

Our Week Together

The Lord's Day, March 26

Ruth 1 - 4

8:30 AM Next Gen Meeting

9:00 AM Coffee Fellowship

9:40 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship

12:15PM BELLievers

1:30 PM Youth Praise Band

4:00 PM Mission Meeting in Parlor

4:30 PM Caring & Coloring

5:30 PM Mosaic

6:30 PM Open Table

6:30 PM JuBELLation

6:30 PM Scouts

7:30 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, March 30

1 Samuel 13 - 14

6:00 PM Brass Rehearsal

Friday, March 31

1 Samuel 15 - 17

Mothers' of Multiples Sale

Saturday, April 1

1 Samuel 18 - 20

Mothers' of Multiples Sale

5:00 PM Wilson Wedding

Rehearsal

Sunday April 2

1 Samuel 21-24

9:00 AM Coffee Fellowship

9:40 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Communion with

Love Worship

12:15PM BELLievers

4:30 PM Caring & Coloring

5:00 PM Wilson Wedding

Know Your Neighbor

Dinners all over the valley!

Monday, March 27

1 Samuel 1 - 3

6:30 PM Praise Band

7:00 PM Prayer Ministry

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 28

1 Samuel 4 - 8

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study

Breakfast at Oak Grove

Famous Anthony's

7:00 AM Youth Breakfast at Emily's

5:45 PM Yoga Class

Wednesday, March 29

1 Samuel 9 - 12

7:00 AM Downtown Bible

Study @ Scrambled

Weekday Devotions Reading Schedule

- Monday: Tunnels - 2 Corinthians 4:17-18
- Tuesday: Lesson of Love - 1 John 4:7-12
- Wednesday: A Party With Presents - Acts 20:32-35
- Thursday: God is Trustworthy - Luke 14:25-27
- Friday: Guidance and Hope - Psalm 21:1-10

Thank You to Today's Volunteers

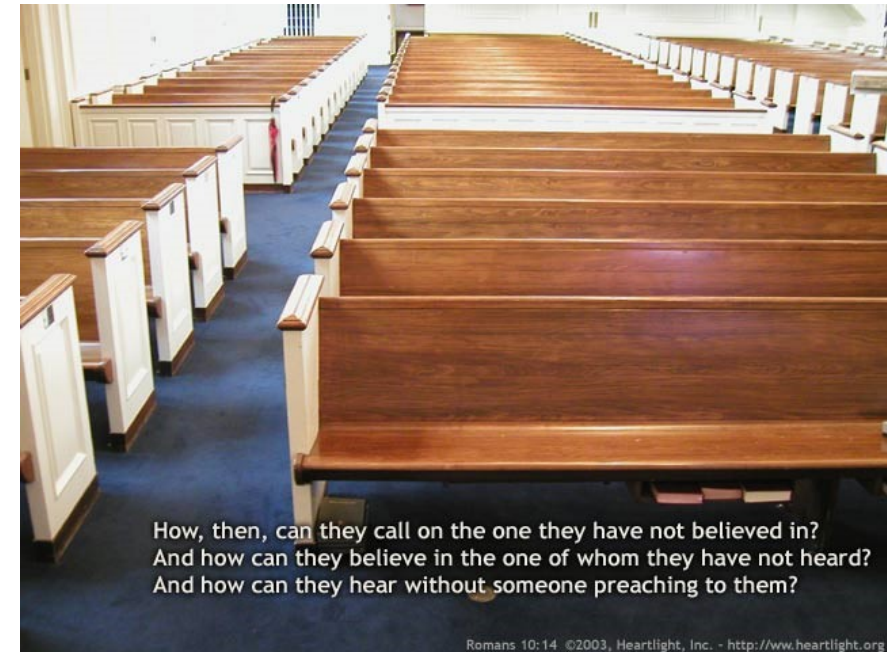
Acolytes	Jake DiLauro Evan Gross
Altar Flowers	Elsie White
Children's Time	Cindy Hayth
Facility Security	Tim McConchie
Fellowship Time	Cindy Hayth
Finance Office	Steve Gross
Greeters	Arritt Family
Liturgist	Chris Landon
Nursery	Allison Coleman Caroline McGimsey Landon Smith Whitney Smith
Nursery Usher	Vicke Marshall
Technology Soundboard Video Cameras ProPresenter	Charlie Hubbard Patrick Vaughan Rob Vaughan
Transportation	Jay Inge
Ushers	Steve Gross Greg Huffman Vicke Marshall Debbie Reid Robert Reid Mark Seiler

The altar flowers this week are given by Elsie White in memory of loved ones.



