



# Community of Faith

## United Methodist Church

July 25, 2021

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### *Online Worship Guide*

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#### THOUGHT FOR THE MORNING

Paul kneels. Kneeling intrigues me. You are relatively defenseless down there, and if your eyes are closed and your hands also folded, you are physically vulnerable. That's the ideal in prayer: making myself defenseless before God, and entirely exposed to whatever God brings. — Rev. James Howell

#### WELCOME

#### PRELUDE

*Jesus Shall Take the Highest Honor*  
Dr. Kelli Nam, piano

CALL TO WORSHIP      *Love One Another*

HYMN      *Jesus Loves Me! This I Know*      # 191

A TIME FOR CHILDREN

ANTHEM      *Oh How He Loves You and Me*  
Dr. MaryAnn McKavitt East, vocalist

EPISTLE LESSON      Ephesians 3:14-21

WITNESS TO THE WORD      *Rooted*      Rev. Rob Vaughn

PRAYER OF DEDICATION & 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.

HYMN      *Love Lifted Me*      W&S 3104

BLESSING      *The Lord Bless You and Keep You*  
*Octarium, Kansas City*



*No morning Zoom prayers today because of Outdoor Worship*

Sunday worship is posted online to Community of Faith's Vimeo page at <https://vimeo.com/user87801901> A Sunday early morning email will also offer a link to the worship bulletin, Zoom and announcements.

## Welcome

*Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. (Matthew 10:40)*

At Community of Faith, we believe each individual is of sacred worth and dignity as part of God's creation and as demonstrated by the life and ministry of Jesus Christ. We celebrate the beautiful diversity of all races, nationalities, and ethnicities. We welcome and affirm you whether you are rich or poor; love the Church, have never been to Church, or have been wounded by spiritual communities; gay, straight, or whatever your gender identity, expression, and sexual orientation may be; married or single; a person with children or without children; able-bodied, differently-abled, or challenged with mental or emotional health issues; certain of many things or full of questions. We vow to be a safe community truly open to everyone to grow in faith - God's love has no bounds.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### No Adult Church School today

#### Oak Hill Preschool opens this Fall at CoF

A new preschool program begins this fall at CoF for children ages 2-5 years old. Also offered is before and after care. For information, visit [www.oakhillprek.com](http://www.oakhillprek.com)



#### CoF sponsors a new Scouting initiative - STEM Scouts

For girls & boys in grades 3-5, Stem Scouts offer a new and exciting Scouting adventure entirely focused on STEM lab work. For more information [click here](#).



## Financial Contributions

Offerings may be made online at the church website [www.cofumc.org](http://www.cofumc.org), by texting to 73256 and in the message, enter COFUMC, or check can be mailed to 13224 Franklin Farm Road, Herndon, VA 20171-4034.

**For United Methodist News** - visit [www.umnews.org](http://www.umnews.org) or check out the church webpage at [www.umc.org](http://www.umc.org)

## What's Happening This Week

SUNDAY (July 25) Outdoor in Person Service 9AM

MONDAY & TUESDAY MORNINGS – Food Distribution Prep @11AM

TUESDAY (July 27) Food Distribution 4-5:30PM

TUESDAY (July 27) Vespers with Pastor Rob

SUNDAY (August 1) In-Person Sanctuary Service 8:30AM & 10:30

SUNDAY (August 1) Adult Church School 9:30AM

SUNDAY (August 1) Christian Worship Assembly 1PM

THURSDAY (August 5) Oak Hill Preschool Open House 10AM

WEDNESDAY (September 8) Encore Singers 10AM

THURSDAY (September 9) Sanctuary Choir 730PM

## Prayers

Paige Warmbrunn Da Cruz for cardiac surgery, July 26 at Inova Fairfax  
Rolanna Bell-Lindell and Bill Lindell, recovering from a hospitalization  
Prayers for health for Gail Harman, Betty Duddey

### ***For our parents and families***

Shelby Slemp (mother of Lara Fries) who is recovering from a fall at her residence in Florida and for Lara who's traveled to be with her Ghazel's Uncle Yaddi in addition to her aunt in the part of Germany that has experienced flooding and aunt & uncle in Tehran  
Chris (nephew of Kay Warmbrunn) for surgery July 26  
Danny Perez, father of Di Hannum Beatty (hospitalized in Florida)  
Greg Carter's brother, Mark (Indiana)  
Lara Fries' Aunt Libby & her family in SW VA with pancreatic cancer  
Betsy Pinder, goddaughter of Bane Vaughn

Lauré Mackey's son

Dave Parazinnio, partner of Tracy Shelton

Parents of Laura Babbitt (Nancy), Bane Vaughn (Betty Shamburger),

Jeff Mowery (Fred), Chris Gohrband (Virginia), Mary Ann East

(Jackie), Kim Fuller, Winnie Rosenberger's mom

***For Friends & Neighbors***

Marilyn Lay – friend of Marcia Johnson

***For the nation and world***

Gratitude for all working to reopen schools, institutions & establishments

Peace in the Middle East

Areas experiencing a Covid resurgence.

***The joys of birth are extended to:***

✦ Nick and Liz Longworth on the birth of Roman Lee Longworth on July 8



***Ministers - The Entire Congregation***

*Lay Leaders* – Jocelyn Gabriel, Ghazel Chilan

*Music Director*: Mary Ann East; *Music Accompanist*: Kelly Nam

*Children's Coordinator* – Kelli Timanus; *Youth Director*: Hannah Godfrey

*Nursery Care* – Miyo Shimoda; *Office Manager* – Di Hannum Beatty

*District Superintendent* – Sara Calvert; *Bishop* – Sharma Lewis



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