monday, 10/15

5:15 Orchestra Practice
6:30 Communication Committee
Local Outreach
7:00 Stephen Ministry
WUMM Book Group

Tuesday, 10/16

11:00 Bell Choir
5:30 Worship
7:00 Finance

Wednesday, 10/17

4:00 Respite Committee
5:30 Recharge
6:00 Discipleship Classes
7:00 Sr. Pastor Bible Study

Thursday, 10/18

10:30 Sr. Pastor Bible Study
5:30 Bell Choir
7:00 Sanctuary Choir

2019 Flower Calendar

...is located outside the Sanctuary
on the bulletin board. Sign up
now!

WELCOME! WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE!

We invite you to participate in all the ministries and activities of the congregation. Join us for coffee and fellowship in the Atrium before and after Sunday School.

If you are a first-time guest, we invite you to fill out the pink card in the pew rack and take it to the Atrium after worship where you will receive a "Welcome Gift."

Crossroads Table

Today at the Crossroads Table, the United Methodist Men are selling tickets for the Friday, October 26 Annual Spaghetti Supper, which includes salad, bread and dessert. Adult tickets - \$10.00; Children under 12 - free. Proceeds go to support the Harbour Scholarship Fund.

The Williamsburg United Methodist Church **CARE Committee** will also be represented today and will discuss their mission. Stop by both tables, today!

Kairos Cookies Due This Week

Homemade cookies are needed for the Kairos Prison Ministry Retreat at Greensville Correctional Center. Kairos recommends peanut butter, oatmeal, chocolate chip, molasses or sugar cookies. Cookie recipes and packaging instructions may be found on the Connection Corner desk. The deadline for cookie pick-up at church is Wednesday, October 17 at noon. A second way to participate in this ministry is to pray for the inmate attendees and for the ministry team. Our prayers will be felt any time and is a critical component of the retreat.

2018 Walk to End Alzheimer's

The **Respite Care Center** and **Williamsburg UMC** have joined together to form a team that will participate in this year's walk which will take place on Saturday, October 27 at Pecan Square Park in New Town. If you are interested in joining our team, please call Barbara Monteith (253-7595). Thanks!



Children

Children

Nursery available all Sunday morning
Room 203

Worship Activity Bags available outside Sanctuary doors

Music

Joyful Noise Ringers (grades 2-6)
Sunday, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

Bells of Praise (grade 7-12)
Sunday, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Canticles of Praise (grade 7-12)
Sunday, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Praise Band (grade 6-12)
Sunday, 5:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Wesley Choir (grades 1-6)
Thursday, 5:30 – 6:15 p.m.

*Questions? Contact
Anthony Williams, Director
(229-1771)*

Childcare Providers Needed

Williamsburg United Methodist Church is hiring childcare providers to work on Sunday mornings and special events. Should be dependable and love working with children, have experience in caring for children between the ages of 0 to 12 along with the ability to adapt and interact with each child and their varying needs in a Christian setting. This is a paid position. Send resume to mhernandez@williamsburgumc.org

All Children Are Welcome at WUMC.
If you are a visitor or guest, we invite you to join in!

LEARN, GROW, MAKE FRIENDS Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

We have classes for preschool through 5th grade.
Room 207-Preschoolers

Room 302-Kindergarten through 2nd grade
Room 301-3rd grade through 5th grade

We welcome preschoolers through 5th grade to join us after the Moment of Teaching in our Worship Place Suite Room 161. Age appropriate lessons, games and activities in a fun and safe environment. Come join us! Contact Martha Hernandez, Director of Children's Ministry (229-1771).

Kids Morning Out

National Cake Decorating Day

Face off in a cupcake wars style competition, chat with grown-ups and enjoy refreshments, October 15, 5:30-7:00 p.m. This event is open to parents and caregivers of children.

Join us October 31 for a Halloween party, 11:00 a.m. and a costume parade, 11:45 a.m. throughout the church. Questions? Contact Laura Pittman (229-1771).

Youth Group

Today: This morning and evening we are finalizing preparations for Youth Sunday next weekend. Join us at 9:30 a.m. in the Youth Center or at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary for a full rehearsal (followed by dinner at Sal's).

Youth

Youth



Volunteers Needed

There is a need for tellers at the 8:15 a.m. worship service. Takes about 10 minutes and you will always work with a partner. Interested? Please contact Wil Colton (871-2523).

CARE Committee...

