



What must I do to inherit eternal life?"

Mark 10:17

Community of Faith United Methodist Church

October 10, 2021

Online Worship Guide

THOUGHT FOR THE MORNING

Jesus selected twelve and trained them in a new way of life. He sent them to teach everyone this way of life. Some would believe and become practitioners and teachers of this new way of life, too. Even if only a few would practice this new way, many would benefit. Oppressed people would be free. Poor people would be liberated from poverty. Minorities would be treated with respect. Sinners would be loved, not resented. Industrialists would realize that God cares for sparrows and wildflowers—so their industries should respect, not rape, the environment. The homeless would be invited in for a hot meal. The kingdom of God would come—not everywhere at once, not suddenly, but gradually, like a seed growing in a field, like yeast spreading in a lump of bread dough, like light spreading across the sky at dawn.

Brian D. McLaren, *A Generous Orthodoxy*

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN

Holy, Holy, Holy

UMH 64

A TIME FOR CHILDREN

ANTHEM

Miracles

Dr. MaryAnn McKavitt East, vocalist

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 3:1-17

WITNESS TO THE WORD

Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

Clarendon United Methodist Church, Arlington

PRAYER OF DEDICATION & PASTORAL PRAYER

HYMN

Praise My Soul the King of Heaven

New Scotland Hymn Band

BLESSING

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

Octarium, Kansas City



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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Shalom Farms Mission Trip (Richmond) | Saturday, October 16

Join us at the Powhatan Farm, 2676 Venita Road Midlothian VA, for a morning of volunteering at Shalom Farms. We will meet at COF at 7AM and drive down together. For an online waiver [click here](#) and to register, [click here](#).

Adult Church School meets today at 9:30 AM and is a hybrid experience – both in-person and online. To experience it online, just click the Zoom link [here](#).

Everything Happens for a Reason: And other lies I've Loved by
Kate Bowler **Book Discussion | Sunday October 17 | 5-6PM**

Kate is a professor of the history of Christianity at Duke Divinity School when at age 35 she developed a diagnosis of stage 4 colon cancer. *Everything Happens* is the story of her journey. We'll gather both in-person and on Zoom to talk about her work. [Click here](#) for a link to Amazon to obtain the book. As part of the series on Hope, Kate was interviewed on OnBeing.org. To listen to this delightful and inspiring conversation, just go to www.onbeing.org. To learn more about Dr. Bower, just visit her website at katebowler.com. To register your interest at [OnRealm](#) OR speak to Pastor Rob.

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Financial Contributions

Offerings may be made online at the church website 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.

What's Happening

SUNDAY (October 3) Indoor Worship 8:30 & 10:30AM
SUNDAY (October 3) Adult Sunday School 9:30AM
SUNDAY (October 3) Youth Group 10:30AM
SUNDAY (October 3) Christian Worship Assembly 1PM
MONDAY & TUESDAY MORNINGS – Food Distribution Prep @11AM
MONDAY-FRIDAY (October 4) Oak Hill Preschool
TUESDAY (October 5) Food Distribution 4:30 – 6:00PM
TUESDAY (October 5) Vespers with Pastor Rob
WEDNESDAY (October 7) Boy Scouts 7PM
THURSDAY (October 8) Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 7:30PM
SUNDAY (October 10) Card Making with Sandy Jones by Zoom 1PM
SATURDAY (October 16) Shalom Farms
SUNDAY (October 17) Everything Happens Book Discussion 5PM

Prayers

Alayne Leang, Gail Harman, Betty Duddey

For our parents and families

Sean McKavitt – deploying to Okinawa

Chris Gohrband's niece's wedding

Dennis (Michael Swan's brother) during cancer treatments

Mark, for living with Alzheimer's (brother of Joel David)

Ken (Bill Minto's brother-in-law) with CoVid

Kara (Pat LeClere's niece)

Shelby Slemp (mother of Lara Fries)

Danny Perez, father of Di Hannum Beatty

Greg Carter's brother, Mark (Indiana)

Lara Fries' Aunt Libby & her family in SW VA with pancreatic cancer

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

Friend of Brad Fries' mom with health concerns

Randy, recovery from a liver transplant (friend of Dhana Magness)

Minster family (friends of Ali Greenburg)

Dave, a new manager with health issues (David Mezainis)

Angie while she awaits medical tests (co-worker of Ali Greenburg)

Rosemarie (work colleague of Jocelyn Gabriel)

Marilyn Lay (friend of Marcia Johnson)

For the nation and world

For all helping to make new Afghan neighbors welcome

People of Haiti, Afghanistan and Louisiana

Areas experiencing a Covid resurgence

Prayers of Christian Sympathy are shared with

✠ The family of Mike Smith (friends of Carter family in Farmville)

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.

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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