



Huntington Court United Methodist Church

Help Create Communities in Christ

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM – 1 PM

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Livestream Times:

8:30 AM & 11 AM

Social Distanced Time:

4:00 PM

For latest updates check emails.

From the Pastor

- ¹ Sing to the LORD a new song;
sing to the LORD, all the earth.
- ² Sing to the LORD, praise his name;
proclaim his salvation day after day.
- ³ Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous deeds among all peoples. (Psalm 96: 1-3, NIV)

2020 was a trying year for most of us in so many ways. I can't promise that 2021 will be much different (at least for the first part of the year), but I can promise you that every day God will present you opportunities where you can see and be Jesus in the world around us. We can spend our time focusing on the what-ifs in life or the what might be or we can step into the reality of the day and see how we can make the most of the opportunities that have been placed before us. In other words, we can spend our time focusing on the negative or we can focus on all the many blessings in our lives. For example, if you are reading this, then you have been blessed with a new day.

So I challenge you to begin a new year with a new heart – one that seeks to offer praise and thanks to God who loves you, God who is with you always and God who showers YOU each day with so many blessings and opportunities to serve the world around you.

Happy New Year!

~ Jeff

Pastor Jeff Wilson

Many thanks for all the cards and gifts and especially the church staff gift.

STEWARDSHIP

REPORT

Attendance

Services: Not recorded for
online services

Year to date – 12/23/2020

(Please note: Online giving, kiosk, and 30th automatic bank withdrawal have not been counted yet.)

Total Revenues: \$295,027.57

Total Expenses: \$275,597.86

Apportionments

Paid through December 2020

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The year 2020 is over and what a difficult year it has been for all of us. I am sincerely grateful for the way you have donated toward the stewardship of our church. Like all of you, I am praying that 2021 will be a better year for all of us in every respect and that we will continue to support the ministry of our church, both spiritually and monetarily. As we begin the new year, let us not forget that God gave us the greatest gift of all -- Jesus Christ. Let us honor Him with not only our monetary gifts, but in the way we live our lives every day.

God bless you and yours as we go into this new year.

Many thanks,

Dave Hall, Stewardship Chair

## *Social Distanced Worship*

I realize there are many who are disappointed with all the restrictions around worship. I truly understand this for I know this is not the way most of us have experienced worship in the past. The funny thing though is many of our elements of worship have not always been a part of the church. For example, singing wasn't always a part of worship or there was a great controversy when there was the original thought of playing an organ in a church. Sure things are different, but these measures have been put in place by the United Methodist Church to keep us safe and to limit the spread of Covid-19.

I do want to address some concerns though I have heard that some of you might have:

1. The service is only 35-40 minutes long to make sure you get home safely before dark.
2. The elevator is running.

So, we encourage you to join us on YouTube and Facebook each Sunday. Sunday, should you desire an in-person experience before things return to normal, then come **join us at 4PM each Sunday**.

### **January Greeters for In-Person Service**

#### **January 3**

Parking Lot Entrance: Nancy Harvey  
Sanctuary Entrance: Mary Munsey

#### **January 10**

Parking Lot Entrance: Wanda Martin  
Sanctuary Entrance: Sue Brewer

#### **January 17**

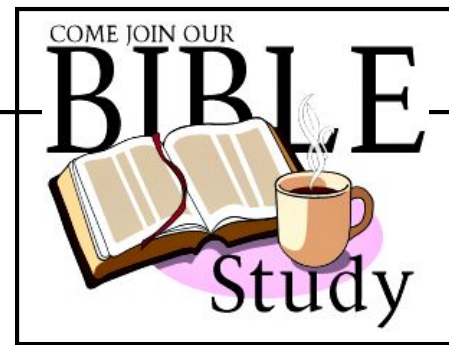
Parking Lot Entrance: Gloria Hall  
Sanctuary Entrance: Pat Bowles

#### **January 24**

Parking Lot Entrance: Janice Gregory  
Sanctuary Entrance: Nancy Harvey

#### **January 31**

Parking Lot Entrance: Gloria Hall  
Sanctuary Entrance: Mary Munsey



You're invited to attend HCUMC's Digital (YouTube) Bible Study on Mondays at 6:30 PM. The YouTube channel can be accessed at [huntingtoncourtcumc.org](http://huntingtoncourtcumc.org). If you would like to join the Monday study and would like your handouts emailed to you, please contact the office at [hcumc1@gmail.com](mailto:hcumc1@gmail.com) and we can add you to the list to receive them.