...will provide rides to the doctor, helps with funeral receptions or will provide help when you are sick. **October** coordinators are Barbara Glover (229-1198) and Mary Spence (476-7085). If you need **CARE**, please let the coordinators know at least 2 days in advance to arrange for assistance.

Join the WUMC Geek Squad

The Communications Committee is looking for a few volunteers to become part of the "WUMC Geek Squad" – a group of people who are interested in supporting our efforts to be a more technologically-effective church. We need individuals who have some technical skills with operating A/V equipment. We also need people who can help inventory all of the equipment the church currently owns and develop training materials for use of this equipment. If you are interested, please complete the online volunteer form <https://www.williamsburgumc.org/connect/whats-happening>

Winter Is Just Around the Corner and Warm Coats Are Needed!

Each October the WUMC congregation collects new winter coats for the preschoolers attending Head Start at the Historic Triangle Community Center. The little ones are 3-5 years old and wear sizes 3, 3T, 4, 4T, 5 and 5T. Coats run large so any coat larger than 5T will be too big for a preschooler. Head Start is critical for these children. Here, they learn many of the basic skills that they will need to begin kindergarten. Collection bins for coats are located in the Reception Area off the Atrium. Thanks so much; from Local Outreach Committee.



United Methodist Women Circles

WILLIAMSBURG LANDING CIRCLE – October 16, 10:30 a.m., Williamsburg Landing Main Building, 1st Floor next to kitchen. Andy Glascott will be our guest speaker; topic: summer mission trips.

UMW Event

United Methodist Women's *Call to Prayer & Self Denial* will be held Saturday, October 20, 10:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Our speaker will be Elizabeth Ameling, director of Latisha's House. Elizabeth will be speaking on *Rescuing & Restoring Sex Trafficked Victims*.

ReCharge Wednesday

Join us October 17, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. for a delicious dinner of *Asian pork tenderloin, potatoes, vegetable and dessert*. The cost for the meal is only \$6/adult, \$3/child (ages 3-12) with a \$20.00 family maximum. Please make a reservation by completing a dinner form found at Connection Corner, or in the pew racks in the Sanctuary, or on line <http://www.williamsburgumc.org/connect/whats-happening> You may also call the Church Office by noon on Tuesday (229-1771). For Discipleship Classes, register online www.williamsburgumc.org, contact Cindy Banek cbanek@williamsburgumc.org or (229-1771). Watch the church newsletter, Sunday bulletin and enotes for announcements about new discipleship opportunities!

October Menu for ReCharge Wednesday

October 24 - tortellini in a cream sauce with ham and peas, roll, dessert

October 31 – shepherd’s pie (beef) with roll, dessert

Senior Pastor Bible Study

Senior Pastor's Midweek Bible Study: Reconciling Evolution & Faith meets from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. How do Christians make sense of evolution or the Big Bang next to the claims of Jesus and the creation accounts of Genesis? These questions are much more than merely intellectual; they stretch to the deepest level of Christian faith. If you are unable to attend the study on Wednesday nights, Pastor Bill offers the same study on Thursday mornings from 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. All are welcome to join us.

Grow 301

What do United Methodists believe and practice? The founder of the Methodist movement, John Wesley and the early Methodists, placed primary emphasis on Christian living—putting faith and love into action. This class will be rescheduled. Look in future issues of the worship bulletin and in the Messenger for updates. Questions? Contact Pastor Meghan Roth Clayton (229-1771).

Commission On A Way Forward’s Report To The General Conference

Copies of the final report to the Special Session of the UMC General Conference from the Commission on a Way Forward are available in the Church Library. You may also access the report and other information related to the work of the Commission on our church website under the “Grow” tab <https://www.williamsburgumc.org/grow/a-way-forward> Please be in prayer for the delegates who will gather in February 2019 in St. Louis for this special session.

Wesley Campus Ministry

This Week: Fall Break. We will not have dinner and large group, or small group on Tuesday, but we will have Fellowship Thursday at Wesley, 8:00 p.m.

Coming Up: Trick or Treat So Kids Can Eat on Halloween

Faith and Action trip to Danville Greensboro Civil Rights Museum, November 2-4.

We're just next door to the church at the Wesley House, which is your house.

From the Endowment Committee

When you include our church in your estate plan or planned gift, but sure to use the proper legal name and address: Williamsburg United Methodist Church, 500 Jamestown Rd, Williamsburg VA 23185. Thank you.

