

We appreciate the services today of:

Acolytes: 10:00 a.m.
Liturgists: 10:00 a.m. – Jen Byrd
Greeters: Merrill Harrison
Ushers: Jon Cuthbert
Brian Miller, Karen Seets

The lectionary readings for next Sunday, July 10, 2011

Genesis 25:19-34 Psalm 119:105-112 Romans 8:1-11 Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23
Infants & Young Children are cared for during Worship in Room 209

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God

MINISTRIES OF LOCH RAVEN CHURCH

PRAYERS: Please pray daily for our brothers and sisters in Christ and those on the Prayer List.
The person to remember this week is Mrs. Minnie Webster 615 Chestnut Avenue Apt. 1417
Baltimore, MD 21204

PRESENCE: June 26, 2011 8:30 a.m.-99 10:00 - 72 Total: 171 Offering: \$6,956.33
Boiler Fund: Received June 26,2011 - \$200.00
Total Received: \$44,574.00 towards \$73,000.00

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Monday Independence Day Office Closed
Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Sizzlin’ Summer Nights (Bowling)
Friday 8:00 pm Youth Lock-In

Sunday Worship Services Hours: 8:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Children Activity Sheets may be found in the Narthex

LRUMC VISION STATEMENT		MINISTERS & EVANGELISTS:
"We believe Loch Raven United		THE PEOPLE OF LOCH RAVEN CHURCH
Methodist Church is called by God to be		PASTOR: Gayle E. Annis-Forder
a living witness to the Good News of		PASTOR OF CONGREGATIONAL CARE:
Jesus Christ by serving as stewards of		Robert J. Fringo
God's gifts and blessings. As a		ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY: Michele Brown
multicultural church, we minister		DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Jennifer Edwards
through worship, learning, fellowship		ORGANIST: Song Yi Park
and mission to the community."		DIRECTOR OF YOUTH: Jennifer Byrd
		CHILD CARE PROVIDER: Aleece Roehl
		EMAIL – info@lrumc.org
		FAX - 410-825-2600 WEBSITE - lrumc.org



Open Minds! Open Hearts! Open Doors!
THE PEOPLE OF LOCH RAVEN
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
6622 Loch Raven Boulevard
Baltimore, Maryland 21239
410-825-0900

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 3, 2011

10:00 a.m.

INDEPENDENCE SUNDAY

Gathering Thought: *Heroism is seen whenever disciples walk in faith and proclaim the kingdom of God.*

GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD

GATHERING

- Welcome and Announcements
- Prelude
- Lighting of the Candles

***CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT – TFWS HYMN #2152**

**“Change my heart, O God--- make it ever true.
 Change my heart, O God--may I be like you.
 You are the potter, I am the clay.
 Mold me and make me, this is what I pray.
 Change my heart, O God-- make it ever true.
 Change my heart, O God-- may I be like you.”**

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord."
People: Our feet were standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

“America the Beautiful”

Hymnal p. 696

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS AND A TIME OF SILENT PRAYER

OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who live and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

LISTENING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

HEBREW SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 72:1-8

Pew Bible, p.464

***HYMN OF PREPARATION**

“America”

Hymnal, p. 697

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

Pew Bible, p. 844

A WITNESS TO THE WORD

“We Need Heroes”

Pastor Cliff

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

- The Great Thanksgiving
- The Lord’s Prayer
- Breaking the Bread
- Giving the Bread and Cup

Hymnal p. 15

As the elements are distributed, please sing:
 TFWS #2260 “Let Us Be Bread” (sing twice)
 TFWS #2261 “Life-Giving Bread” (sing twice)
 TFWS #2266 “Here Is Bread, Here Is Wine”

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

ANTHEM

“Battle Hymn of the Republic”
Patti Ferguson, Soprano

arr. Mark Hayes

***PRESENTATION OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS**

***Response TFWS #2038**

Father, I adore you, lay my life before you; how I love you.
 Jesus, I adore you, lay my life before you, how I love you.
 Spirit, I adore you, lay my life before you, how I love you.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

GOING FORTH TO SERVE GOD

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT**

“Battle Hymn of the Republic”

Hymnal p. 717

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

POSTLUDE

Please be seated and listen to the postlude

***CARRYING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD**

***GOING FORTH**

*Please Rise in Posture or Spirit

TFWS = The Faith We Sing

Welcome! Warm greetings and love in Christ are extended to all members and guests ...
 Thank you for signing the pew registration book located at each end of the pews. (*Addresses and phone numbers help us to personally thank you for your visit.*) Please call the Church Office 410-825-0900, if you have any questions or if we can be of assistance to you.

	<u>LRUMC</u> NOTICES 7/3/11
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July/August Upper Room is now available.

This bi-monthly daily devotional booklet is available in the Narthex on the History cabinets and by the 2nd floor entrance to the Sanctuary. The Upper Room may be obtained for a \$1 donation.

SIZZLIN SUMMER NIGHTS activities continue. Please come out for fun and fellowship.

Wednesday 7/6, 6:30 to 8:30 PM Come join us for our Sizzlin' Summer Nights bowling at AMF Lanes Towson, 701 Southwick Drive, Towson MD 21286. The cost is \$12, and covers bowling, shoes, pizza, soda and lots of fun with your family in faith. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex and the lower entrance to the church. You may also contact Gary Messman at (410) 296-2258.

Wednesday 7/13, 7:00pm Ironbirds Baseball game - \$14pp includes games ticket in the 100 section (closest to the field), Ironbirds baseball cap, game program and free parking. Please contact Sharon at sgardner@isgusa.com to reserve your ticket.

Wednesday 7/20, 7:00pm Mini Golf at Putt Putt Fun Golf at 4123 E Joppa Rd Baltimore MD 21236- If we have 15-to 20 people the cost will only be \$5pp

Wednesday 7/27, 6:30pm cookout and games

Any questions or to sign up for any of these events please email Sharon Gardner at sgardner@isgusa.com

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE: 8:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. through the summer, resuming our regular schedule and beginning a new year of Sunday School on Sunday, September 11th, the Sunday **after** Labor Day Weekend.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED from LRUMC for Habitat for Humanity next Saturday, July 9. This is such a worthwhile project that needs your assistance. Please contact James Manley at 510-387-1655 to register.

Church Office Will Be Closed on July 4th in Celebration of Independence Day

Welcome Pastor Cliff and family

LOCH RAVEN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Circle of Concern Prayer List

This Week's Prayer Request

People in the United States who are suffering from floods, tornadoes and other natural disasters

Most Recent Prayer Requests

Debbie Blair req Judy Feustle

Mary Lou Bryan

Harriet Cole

Ed Custer

James Edmonds

Ronald Ferguson

Debbie Griffin

Ada Hilliard req Jean Oberia

Steve Huber req Dolores Courtney

Dorothy Layton

Lyvan McDonald

Audrey Moltz

Barney Ravindranath req Patti Ferguson

Charles Scruggs req Marge Tyler

Eva Shillingburg req Kathy Mellott

John Shock

Rodney Simmond, Jr.

Nancy Steinert req Judy Zahren

Family of Jonathan Storke, req Price Family

James Wagner – husband of Myra Wagner

Kevin Webb req Don & Gayle Webb

Prayer Cards – Worship 6/26/11

Prayers for Brammer, Smith, Boykins, Johnson, McGhee families.

Pastor Gayle and Dick; new church ministry, homeless, shelter bound families; the O'Bama administration.

Because of the large number of prayer requests that we receive, all names are given to our Prayer Chain, but only the most recent prayer requests are listed in the bulletin. A more complete Prayer List is posted on the bulletin boards.

