THE ORDER OF WORSHIP SERVICE August 20, 2023 Twelth Sunday after Pentecost Interim Pastor: Rev Dr. Yunho Eo

Liturgist: Muriel Jenness Organist: Pam Wilson Acolyte: Ann Ragland Greeters: Dale Dixon & Connie Madison/Chris Shumaker & Thomas Gardner Music Leader: Tyrone Franklin

Prelude: "Meditation" - W. Bolland

Lighting of the Christ Candles: Ann Ragland

Welcome & Announcements: Muriel Jenness

Special Announcement:

*Call to Worship: Muriel Jenness

L. From fears that paralyze us;

- P. Heal us, O Lord.
- L. From illness that strangles us;
- P. Heal us, O Lord.
- L. From sorrows that weight us down;

P. Heal us, O Lord.

- L. From aimlessness that plagues our visions;
- P. Heal us, O Lord.

*Opening Prayer: Muriel Jenness

*Opening Hymn - "Come Christians, Join to Sing" (UMH 158)

Joys & Concerns: Muriel Jenness

Pastoral Prayer: Rev. Yunho Eo

Anthem: "Never Give Up" – Rachel Kraus – Soloist

Children's Message: Rev. Tom Austin

Scripture Lesson: -Mark 1:29-34 - Rev. Dr. Yunho Eo

Sermon: "God Heals" - Rev. Dr. Yunho Eo

*Hymn of Response: "Blessed Assurance" (UMH 369)

*Tithes and Offerings -w/ Doxology - "My Tribute" (UMH 99)

*Offertory Prayer: Rev. Dr. Yunho Eo

*Hymn of Commitment - "I Need Thee Every Hour" (UMH 397)

*Benediction: Rev. Dr. Yunho Eo

Postlude: "Jubilation" - Donald Calendar

OUR PRAYERS

OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS

Ann Hechler, Carol Givens, Kim Davis, Doug Gottwald, Jean Miller, Mary Hicks, Mary Ann and Clyde Howard, Evelyn Steele, Geneva Olgers, Phyllis and Sara Nelson, Regina Humphrey, John Brockman, Becky Torrence, Dot Gay and ML Yuhas.

KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS

- Our Weekday School Margo Keeles (Director), our teachers, students and families.
- Our community of Varina and all the residents, our churches in our neighborhoods, schools, students, teachers, administrators and all employees.
- Our state of Virginia, our residents and leaders.
- The United States of America, our citizens and leaders, the countries of the world, their people and leaders. May God bless us all and His will be done. Come, Jesus, come!
- The citizens and leaders of Ukraine, for their safety and for the end of the war.
- People in Turkey and Syria.
- The people of Maui, Hawaii, in their grieving the loss of loved ones, their homes, businesses and places of worship, bless them Lord, as only you are able. Give them the spirit of renewal and strength to come back from this tragedy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>TO OUR VISITORS</u>: We welcome you to Laurel Hill and hope that you feel at home. We invite you to join Laurel Hill if you do not have a church home. Please call our church office at 804-795-2772. You will find our Laurel Hill family both warm and eager to welcome you into our fellowship.

<u>OUR OFFERING</u> will be collected at the table in the narthex before you enter the sanctuary. Thank you for your generosity.

<u>THANK YOU</u> to Rachel Kraus for being our guest soloist this morning. Rachel is one of our Preschool Teachers and we are so pleased she could be here to share her lovely musical talent with us. She is a member of Ft. Lee Baptist Church.

<u>THE MISSIONS COMMITTEE</u> will host a fund raiser in the fall and they need volunteers to help. It will be a Pancake Breakfast at the Ruritan Building on Saturday, September 16th. We know you all will help, so thanks, in advance. Call Lois Miller for more information or to volunteer your efforts for this breakfast.

FISH COLLECTION OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES ...

PLASTIC pocket folders with and without clasps (really need!) Glue sticks, Graft Paper, 3 subject notebooks, Bookbags, Highlighters, WASHABLE markers, Quart Ziploc bags, SHARPENED #2 pencils, Tissues, Blunt tip Fiskars scissors, ENCLOSED pencil sharpeners: These are suggestions and things we did not get enough of during our July collection. Please put them in the FISH drawer in the narthex. Thanks.

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

The following equipment is available if you have a need. Please contact Brenda Jennette (804-839-1034) and she will deliver it to you: 1 pair forearm crutches, 2 canes, 1 shower chair, 2 raised toilet seats.

<u>THE ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL</u> has approved resuming first Sunday luncheons. We need someone to chair the committee and we need volunteers.

<u>OUR CHANCEL CHOIR AND BELL CHOIR</u> will resume rehearsals on August 30th. Watch for times and plan to join us this year. A joyful noise is all we need.

- **REGULAR SCHEDULE** -
- Sunday School at 10:00 A.M. (Genesis, Amen and Friendship Classes)
- In Person/Live Streaming on Facebook Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M.
- Wednesday Prayer Meeting with Holy Communion 9:00 A.M.
- Wednesday Handbell Choir Rehearsal 7:00 P.M. (To resume in the fall)
- Wednesday Chancel Choir Rehearsal (To resume in the fall)

HOUSE CHURCHES -

- <u>New Life</u> Barbara and Rev. Tom Austin, Shepherds (Meets Monday @ 10:30 A.M. @ the Turner's home) 804-303-4828
- <u>Praise the Lord (PTL)</u> Peggy and Doug Singlemann, Shepherds (Meets Thursday @ 7 P.M. @ Bud Funk's home) 804-543-2327

<u>Thankful Hearts</u> – Pam and Rev. Ed Johnson & Lois and Kirby Miller, Shepherd (Meets Friday @ 10 A.M. @ Amen Class Room) 804-737-7450

- WEEKDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

Margo Keeles, Director

MonFri.	7:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.	Before and After Preschool Care (Ages 2-4)
Tue./Thurs.	9:00 A.M. to 12:00	•••••• Preschool (Age 2)
Mon./Wed./Fri.	Noon 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon	•••••• Preschool (Age 3)
M/Tu./Th./Fri.	9:00 A.M. to 12:00	•••••• Preschool (Age 4)
Fri Mon	Noon 2:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M	••••••• School Age (K-12 Years)
MonFri.	7:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.	••••••Summer Program (Ages 2-12 Years)

Invite a Friend Sunday - September 10, 2023

Pastor John would like to have a special Sunday on September 10 – "Invite a Friend Sunday." As we prepare to welcome visitors on that day, your help is needed. Who can you invite? Think about the folks you know who are not regular church attenders.

Maybe they are:

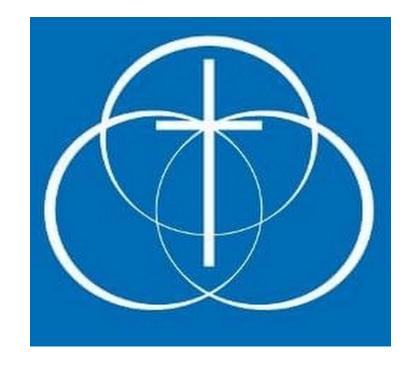
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Coworkers_____

Friends/Sports_____

In your Clubs/Organizations_____

For each name, pray that every person will be open to an invitation to Laurel Hill Global Methodist Church.



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OUR SERVANTS

Interim Pastor: Rev. Dr. Yunho EoOrganist/Choir Director: Pamela WilsonSecretary: Barbara WendelSchool Director: Margo KeelesCustodians: Kathy and Robert Charles

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