### **New Addresses:**

*Ann Stafford*

Pheasant Ridge - Room 405A  
4435 Pheasant Ridge Rd.  
Roanoke, VA 24014

*Ruth Atherton*

1505 Narcissus Street  
Salem, VA 24153

### **Giving Envelopes**

On Table for Pickup  
During Office Hours or 4 PM Service

## **NOTICE**

**Church Council**

Sunday, January 17  
5:00 PM

Meeting on Zoom  
Link will be sent before meeting.

## Children & Youth

JOIN US FOR  
**HCUMC VIRTUAL**  
**YOUTH**  
**SUNDAY SCHOOL**  
10 AM (EST) EVERY SUNDAY

ZOOM ID : 823 7020 8972  
PASSWORD : 751630

As a reminder, we do host **Zoom** Sunday School at 10 AM. This is for ages 5 to 17 and includes crafts, games, videos and a Bible lesson. All families will need to sign-up to receive the Zoom join link and instructions on collecting craft and other materials. To sign-up for this awesome new opportunity, please complete the short sign-up form on our Children's Ministry webpage (<https://www.huntingtoncourtumc.org/children-youth-ministries>). P.S. Feel free to share this with any friends or family members with children you would like to share in this experience.

*Thank you to everyone who donated items for the youth service. Your contributions, though small, made a big impact!*

*Thank you for caring!  
Youth Ministry*

### **Wesleyan Class**

Meeting via **Zoom** on Sundays  
For a Zoom email invitation,  
please email Nancy Harvey at  
[nsharvey@cox.net](mailto:nsharvey@cox.net)  
to be added to her email list.

### **Asbury Class**

Meeting via **Zoom**  
Sundays @ 9:30 AM  
For a Zoom email invitation,  
please email Barbara Creasy at  
[barbara.creasy@gmail.com](mailto:barbara.creasy@gmail.com)  
to be added to her email list.



Your RAM House donations before Thanksgiving filled two SUV's from front to back. We delivered them to a very grateful group there who helped carry it all inside. A warm thank you to all who donated these much-needed supplies!



## Guiding Star Yoga

**Hybrid (in-person & Zoom) Class schedule:**

**Wednesdays @ 7:00, pm**

*Level 1 Hatha/gentle flow class*

**Saturdays, 10:00 am**

*gentle/chair class*

Please note: **No Class 12/23-1/2/2021**

Let me know if you need a **Zoom** invitation.

As long as there are ten or fewer people including the instructor in-person class can occur. For in-person class there will be screening questions to review at the door, and you will need to bring your own mat and props (blocks, strap, blanket). I will not bring out my supplies at this time.

*Thank you for the Christmas gifts,  
especially the staff Christmas gift.*

*~ Joy Edwards, Administrative  
Assistant*

## Willing to Help???

Have you thought about how you can help Huntington Court after you are gone? Please include us in your will by at least considering tithing (10%) of your estate to the Lord.

When including us in your end of life decisions, please be sure to include our full name and address with the amount you wish to bequest. If you desire assistance, please notify the church office who will put you in touch with a capable lawyer to help you. Thank you for your consideration as HCUMC looks to continue to further its mission to help create communities in Christ.

## Mobile Alerts

HCUMC is considering connecting with you via text messages and would like to know if you are interested in receiving text reminders and alerts. If you are please call or email the office and leave your mobile number with the Administrative Assistant.



Thursday morning  
3:00 am

Dear folks,

I thank you with all my ♥ for the lovely cards you sent following Mom's death. Some of you wrote a message. Some arrived the day following her service in sweet little Pearisburg.

Jeff was forever visiting her at Hermitage.

Thank you.

I dressed my mom in red and black. For so many years, she said, "Put me in red." Her red sweater was covered with red sequins; her red shoes she had worn to Tim's wedding. Melissa had given her the sweater. Had a black purse with a Christmas tree on it, in sequins.

