

Highland United Methodist Church

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We are an open community of Christians sharing Christ's love and helping each other to develop and strengthen their relationship with God.

January 29, 2017

Prelude
The Ministry of the Acolytes
Welcoming our Guests,
Sharing Ministry Opportunities and Celebrating Special Days
Greeting and Sharing the Peace of Christ
Prepare For Worship: Ringing of the church bell
Choral Introit

Call to Worship
Leader: The Lord is our light and our salvation!
People: Why should we be afraid?
Leader: The Lord is our stronghold of our life!
People: Let us sing before our God! *(From Psalm 27)*

* Hymn of Praise "Come, Christians, Join to sing" UMH pg. 158
*Opening Prayer
Thank you for the air in our lungs and our lips to sing praises to you. Thank you for all the people we hear and see singing praises with us. May your praises fill us with hope, help, and holding on to you. Amen.

Special Music
Scripture 1 Corinthians 1:10-18
Sermon "Belonging to Jesus" Rev. Amy E. Pannell
*Responsive Hymn "Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life" UMH pg. 164

Sharing of Joys and Concerns (At this time you are invited to share how we can pray with you and for you or someone you care about this week)
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.

The Offering; Prayer and Offertory
*The Doxology (Praise God from whom all blessings flow...) UMH pg. 95
* Closing Hymn "O How I Love Jesus" UMH pg. 170
* Benediction
* Postlude

“**” indicates congregation standing, if able

<u>GREETERS</u>	<u>ACOLYTES</u>	<u>NURSERY</u>	<u>USHERS</u>
Keith Brubaker	Hannah McPherson	Crystal Weaver	Women

CHURCH LIFE

Today, Sunday, January 29 (4:00p.m.) **Disciple I** continues! Lesson 23.

Prayer Requests

January 22—Linda Bourhill and her family, Keith and Bethany Goad, Family of Bufford Hall, Allen Messenger, Holley and Julie Mudder, Becca, Issac Nagel, and Baby Fitz, Anita Overstreet, Richard Wilkes, Mrs. Woody and her parents, The family of H.B. Woods, Jr., Callaway Elementary School and all staff,

January 15 — Kenny and Jean Bernard, Jonathan Custer, Caroline Guilliams, Newton Guilliams, Jerry Jamison, Allen Messenger, Mark Newbill, Bob Prettyman, Elizabeth Rutrough, Family of Jeffery Simmons, Kathy Sink, Dot Webb

January 1 – Bob Prettyman, Janet Willis, “Big” Jimmy Guilliams, Johnny Guilliams, Joey Hyatt, Jr.; The Hall Family, and an unspoken request

As members of this congregation, we will faithfully participate in its ministries by our prayers (see the prayer list), our presence, our gifts, our service (see announcements) and our witness (all you do and who you are.)” We are thankful that you have blessed Highland United Methodist Church with your presence and your gifts:	
1/15/17	68 Present for Worship and \$2,180 received in gifts
1/15/17	77 Present for Worship and \$2,746 received in gifts

Monday, January 30 – 7:00 pm. Adult Choir. Please come. Even if you've never sung with us before, you are more than welcome.

Monday, January 30—6:00 pm. Community Forum on Poverty II The discussion about the needs of our county continues! Sherry Scott and other area pastors have been meeting, putting together a framework that will be presented. **All are welcome** to meet at the Franklin County United Way (270 South Main Street, #204, Rocky Mount)

Tuesday, January 31 Final Day for Super Bowl Sub Orders! The Highland UMY are fixing Superbowl Subs Sunday, Feb 5th. For \$5.00 get a sub, one bag of chips and a pickle wedge. Homemade desserts will also be available for purchase at time of pick up. All funds support Highland's Youth Group activities and mission work. Order forms are located in the hall. Contact Sherri Krauss or Cindy Jamison with questions.

Saturday, February 4 (7:00 p.m.) Youth Group Meeting and Preparations for Subs. Come slice and dice and gab about what all ages are up to this spring.

Sunday, February 5 11:00 a.m. Pick Up your Super Bowl Subs!

Sunday, February 12 4:00 p.m. Disciple I. Lesson 24

Sunday, February 15 After Worship The C.R.E.W. (Christians Ready, Eager, and Willing) service committee will meet. Bring your ideas and thoughts. Contact Sherri 798-4001 for questions. Check out the red box and forms. Do you know of someone who needs some small home repairs or yard work?

Sunday, February 19—Piedmont Presbyterian is inviting you to a Potato Bar after church (around noon). Donations help their youth program! For more information, please call Pastor Nadia Stropich at 483-2655.

Cards of care:

Kathy "Kitten" Guilliams will be having surgery on 2/22 at UVA.
3360 Bethany Road, Boones Mille, VA 24067

Jimmy Guilliams ("Big" Jimmy)
897 Custers Ridge Road, Boones Mill, VA 24065

Dates

Council Meeting (March 12), Church Camping Trip (July 21-23)