
Vale United Methodist Church



“Report on Annual Conference”

June 27, 2021

11528 Vale Road • Oakton, Virginia 22124

www.ValeChurch.org

Sunday Worship at 8:30 a.m.

[Facebook.com/groups/valechurch](https://www.facebook.com/groups/valechurch)



United in faith, we seek to...

Align our lives with the way of Jesus Christ.

Invite others to journey with us.

Move beyond our walls to create a more just and loving world.

GATHERING

We gather as the people of God to be formed by God's grace.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

*** Call to Worship**

Lay Reader

One: We come to worship God, bearing with one another in love

Many: **You are in me, and I am in you; in Christ we are one.**

One: We come to worship God, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit.

Many: **You are in me, and I am in you; in Christ we are one.**

One: We come to worship God, recognizing one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God of all

Many: **You are in me, and I am in you; in Christ we are one.**

One: We come to worship God, seeking common ground big enough to hold us all

Many: **You are in me, and I am in you; in Christ we are one.**

***Hymn “The Church’s One Foundation” UMH 545**

*** Prayer of Confession**

Lay Reader

One: Because of such great mercy, God is ready to forgive all the ways we fail to live in faithfulness. Relying on that mercy, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Many: Trusting you does not always come easy when each day we are faced with the ugliness of the world. We do not believe that love conquers fear. We are not convinced that power comes through weakness. We cannot conceive how you could heal us. Forgive our lack of faith, O God, and renew our trust in you, for we would be disciples of Jesus, united in our faith. Amen.

One: If the Lord kept count of all our sins, who could stand? But with God there is forgiveness. Christ gives us peace and unites us as one.

Many: Thanks be to God!

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

We hear God's word proclaimed. We act in response.

Scripture

Collosians 3:12-17

Children's Sermon

Rev. Dietz

Sermon "Report on Annual Conference"

**Rev. Dietz, Dorothy Arbiter, Tom Feeney,
Angela Larson, Rose Mangino**

***Hymn “The Servant Song”**

TFWS 2222

Call for Joys and Concerns

***Call to Prayer**

TFWS 2193

“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”

Lord, listen to your children praying,
Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying,
Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Prayers of the People

*You may ask for prayer requests via chat. You also may
send prayer requests to PrayerRequests@ValeChurch.org.*

*We invite you to open your hands in your lap as we pray. Breathe in and out
in each silence between petitions to seek God’s mercy and grace in
your life.*

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

Special Music

“The Anchor Holds”

Chewning/Boltz

Norm Dietz, Vocals

Blessing of the Offerings

Hymn “Forth in Thy Name, O Lord”

UMH 438

SENDING FORTH

Transformed by God’s presence, we go into the world to serve.

* **Benediction**

* **Postlude**

**Please stand in spirit or in posture.*

UMH - United Methodist Hymnal TFWS - The Faith We Sing Hymnal
WS - Worship & Song

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NEXT SUNDAY IN WORSHIP

6th Sunday of Pentecost, July 4, 2021

Rev. Joanna Dietz

Vale Ministry Opportunities

June 27, 2021

WELCOME FRIENDS! WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Whether you are new to the area or a long-time resident, we warmly welcome you to our community of faith at Vale Church!

We look forward to meeting you in person—and hope to see you with us again soon!



Vale UMC is proud to be recognized as a Safe Haven congregation. If you suspect signs of human trafficking, please call 888.373.7888 or text 233733.

Enjoy today's message? – Sermons can also be found on YouTube and Facebook by searching for “Vale United Methodist Church”. If you would like a DVD, please let us know.

Church updates – Did you know Vale sends out via email a weekly *Shout* and a monthly *Voice* with church updates? If you are **not** receiving our emails and would like to, please let the Vale office know.

Lay Readers Needed – We have a need for virtual and in-person Lay Readers. If you and your family would be willing to prerecord a portion of the worship service, or read at our in-person service, let us know. Please contact the church office at office@valechurch.org if you can help.