She loved Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Mom didn't get to know many people at Huntington Court, but she enjoyed being there because Ronnie and I were there.

"Here I Am, Lord" has been in the Methodist Hymnal for years. My daddy heard it for the first time in this church. And loved it. It was played at his service; then, for hers.

Thank you for your attention to her in church.  
Thank you for your kindness now.

Becky Hyles and family ♥



### Church Staff

Rev. Jeff Wilson, *Pastor*

Nancy Harvey, *Lay Leader*

Joy Edwards, *Office Manager*

Julia Greer, *Visitation Minister*

Samantha McEnhimer, *Children's & Youth  
Ministries Coordinator*

Kiana Johnson, *Worship Leader*

Kenneth Orange, *Custodian*

Harriet Day, *Nursery Supervisor*

### Mission Fund:

For individuals requesting financial this fund is to be above (not in place of) your current gift or tithe and should be marked accordingly.

### Alternate Giving Options:

- **Text 73256** as the phone number and in the subject/message field type "HCUMC" and the dollar amount you want to tithe/give
- **Online** at <https://www.huntingtoncourtumc.org/give>
- **Contact the office** during regular office hours at (540) 366-3465 to set up automatic bank draft
- **Mail or deliver** a your tithe and/or gift to the office

# January

## 2021

### Birthdays

1 Ryan Neely  
4 Amanda Bowman  
5 Elleen Craft  
Matt Sarver  
7 Dottie Blissett  
Warren Bush  
Mel Hutchings  
9 Margo Langley  
Kevin Sheetz  
10 Ethan Wade  
11 Nancy Duval  
12 Leslie Sheetz  
13 Lilley Evans  
Rita Robertson  
15 Jonathan Hiler  
18 Cheryl Neely

19 Jason Sarver  
Rachel Moore-Schaeffer  
20 Stephon Hill Jr.  
22 Dot Sink  
Linda Roberts  
23 Alicia Hiler Magnier  
James Francisco  
24 Maddy Duval  
25 Phyllis Zorn  
Gary Foster  
26 Don Hensley  
27 Michelle Parenti  
Cody Wade  
28 Nicholas Shreffler  
29 Sally Hicks  
Suzanne LaPlace

| Sun                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Mon                                                   | Tue           | Wed                                                                                             | Thu                                             | Fri                                          | Sat                                                  |
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| <div>27</div> <div>8:30am - Traditional Worship</div> <div>10am - Zoom-Children &amp; Youth</div> <div>11am - Foundation</div> <div>4pm - In-Person Worship</div>                                                                | <div>28</div>                                         | <div>29</div> | <div>30</div> <div>6pm - NA-FH</div>                                                            | <div>31</div>                                   | <div>1</div>                                 | <div>2</div> <div>8:30am - Leadership Meeting-</div> |
| <div>3</div> <div>8:30am - Traditional Worship</div> <div>10am - Zoom-Children &amp; Youth</div> <div>11am - Foundation</div> <div>1pm - S/PPRC-Zoom</div> <div>4pm - In-Person Worship</div> <div>5pm - Undecorate Church</div> | <div>4</div> <div>6:30pm - Bible Study-YouTube</div>  | <div>5</div>  | <div>6</div> <div>Epiphany</div> <div>6pm - NA-FH</div> <div>7pm - Guiding Star Yoga-Zoom</div> | <div>7</div> <div>6:30pm - The Well-Zoom</div>  | <div>8</div>                                 | <div>9</div> <div>10am - Guiding Star Yoga-</div>    |
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| <div>17</div> <div>8:30am - Traditional Worship</div> <div>10am - Zoom-Children &amp; Youth</div> <div>11am - Foundation</div> <div>2:30pm - Finance Committee-SH</div> <div>4pm - In-Person Worship</div>                       | <div>18</div> <div>6:30pm - Bible Study-YouTube</div> | <div>19</div> | <div>20</div> <div>6pm - NA-FH</div> <div>7pm - Guiding Star Yoga-Zoom</div>                    | <div>21</div> <div>6:30pm - The Well-Zoom</div> | <div>22</div>                                | <div>23</div> <div>10am - Guiding Star Yoga-</div>   |
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