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## Schedule for Week of September 7<sup>th</sup>

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | 12:00 pm UMW Book Sale (FH)<br>4:45 pm High School Choir (S)<br>4:45 pm Joyful Noise Choir (MR)<br>5:30 pm FRUMY (FH)<br>6:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study (LFK)   |
| <b>Monday</b>    | 6:45 am Men's Morning Bible Study (FH)<br>1:30 pm EBS Board (L)<br>6:00 pm UMM (FH)   |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | 9:30 am Craft Day (LFK)<br>7:00 pm Staff Parish Committee (L)   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 7:00 am Men's Breakfast & Prayer Group<br>10:00 am Free Spirits (L)<br>12:00 pm Disciple's Path Bible Study (FH)<br>5:45 pm Carillon Bells (S)<br>6:30 pm Men's Ensemble (S)<br>7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir (S) |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 12:00 pm Making Sense of the Bible (FH)   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | 10:00 am Quilters (LFK)   |

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**Men's Breakfast & Prayer Group** – On schedule to serve this Wednesday, September 10<sup>th</sup> is Team #4: John Vance, Harry Bowen, Scott Hinkle and John Huttar.

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### Readings for next week:

Matthew 6:5-15; Psalm 100; Acts 2:42-47

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### Attendance on August 31<sup>st</sup>:

Worship – 221  
Sunday School – 31

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### Front Royal United Methodist Church

#### Is a Safe Sanctuary

Our **"Power of Two"** policy simply states that no child be left alone anywhere in the church or on a church related activity. It is expected that children will be accompanied at all times, preferably by the parent, guardian or responsible party. If an adult (not including a parent or guardian) is left alone with a child, the adult and child should move to the company of others. In addition, any inappropriate behavior on behalf of an adult or child should immediately be reported to the Church Pastor and/or the Director of Education.

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**At 8:30 a.m.** our **"Service of Word and Table"** is centered around the Lord's Table and blends all forms of music styles and traditions in participatory worship.

**At 11:00 a.m.** our **"Liturgical Service"** is based on the order of Worship found in the **United Methodist Book of Worship**. It features the pipe organ, Sanctuary Choir & Liturgy.

Virginia Conference Bishop: Rev. Dr. Young Jin Cho

Winchester District Superintendent: Rev. Larry Thompson

#### Ministers: The Entire Congregation

#### CHURCH STAFF

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"Jesus told him, "I AM the way..."

--John 14:6 (NLT)

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## Front Royal United Methodist Church

Worship 8:30 & 11:00 am Sunday School 9:45 am

September 7, 2014

**Welcome!** We are especially pleased to have guests worshipping with us and encourage you to consider this community of faith as your very own. Please sign the pew register. Our **professional nursery** for infants-age 3 is available on the first floor in the Education Building "Duck Room." **Large print bulletins, hymnals and pew Bibles** are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

**Please remember the following persons in your daily prayers this week:** Gerry Funk, Phyllis Detwiler, Barbara Ambrose, Frank Carter and Nancy Parsons.

**Please be constant in prayer for our infirmed and homebound:** Dorothy Scott, Helen Seekford, Carrie Baker, Pauline Woodward, Clemence Bruce, Kathryn Hall, Marybeth Quist, Kathrine Biggs, Grace Green, and Esther McConahy.

*Please remember when you hear or know of a member of our church family who is hospitalized to please call the church office and let the pastor know.*

Anyone who would like to be on the **Phone Prayer Chain**, please call Jewel North at 635-3343. If you would like to be on **Email Prayer Chain**, please contact Pastor Denise.

**Prayers for our Missionaries:** Clara Biswas (Cambodia) and Anne Kolbe (VIM Cambodia).

**Let us remember** those in our church family and those close to our hearts who have died. May we all remember the words of Jesus who said: *"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted"* (Matthew 5:4) **Families of Franklyn Rutherford and all service persons.**

**Let us remember** those who are serving overseas currently and please say a special prayer for them. **Aaron Tuten, Lindsey Tuten, and Stephen Twele.**

**Please visit the Church website** at [www.frumc.org](http://www.frumc.org). You can watch missed worship services, check the calendar for upcoming events, sign up for Bible studies and small groups, see important announcements, and more. Front Royal UMC is on Facebook at [facebook.com/frumc](https://www.facebook.com/frumc), and follow us on Twitter at [twitter.com/frontroyalumc](https://twitter.com/frontroyalumc).

The bulletin deadline is  
Wednesdays at noon.



*For your mobile/online giving*

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**Greeters:** 8:30 –  
11:00 – Arnold & Phyllis Williams  
**Crucifer:** 8:30 – Dillon Lewallen  
**Acolytes:** 8:30 – Sarah & TJ Rettberg  
**Ushers:** 8:30 – Harry Robertson  
11:00 – Dick Joice

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**The Flowers on the Altar** today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Ken Leeker by his wife, Mary.

**Today we welcome to the FRUMC Family:**  
Dave & Melissa Chavez

**New Short Term Adult Sunday Morning Seminar** – A Disciples Path begins today. The study meets at 10:00 a.m. in the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor Library/Conference room and will be led by Dee Pendley. Coffee will be available!

**Pastor's Bible Study** – Covenant Bible Study will meet tonight at 6:00p.m. in LFK classroom.

The **Craft Group** will meet every Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. in the LFK classroom until the bazaar.

**Lunch 'n Learning Opportunities** at noon in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your own bag lunch.

- Wednesday – Disciple's Path: Deepening your Relationship with Christ and the Church
- Thursday – Making Sense of the Bible: Rediscovering the Power of Scripture Today

You are cordially invited to attend the **St. Luke Clinic's Annual Benefit Fundraiser** at the Shenandoah Valley Golf Club on September 27<sup>th</sup> from 6-10 p.m. Tickets are \$50 per person. There will be a catered dinner, door prizes, silent auction and a live auction. For tickets or more information call the clinic at 636-4325.

**Lay Delegate nominations for the 2016 General Conference and 2016 Jurisdictional Conference** will take place at the Winchester District Conference on Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>. Selection of the delegates (both clergy and lay) will be at 2015 Annual Conference in June. Eligibility for lay delegates is as follows: All nominees shall have been professing members of The United Methodist Church for at least two years preceding their nomination and must be members of churches in the Virginia Annual Conference and shall have been active participants in the United Methodist Church for at least four years preceding their election. They also must be active members within the United Methodist Church at the time of holding General Conference and Jurisdictional conference. The four year participation and two year membership requirements may be waived for young persons under twenty-five years of age. Such persons must be members of the United Methodist Church and active participants at the time of election. Forms are available at [www.vaumc.org](http://www.vaumc.org), and must be returned to the Winchester District Office no later than Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>.

**The Mission Box** offering for **September** will be donated to the **Front Royal Ministerial Association Emergency Fund**. Last month we received \$592 for the Shade and Fresh Water Project. Any contribution you make to the Mission Box is greatly appreciated! A jar is on top of the Mission Box to support the programs led by Clara Biswas.

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## SPECIAL GIFTS

**In memory of Betty Ann Gibson**  
The Jenkins Family: Susan, Steve, Tyler & Thomas  
Robbi & Mercedita Biggs  
Ruby Pugh  
Sara Affleck  
Susan Hrbek  
Magretta Haga  
Ginger Marlowe