Music News

ECMS offers several Adult Keyboard classes at various levels. Whether you are a beginner, a rusty returnee, or even an intermediate to advanced player, there are spots for you! There are two levels of Adult Guitar classes: True Beginner and Upper Beginner. The curriculum will use traditional beginner guitar methods from various published sources. Anthony has been a professional guitarist for over a decade with experience in genres ranging from folk, jazz, classical and rock. Intended as recreational guitar playing, the classes are stress free, supportive and rewarding. Each guitar student will need their own guitar to bring to class. Questions? Contact Anthony Williams, Director of Early Childhood Music School mranthony.ecms@gmail.com or (229-1771).

Magnificent Melodies

A concert series benefitting Elliot's Song,
an Outreach Program of Early Childhood Music School

A program of vocal and instrumental music with featured works by various composers

Sunday, October 21, 3:00 p.m. Sanctuary

Williamsburg United Methodist Church - 500 Jamestown Road, Williamsburg, Virginia
Free Admission with suggested donations to benefit Elliot's Song

MEMBERS WITH NO ADDRESS ON FILE

The Discipline of the United Methodist Church (§229b3,4) directs that members of the church whose address and whereabouts are unknown may be removed from the rolls of the church, if no one is able to supply an address after their names have been published to the congregation for three consecutive years.

The following names of such “lost members” will be presented to the Charge Conference on December 4, 2018, and any whose addresses are still unknown at the third such Charge Conference will be eligible for removal.

We much prefer reestablishing contact to removing names from the roll. If you can supply an address for any of these persons, please call Nancy Reynolds (229-1771) or email the information to nreynolds@williamsburgumc.org

Third Reading

(Eligible for removal, Charge Conference 2018)

Second Reading

(Eligible for removal, Charge Conference 2019)

Christopher Heath

Lynn Heath

Chris West

Nick West

First Reading

(Eligible for removal, Charge Conference 2020)

Victoria Adams

Alex Berry

Austin Berry

Jennifer Berry

Vinson Berry

Christopher Hamrick

Barbara Hogan

Mary Hoisington

Sally Hooker

Patricia Horvath

Robert Horvath

Tyler Horvath

Karlene Jennings

Belin da Kelk

Donald King

Caitlin LaPlante

Catherine LaPlante

Samantha LaPlante

Natalie Lee

Tim Lee

Joe Ann Lipscomb

Lisa Luedtke

Donald Maiden

Kara McCarthy

Sean McDaniel

Dona McKenzie

George McKenzie

Don Milliken

Lynne Milliken

Gina Moore

Harwood Mulford

Don Murphy

Janice Nette
Anissa Ohlendorf
David Ohlendorf
Elsie Osinski
Joe Osinski
Gloria Parker
Richard Piland
Deborah Ramer
Amanda Raymond
Gary Raymond
Susan Rexrode
Thomas Rexode
Ronald Riner
Ladd Romans
Kimberly Shirley
Charlotte Siebel
Carolyn Simmons
Frank Simmons

Jennifer Sizoo
Brian Smith
Jane Smith
Scott Smith
Barry Smoot
Earl Smoot
Brooke Sparks
Andrew Spencer
Mary Louise Stader
Henry Stephens
Lorraine Stephens
Tracey Tunstall
Patricia Watkins
Tenille Webb
Brandie Weiler
Jennifer Welch Bonnano
Sara Weymouth



Heads up!

Thanksgiving is just around the corner. On Thanksgiving morning church members and guests will gather for our annual 3-hour marathon of cooking and work projects. Meals are delivered to home-bound, disabled, elderly or “just plain hungry” folks recommended by organizations that work with the disadvantaged of our community. All work projects result in a useful product that will be used in our community. Watch the Sunday bulletins and the November Messenger for details about contributions and volunteering for Thanksgiving morning fun.

Looking Ahead

In lieu of the Senior Pastor Bible Study on Wednesday, November 14, at 7:00 p.m., we will welcome guest speaker Daoud Nassar, director of *Tent of Nations* and 2017 recipient of the World Methodist Council Peace Award. He will be traveling to Virginia to speak at various churches and other community groups over the course of a two-week period next month. He will also be at the College of William and Mary via the Wesley Foundation on Thursday, November 15. He and his two traveling companions will eat dinner with us at Recharge. Sponsored by Global Outreach.