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March 26, 2017



Worship Times:

8:30 AM First Light Contemporary Service (1st & 3rd Sundays)
11:00 AM Traditional Service (weekly)

Rev. Seungsoo Jun, *Pastor*
Rev. Roy Miller, *Minister of Visitation*

Debra LeBrun, *Director of Music Ministries*
Emily Nester, *Director of Family Ministry*
Terri Urquhart, *Director of Administration and Small Groups*
Rhonda Burton, *Church Accountant*

Raleigh Court United Methodist Church

March 26, 2017 11:00 AM

Gathering and Welcoming of First-Time Guests

Community Announcements, Prayer for our Time of Worship

Mission Moment (Rescue Mission Ministries)

Steve Gross

Prelude

"Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross"

Joyce Jones

*Call to Worship¹

Chris Landon, Liturgist

Leader: When the world is dark and full of hate and fear, when we cannot see God

People: We will turn on the light.

Leader: When we cannot find our way back to love and peace

People: We will turn on the light.

Leader: When our vision dims due to the darkness within

People: We will turn on the light.

Leader: Christ opens our eyes with the gift of sight.

People: The light of the world is Jesus Christ.

Leader: Come and worship the one who brings sight to the blind.

People: Hallelujah! Praise God, the light of the world! .

*Processional Hymn

"Christ for the World We Sing"

UMH 568

All children are invited to come to the front during the last verse.

Children's Time

Cindy Hayth

ACTS Prayer

Judy Dickerson

Adoration - Prayer leader will lead us in a time of prayer.

Confession - Please join in congregational prayer.

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son. Amen

Thanksgiving - Prayer leader will lead us in a time of thanksgiving.

Supplication - Please pray for your needs or the needs of others, spoken or in silence.

Choral Response

"Amen"

Offering of Our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

"In Endless Song"

Joseph Martin

*Doxology

UMH 95

*Offertory Prayer

*Sermon Hymn

"How Shall They Hear the Word of God"

UMH 649

*Scripture Lesson

Romans 10:13-17

Pew Bible NT page 160

Sermon

Encounter With People Who Are Transformed

Rev. Seungsoo Jun

*Hymn of Commitment

"To God Be the Glory"

UMH 98

*Charge and Benediction

Please be seated to reflect upon God's message for you today as the postlude is played.

If you need to exit, please do so quietly so that others may continue their worship.

Postlude

"Trumpet in Dialogue"

Louis Nicholas Clerambault

¹ <http://www.ministrymatters.com/all/entry/4792/worship-elements-march-30-2014>

Accept the Challenge!

Bishop Lewis challenges us to read the Bible in one year! Start today!

A bookmark with the verses to read each day for this month is available. If you do not have one, please ask an usher to give you one. Sign up in the gathering area if you are reading with us!



Worship Helps:

Bold = Congregation

*Stand, as you are able.

TFWS: The Faith We Sing (small black hymnal)

UMH: United Methodist Hymnal (red hymnal)

Wireless Listening Aids and large print bulletins are available, ask an usher for assistance.

There is a **rocking chair** available in the back of the sanctuary and in the balcony for parents and children to use during worship.

If you are visiting, please fill out one of the blue **Connection Cards** found in the pews and put it in the offering plate.



Download our
RCUMC App!

Candy Donations Needed

Please bring donations of individually wrapped candy to the church for our Easter Egg Hunt on April 15.



Prayer Focus for Week:

Pray this week for those in your family or for your friends who do not know Jesus personally, and ask God to use you to show them His undying love.

April 3 at 7PM our Next Generation Group is specifically invited to join us in prayer. EVERYONE is always invited every Monday! We meet in the parlor.

Healing for:

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| Betty Blades | Charlotte Reynolds |
| Brian Bennett | Jim Reynolds |
| Sam Campbell | Loretta Roberts |
| Debbie Cooper | Buster Stacy |
| Jeff Gogel | Mary Claire Suggs |
| Becky Howlett | Danielle Tolley |
| Bobbie Haskell | Will Urquhart |
| Pat Horne | Elsie White |
| Louise Jamison | Betty Wolfe |
| Janice Longworth | Caleb |
| Martha Nicholas | Jackson |
| William Penn | John |
| Jamie Parsons | Michael |
| | Tristan |

- Mary Jane Jones - Strength, Hope
 Jack Loveman - Safety while deployed
 Suzanne Meredith - Healing, Strength
 Debbie Norris
 Frances Trent - Comfort, Healing
 James D. Vaughn, Jr. - Recovery
 Our visitors and newcomers each week

Our Prayer Ministry is sharing some new opportunities! Read below to learn how each week will have a different focus. Please make plans to join us!

- 1st Monday of the month:** RJ will lead prayer for spiritual revival and God's guidance for our church. (A different small group will be invited to attend each first Monday.)
2nd Monday of the month: Prayer for spiritual renewal and renewal of faith will be prayed for each church member by name.
3rd Monday of the month: Walking prayers through our church or a neighborhood prayer walk.
4th Monday of the month: Prayer for healing, special needs, grieving, and for our church, community and our world.
5th Monday of the month: May, July, October 2017. Form of prayer to be decided.

