



WELCOME, VISITORS!

We are delighted you came today! Looking for a church home? We warmly invite you to be part of our church family! To help us get to know you better, or if you have questions, please fill in this form, tear it off, and drop it in the offering plate or give it to an usher or pastor. You can also submit a Digital Connection Card at www.churchofthemessiah.org/contact. Please feel free to call us anytime at 757-436-2545 or visit our website, ChurchoftheMessiah.org. God bless you!

Date: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Would you like to be contacted?

Yes No By phone By email

Please check all that apply:

- I would like a pastor to contact me.
- First-time visitor Returning visitor
- I would like to know more about Church of the Messiah
- I would like to know more about the Christian faith.
- I have decided to renew my commitment to Christ.
- I would like prayer (see reverse).

My response to today's message:

07.28.2024



Celebrations

Happy Birthday

- July 28: Jim Bohannon
- July 29: Nayeli Valdez
- August 1: Brad Balch
- August 2: Stephen Telfeyan

Happy Anniversary

- July 29: Jim & Susan Bohannon
- July 30: Bob & Alicia Greeley (30!)
- August 1: Pastor Marty & Wendy O'Rourke
Jon & Patricia Paul

Please Pray

Please join us in praying for these requests throughout the week (Prayer requests will appear for one month unless requested otherwise.)

OUR NATION AND WORLD:

- An end to hostilities in Israel and peace and healing for all people.
- Protection and healing for our nation, and an end to racism and violence.
- Guidance for our leaders in government.
- Help for all affected by war and violence, disease, and natural disasters.
- A movement of revival at home and abroad.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Belkys Morillo, Josh Corona, Sandra Brown, Tom Waldman, Aaron Woodward (son of Ellen Belfi), our healthcare workers, all our members of the military, and Sanctuary of Hope, our companion church

OUR OVERSEAS MISSIONARIES:

Aaron and Winnie Coleman-Horvat, Croatia
The Rev. Bisoke Balikenga, Democratic Republic of Congo
David & Betsy, Turkey
His Love in Action School for the Deaf in Honduras
Miriam Brinckley, YWAM-Harpenden, England
CMJ (Church's Ministry Among Jewish People)

WORLDWIDE ANGLICAN CHURCH:

Diocese of Cascadia

AND THE DIOCESE OF THE MID-ATLANTIC:

Restoration Anglican Church · Arlington, VA
Resurrection Anglican Church Plant · Midlothian, VA

If you would like our prayer ministry to pray for a special need, please submit a confidential Prayer Request online at www.ChurchoftheMessiah.org/contact. Please indicate if you would like your prayer request included in the bulletin, sent only to the prayer team, or both.



Our mission is to make tangible the life-transforming power of God's love so that all may come to know Christ.



Tenth Sunday After Pentecost · July 28, 2024

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CHILDREN'S MINISTRY DIRECTOR: Pastor Ken Shomo

DEACON: The Rev. Tom Sweeney

WEEKLY SERVICE INFORMATION

Sunday Service with Eucharist 10:00 a.m.

In-Person or Livestream at www.ChurchoftheMessiah.org/Livestream
 Children's Church · Fellowship Hall (After Worship until Communion)
 Today's Teachers: Pastor Ken Shomo, Vivian Hayes

Monday Prayer Meeting · Online at 7:00 p.m.

Via Zoom · Meeting ID 928 2372 1136

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PRAYER: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

First Reading: 1 Samuel 3:1-10 **Page 200**

Second Reading: Acts 3:24-26 **Page 812**

(Response after each lesson: *Thanks be to God.*)

Gospel: John 10:22-30 **Page 799**

(Responses: *Glory to You, Lord Christ. ... Praise to You, Lord Christ.*)

Sermon: **In His Service** The Rev. Adrian Knight

Reader: Jim Bohannan

Eucharistic Ministers: Jim Bohannan, Chris Woodland

Prayer Team: Colleen Lucas, Marie Markham

THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH

Today	10:00 am	Sunday Service (Sanctuary & Livestream)
Monday	7:00 pm	Parish Prayer Meeting (online via Zoom)
Wednesday	5:00 pm	Messiah Kids "Bounce & Snack" meetup (Messiah)
Saturday	10:00 am	Men's Ministry Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

ANNOUNCEMENTS



"BOUNCE & SNACK" KIDS MEETUP ON JULY 31! Messiah kids, come for fun and food this Wednesday, July 31, at 5:00 pm. We will have a bounce house and potluck; please bring a "kid-friendly" side, appetizer or dessert. This is a great way for Messiah kids to have fun and keep connected with each other this summer. See Lauren Coleman for details about this and upcoming events.

JOIN US ONLINE IN PRAYER each Monday at 7:00 pm on Zoom. Enter Meeting ID 928 2372 1136 into your Zoom app, or go to www.bit.ly/Monday-Prayer.



THE MEN OF MESSIAH will meet this Saturday, August 3, at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. Come join this time of fellowship, teaching, and prayer. The Men's Ministry meets the first Saturday each month.

WOMEN'S GATHERING AUGUST 17: All ladies of Messiah are invited to come to the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, August 17, at 10:00 am. This is a precious opportunity for women to come together and dive into God's word, share our experiences, engage in heartfelt conversations, and lift each other up in prayer.



GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE! Messiah will host a Red Cross Blood Drive on September 6. Sign up sheets for donors and volunteers are in the foyer. You can also sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org; enter "COTM" in the "Find a Blood Drive" box. Please direct questions to drive coordinator Marcia Curtis.

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PRAYER REQUESTS

We believe God answers prayer! If you would like our prayer ministry to pray for your special need, write your request below, tear off the tab, and place it in the offering plate. God bless you!

Date: _____

Name: _____

Prayer Needs: _____

- Include in bulletin
- Prayer team only
- Prayer team and bulletin