TODAY'S SERVICE

Clergy: Bill Jones, Meghan Roth Clayton

Director of Music Ministries: Lou-Anne Smith

Guest Organist: Sue Hunter

Readers 8:15: Bud Voorhess **11:00:** Sam Sadler

Greeters 8:15: Gordon and Judy Angles **11:00:** Gary and Kathy Drake

Ushers 8:15: Jack Jones, Liam Joyner, Bill Mershon, Jigger Sirois, Carrie van Leliveld, Gale Wilson, Anne Wilson
11:00: Al Gunner, Jean Bodine, Wil Colton, Bill Druschel, David Ertel, Fran Lane, Joann Lawson, Bill Hill, Cheryl Orr, George Sallwasser, Norb Smith, Buz Wilson

Sound System 8:15: Lyman Hubbard **11:00:** Roger Helmick

Worship Attendance	467
Sunday School	175
Messy Church.....	80

**November 4 – Move Your
Clocks Back 1 Hour
@2:00 a.m.**

November 6 – Election Day

Hurricane Florence United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR)

You can make a donation to disaster response by designating: *"US Disaster Response, Advance #901670"* on your check. Place your check in the offering plate or bring it to the Church Office.

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Bill Jones, *Senior Pastor* (x 260)

Cindy Banek, *Dir. of Adult Discipleship & Christian Ed.* (x 258)

Lou-Anne Smith, *Dir. of Music Ministries* (x 107)

Andy Glascott, *Youth Director* (x 259)

Anthony Williams, *Assoc. Dir. of Music for Children and Youth and Dir. Early Childhood Music School* (x 108)

Nethea Calloway, *Finance Manager* (x 351)

Lianne Koch, *Administrative Assistant, Receptionist* (x 250)

Laura Pittman, *Dir. Kids Morning Out* (x208)

Greg Whiteside, *Facilities Manager* (x 355)

Meghan Roth Clayton, *Associate Pastor* (x261)

Helen Casey-Rutland, *Min. of Congregational Care* (x 357)

Thomas Marshall, *Organist*, (713-0584)

Carolyn Yowell, *Dir. Respite Care* (x 354)

Nancy Reynolds, *Administrative Assistant* (x 252)

Shari Kelley, *Bookkeeper* (x 350)

Martha Hernandez, *Director of Children's Ministry* (x 359)

Max Blalock, *W&M Campus Minister* (229-6832)

Welcome To
WILLIAMSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
We Are Glad You Are Here!

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP 8:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Children can find soft **activity bags** just outside the Sanctuary.

Large print bulletins and **assisted listening devices** are available from the ushers. Those with a "**t-coil**" switch in their hearing aids can simply activate the switch.

SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES, GROUPS, AND BIBLE STUDY FOR ALL AGES 9:30 a.m.

Look inside or ask at Connection Corner just inside the parking lot entrance.

Visitors and guests are always welcome in every class and group!

MESSY CHURCH 2nd TUESDAY EACH MONTH

5:30 p.m.

Come as you are for all ages and families—crafts, games, music, dinner and more!

CHILDREN of all ages are always welcome in worship!

Nursery care for ages 3 and under is available all Sunday morning in the Nursery, Room 203.

Children ages 4 years old through 5th grade are invited to ***The Worship Place***, in Room 161 after the Moment of Teaching during the 11:00 a.m. service.

YOUTH GROUP grades 6-12 meets Sundays 9:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. in the Youth Center, Room 180.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?

A Welcome Folder and brochures about church ministries are available at Connection Corner by the parking lot entrance and just inside the Jamestown Road entrance. Our website is filled with detailed information about our church, ministries, people, events and much more. Check us out on www.williamsburgumc.org

INTERESTED IN BEING A PART OF WUMC?

Periodically we have an introductory meet and greet CONNECT 101 on Sunday morning in the Parlor, 9:30-10:30 a.m. The next opportunity will be **today**. Join us! Simply complete the blue card in the pew rack and place in the offering plate, fill out on line or contact the Church Office.

PRAYER

Share prayer concerns on prayer cards located at the Jamestown Road entrance, at Connection Corner, in the pew racks, or by submitting the online prayer request on the Church website. Prayer concerns will be added to the prayer chain and shared with the pastors and intercessory prayer group.

PASTORAL CONCERNS

We are a Stephen Ministry Church and provide trained, strictly confidential lay pastoral care for our congregation and community. Call one of the Pastors for information on how you can be connected to one of our Stephen Ministers.