Vale Music –

Special Music Request –

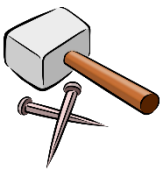


We are in need of special music each Sunday for the online worship service. Please contact Jan Smith at music@valechurch.org if you would be willing to share your gifts in this way. Singing, playing an instrument, solos, duets, etc. - we'd love to have you participate!

Do you want to support Vale's ministries? Did you know that you can give to Vale online? We use the respected vendor PushPay. You don't have to set up an account and you can designate your offering for a particular mission, program or for the general church funding. Go to <http://pushpay.com/g/valechurch> and see how easy it is. The information is confidential and secure.

If you have any questions or run into any difficulty using PushPay, please contact our Financial Secretary, Eileen Koefoot, at FinSec@ValeChurch.org

Children's Church – We invite the children to take a worship packet and work on the activities during worship. They are also welcome to the Children's Corner during worship. Our youngest are invited to go to the nursery, across the hall from the worship space.



Kitchen Renovation Survey – The Board of Trustees is considering making renovations to Vale's kitchen. To help them know what is most needed, please fill out their **anonymous** survey here <https://forms.gle/v8aA4Q9NqBbQE3go8>



VBS is coming! ~ On the week of July 26-30, Vale will be hosting Vacation Bible School. We will be using "Come to the Table", studying how Jesus invites all people to come together. We will be having a planning meeting on Monday, June 28. If you would like to assist with VBS and attend the meeting, please contact Joanna Dietz youth@valechurch.org To register a child, to register a youth to assist or for Youth Mission Encounter, or to sign up to assist as an adult, please use this [Registration Form](#). Fill out only the sections that pertain to you!

Youth Mission Encounter – On the week of July 26-30, youth are again invited to join us for our mission encounter. With Covid restrictions we are unable to attend a mission trip beyond our community, but there are plenty of needs right here in our backyard! We will assist with VBS in the mornings, be in the community working with our partner organizations in the afternoon, and enjoying worship and time together each evening. The [Registration Form](#) is the same for VBS and Mission Encounter. Please fill out the sections that pertain to you!

Vale Youth – Youth will be meeting on Tuesdays online at 6:00 pm. This Tuesday we will be playing Codenames. For more information please contact youth@valechurch.org. We will meeting at the Family Pool Party after worship today!



Pool Party for Children, Youth and their Parents! - Today, June 27th, immediately after the church service, Vale families are invited to a pool party. Come for in person worship or join us online and then bring your bag lunch. A supervising adult is required to attend this event with children and youth. Please [register](#) in advance so we can be prepared to welcome you all!

Re-Opening - We are trying to balance the safety of everyone (especially our un-vaccinated children) while providing an in-person experience. We are committed to maintaining our virtual worship opportunities.

Phase I (Summer) - We will maintain our 8:30 Virtual Worship service on Zoom and Facebook.

Beginning on June 20, we have added in-person worship at 11 am in the Fellowship Hall, while continuing the 8:30 virtual service. Please note that we may need to limit the number of people in the Fellowship Hall.

Phase II (September 12th) -

8:30 am Modified virtual service (pre-recorded, with less music)

8:30 am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

9:30 am Children's Music

10:00 am Sunday School for All

11:00 am Worship in the Fellowship Hall

Children's activities will be dependent on applicable guidelines. We will pay particular attention to the practices of Fairfax County Public Schools.

This Week at Vale: June 27, 2021 – July 4, 2021

Sun, June 27

- 8:30 am Worship Service (Virtual)
- 11:00 am Worship Service (In- Person)
- 12:00 pm Family Pool Party for Children and Youth

Tues, June 29

- 6:00 pm Youth Group

Sat, July 3

- 9:00 am Women's Study

Sun, J

- 8:30 am Worship Service (Virtual)
- 11:00 am Worship Service (In-Person)

During this time of quarantine, all meetings are held virtually. All worship services and most meetings can be accessed by computer, mobile device or phone (audio only). For virtual meeting access information, send an email to Office@ValeChurch.org.

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