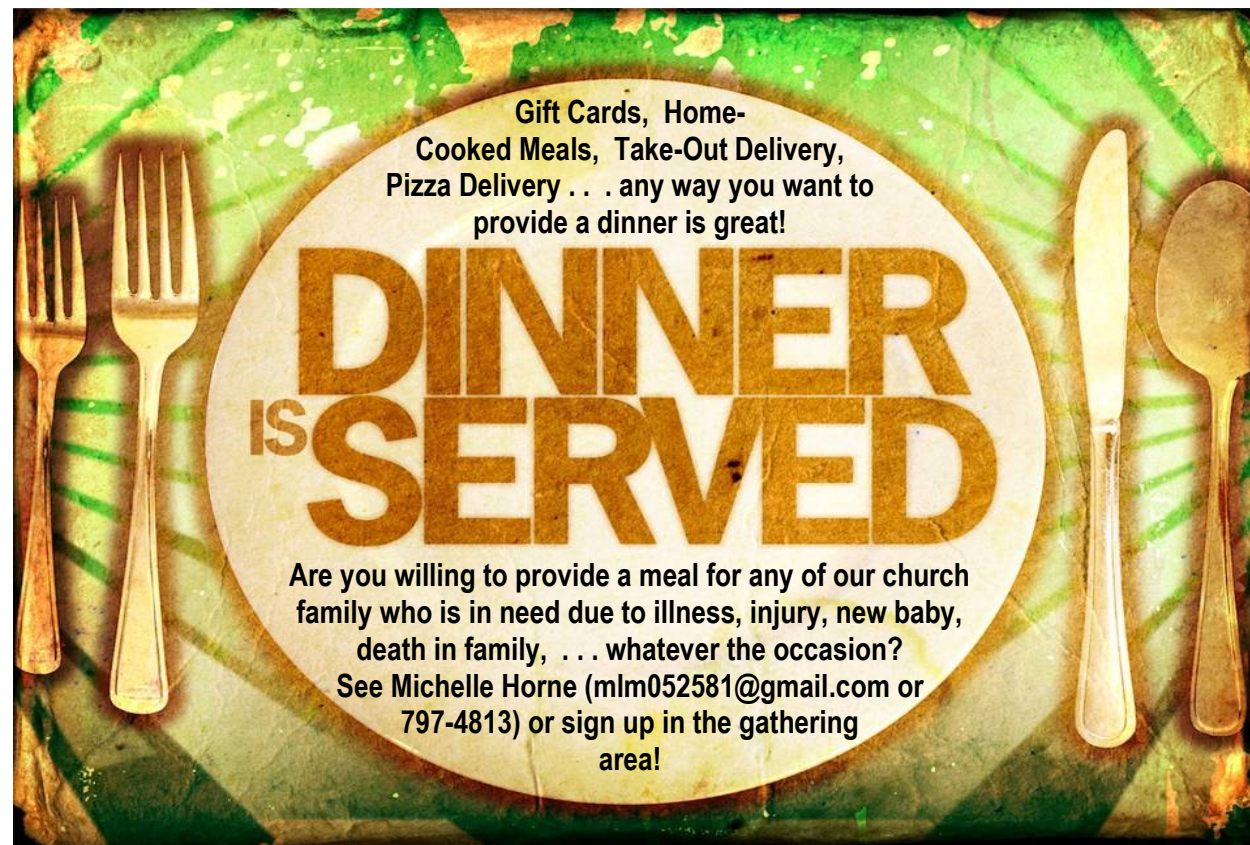
Interested in Learning More About Raleigh Court United Methodist Church?

If you are new around here, we'd like to formally welcome you to RCUMC! We are thrilled to have you here at our worship service! If you should see God's direction is for you to join RCUMC as a member, please contact Rev. Jun (540-556-1188) or the church office (540-344-6011) for more info. We will have an informal meeting to get to know you better, and share our heritage.

Once more, welcome to Raleigh Court United Methodist!

We offer a two-session newcomer's class every two months, for anyone wishing to learn more about or become a member of RCUMC. Classes April 2 & 9

Explore Class Fellowship, Church & God's Plan



Gift Cards, Home-Cooked Meals, Take-Out Delivery, Pizza Delivery . . . any way you want to provide a dinner is great!

DINNER IS SERVED

Are you willing to provide a meal for any of our church family who is in need due to illness, injury, new baby, death in family, . . . whatever the occasion? See Michelle Horne (mlm052581@gmail.com or 797-4813) or sign up in the gathering area!



Open Table

RALEIGH COURT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
A COMMUNITY MEAL

OPEN TO ALL
6:30 PM

WEDNESDAY,
MARCH 29, 2017





EVERYONE please join us every Wednesday!

