

Live Stream Annual Conference June 16, 17, and 18. For those who are interested in viewing the live-streaming for any of the events, the link is: <https://livestream.com/VAUMC/AC2017>

Pastor Amy is taking some vacation time to see family the evening of June 11 till June 15. The Virginia Annual Conference is being held in Hampton, Virginia this year, June 16, 17, and 18 (Friday-Sunday). She is staying with her Aunt and Uncle who live in Norfolk. Amy will be back in town on Tuesday, June 20. For pastoral emergencies this week you can call the Rev. Katharine Budzik, pastor of Gogginsville UMC at 804-488-4688. Amy can be reached at her cell phone at 804-694-9759.

Do not miss the blessing— Sunday, June 18 as Amy Minnix comes to bring God's word!

June 19 (7:00 pm) United Methodist Women's Meeting
June 20 Newsletter Information Due to Pat Webb
June 23 Relay for Life Event at Franklin County High School
July 9 Council Meeting
July 21-23 Church Camping Trip

Praying Together

Prayers from June 4: Cheryl Guilliams Bailey, Tricia Custer, Andy and Audrey Daniels, Barbara Guilliams, Thelma Hardy and Polly (Sherri Krauss' grandmother and mom), Vicky Hodges, Logan Krauss, the family and friends of Carolyn Jefferson, Shelby Nemeth, Beveryn Prillaman, Annette Saul, Crystal Weaver.

Prayers from May 28: Family of Danny Altis, Cheryl Guilliams Bailey, Family of Richard Blankenship, Tricia Custer, Barbara Guilliams, Family of Serena Matthews, Family of Britany Miller, Annette Saul, Glenn Thurman

Prayers from May 21: Cheryl Guilliams Bailey, Ron Burroughs and children Kevin Burroughs and Robin Morris, Fred and Cecil Bussey, Family of Caleb Chowning, Bailey Darden, Joetta Fisher, B.L. Furrow, Barbara Guilliams, Maynard Harris, Serena Matthews, Beverly Prillaman, Annette Saul, Crystal Weaver, Callaway Elementary School



Celebrating
Highland's
Heroes!

Do Good! Seek Peace and Go After It!
Highland United Methodist Church

June 11, 2017

PRELUDE
WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, CELEBRATING SPECIAL DAYS
SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST
RINGING THE BELL

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Do good!

People: Seek peace!

Leader: And go after it!

People: We are God's Heroes!

*SINGING *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* UMH # 334

*OPENING PRAYER

Jesus, you said that we must become like children to see and experience your Kingdom. Thank you for the children of Vacation Bible School. Help us live as your heroes with heart, courage, wisdom, hope, and power. Amen.

CELEBRATION OF VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

SCRIPTURE AND SERMON

Rev. Amy Pannell

*SINGING *Spirit of the Living God* UMH #393

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH# 95

*SINGING *Victory in Jesus* UMH #370

*BENEDICTION

As you leave the sanctuary, take a look at the "Hero Wall." Take a moment to write the names of people who are God's Heroes to you! Crayons on the floor.

*Welcome! Thank you for worshipping with us today! If you would like to know more about Highland United Methodist Church Heroes and Jesus Christ, you can call the church office at 483-4421 or email the pastor at AmyPannell@vaumc.org
A special thank to those who help us, all God's children, sing and hear the good news:
Jennifer Brubaker, Pam Messenger. and Katherine McPherson, VBS Director.*

A very special thank you to all the SuperHeroes who helped make Vacation Bible School possible this year! Thank you!

OPPORTUNITIES TO DO GOOD, SEEK PEACE, and GO AFTER IT!

Today (after worship) A short Finance Committee Meeting. All are welcome!

Summer Picnic Basket Contributions! We are providing picnic baskets for 10 Callaway Elementary School Families. Children who participate in the school lunch program during the school year often do not get help in the summer. We are putting together picnic baskets with food and fun items to be delivered after June 25. Items needed are listed in the hallway. You may also write a check made out to Highland UMC and note "picnic basket" on the memo line. For questions—contact Sarah Haskins at 540-493-5801 or 1bookfairy@gmail.com

Bishop's Readings for July by the mailboxes.

July Sermon Series : Songs for Zoe, for Life One of Highland's littlest, Zoe, loves to sing! Standing tall, hymnal in hand, though not yet able to read, she praises God! Zoe's zest inspires Amy to wonder, "What songs of faith do I want our littlest ones to know?" Did you know that in greek "zoe" means life? What songs give you life and life in God? This July we will have a sermon series on different songs that give us life! Share your songs: See the table by the Pastor's Office to submit your suggestions.