Join the fun! Each week, we meet at 5:30 pm.

Children attend choir and bell choir rehearsals. Youth have a Bible lesson and/or activity. Adults may choose between studies.

Dinner follows at 6:30.

NEW!

Studies for Adults



A LENTEN DAY OF PRAYER

the Beauty of the Cross



CROSS EXHIBITION

April 15, 9 AM - 2 PM
A Prayer Walk and Cross Exhibition

Bring in your cross to share in our exhibit.

Crosses should be brought to the church by April 9th and can be left in the office or in the gathering area. Please label your cross so we know who it belongs to and leave any special instructions we need to know. Crosses can be picked up after the Easter service.

Mandatory Training for All Children's and Youth Volunteers
Today, March 26 after worship

This training is required for all volunteers who work in any way with the children or youth in our church, including Vacation Bible School, nursery, teaching Sunday school, chaperoning trips, and special events. Our training reviews the church Safe Sanctuaries policies and other information that you will find helpful as you work with our children and youth. You **MUST** complete this training before volunteering again in any capacity. Please speak to Emily Nester if you have any questions.

KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOR

LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD

Next Sunday, April 2, 2017!
Join your church friends for dinner!



Saturday, April 8
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Please bring your donations of furniture and goods to the church by Friday, April 7 or call the church office for pick-up. (No donations of clothes, please.) **Tables will be available on the front lawn for \$10 if you would like to sell your own items. All proceeds will benefit the Playground Project.**



God's Garden

Raleigh Court United Methodist Church

Let's plant a garden and help it grow!
Get in on the planning and planting stages of this new small group. Sign up sheet in gathering area. See Donna Williams for details.

Mark Donihe Memorial
HOME 4 Now
GOLF TOURNAMENT
CAPTAIN'S CHOICE

To benefit Family Promise of Greater Roanoke
FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2017 11-6
HANGING ROCK GOLF CLUB, SALEM, VA

REGISTRATION DEADLINE APRIL 28
register online at www.familypromiseroanoke.org or
contact tournament Director Greg Barrette 540-537-6246
gregory.barrette@ferguson.com

ABOUT MARK DONIHE: Mark made everyone he met feel important and brightened the room with his good humor and enthusiasm. He was a dedicated Family Promise volunteer and was the idea man and heart & soul of this tournament as its director.

We now dedicate it to his memory with love.





2017 SUMMER EVENTS

- Youth Safari Park Outing, June 3, 2017
- Youth Mission Trip to Carolina Cross Connection, June 25 - July 1
- Youth Trip to Kings Dominion, July 22, 2017
- Vacation Bible School, July 16 - 20
- Impact 2017, July 26 - 29
- Sight & Sound Theater in Lancaster, PA; Live production of Jonah, August 4 - 5
- Music Adventure Camp, August 7 - 11, 9AM - Noon
- Youth Kayak Trip, August (date tbd)

* All event details online at rcumc.org

Let's All Go See Jonah!



Let's see the Sight & Sound Theatre production of Jonah! It is a musical theater interpretation of the classic Bible story, followed by a delicious family style Amish feast. We will stay overnight in Lancaster so that we can tour the area the next day. There are both single and double occupancy options available at the hotel. We leave church at 7:30 AM on August 4 and we will return around 9:00 PM on August 5.

Rokus Have Arrived at RCUMC! Please tell us who would benefit from having one!



We have received Roku devices to help those who can't make it to worship stream our worship services on their TV!!

Thank you to those who donated funds for this.

We will be installing a Roku device across the street at Raleigh Court Health and Rehabilitation Center next week. Please let us know who would benefit from this device. Someone who can't come to worship due to physical difficulties who has wireless internet connection available. We will give them the device for free and install it for them! For some this will be much easier to use than streaming over a computer and the TV screen will be bigger than a computer screen.



We also need volunteers to help with this project.

If you have a Roku device make sure you connect it to the Sunday Streams Channel which you can find through the channel search. Then you will be asked to link to a streaming id. Our streaming id is rcumc.

Those who are unable to attend can watch our worship services on their TV!



Camp Alta Mons needs nurses for our summer camp program! We're looking for volunteers who are licensed RNs or LPNs in the state of Virginia who would like to serve our campers!

Nurses each week receive:

- Lodging for the week in the nurse's quarters in our Burrows Retreat Center (wifi, phone, camp radio provided)
- Infirmary with nursing supplies
- Three meals each day
- Nurses may send one child to camp for free as a thank-you—this can be a child, grandchild, or a child of no relation who would like to come to Camp Alta Mons!
- Nurses may bring a spouse or a friend/helper
- A week of fun with campers and our summer staff, spent in the beauty of Alta Mons!

If you would like to volunteer as a nurse for a week this summer, please contact office@altamons.org or call 540-268-2409. Hope to see you this summer! More info available in our gathering area.