
Vale United Methodist Church



“Heroes of Faith: Tabitha”

Aug 7, 2022

11528 Vale Road • Oakton, Virginia 22124

www.ValeChurch.org

Sunday Worship at 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

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

The Peace

*From your seat, please offer your neighbors the peace of Jesus Christ.
The liturgist will call out “May the peace of Christ be with you!”
Please respond with, “And also with you!”*

Prelude

***Threshold & Response**

Lay Reader

One: By awesome deeds you answer us with deliverance,
Many: O God of our salvation; you are the hope of all the
ends of the earth and of the farthest seas.
One: By your strength you established the mountains;
Many: you are girded with might.
One: You silence the roaring of the seas, the roaring of
their waves, the tumult of the peoples.
Many: Those who live at earth’s farthest bounds are awed
by your signs; you make the gateways of the
morning and the evening shout for joy.

***Hymn “Come, Christians, Join to Sing” UMH 158**

Confession and Pardon

Lay Reader

One: Even before we admit our sin, God promises to hear us with mercy. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved

Many: **No words can express the depth of our need or reveal the extent of our sin. But you know us completely, O God.**

One: When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us, you forgive our transgressions. You rescue us from evil and clothe us with love. Humbly, we thank you; for no words can express our gratitude for the gift of your salvation.

One: Beloved family of God, the news is so good we can scarcely believe it: God does not hold our sin against us, but pours out abundant grace. Give thanks to God, and by the Spirit's power share the gospel far and near: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Many: **In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God. Amen and amen.**

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

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

Scripture

Acts 9:36-43

The reading will end with "A word of God that is still speaking."

Please respond with "Thanks be to God."

Sermon "Tabitha"

Rev. Haugh

Creed

UMH 881

Call for Joys and Concerns

Call to Prayer

UMH 162

“Alleluia, Alleluia”

Alleluia, alleluia!

Give thanks to the risen Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Give praise to his name.

Prayers of the People

You may ask for prayer requests via chat. You also may send prayer requests to PrayerRequests@ValeChurch.org. After each petition, there will be a moment of silence closed by

*“Gracious God,” Please respond with,
“hear our prayer.”*

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.

***Doxology (8:30)**

UMH 95

Blessing of the Offerings

THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

UMH 15

Breaking the Bread

Giving the Bread and Cup

In the United Methodist tradition, all who seek to lead a Christian life, together with their children, are welcome to receive communion. Gluten-free elements are available upon request.

Communion Prayer

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Hymn “Majesty, Worship His Majesty” UMH 176**

SENDING FORTH

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

Announcements

*** Blessing and Charge**

*** Postlude**

**Please stand in spirit or in posture.*

UMH - *United Methodist Hymnal*

TFWS - *The Faith We Sing Hymnal*

Thank you to Wayne Applewhite for providing
our 8:30 coffee hour treats!

Lay Readers:

8:30 Wayne Applewhite

11:00 Terri Lowry

Virtual Suzanne Michaelis

Masks are no longer required at Vale. Please wear a mask and maintain distancing if you are not up to date on vaccinations or boosters, if you are engaging with children, or based on personal preference, informed by personal level of risk.

Sermon Notes and Illustrations

This is a page for you to take notes on the sermon or for our children and youth to illustrate what they've heard in the story today.

Children's Corner

The Children's Corner is set up for 11:00 worship. Children are welcome to come to the cabinet at the front right of the worship space and find activities to do during the service, either in the Children's Corner or back in their seats. They are welcome to take coloring pages home. Please leave the cabinet the way you found it!

NEXT SUNDAY IN WORSHIP

10th Sunday after Pentecost, Aug 14 2022

“Heroes of Faith: Phoebe”

Rev. Jeff Haugh

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This Week at Vale: Aug 7, 2022 – August 14, 2022

Sun, Aug 7

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

Fri, Aug 12

- 9:00 am Women's Bible Study

Sun, Aug 14

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

At this time, many meetings are offered in a hybrid virtual and in-person format. Please contact your group leader for specific information, or email the office at Office@ValeChurch.org.

Vale Ministry Opportunities

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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? – Services 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.

Do you want to support Vale's ministries? Did you know that you can give to Vale online? We use the respected vendor Push Pay. 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 Push Pay, please contact our Financial Secretary, Lisa Martin, at FinSec@ValeChurch.org

Wayne's Corner - As the Lay Leader for Vale, Wayne Applewhite acts as the connection between the congregation and the clergy. He invites you to call him at (703)-815-6618 or email at applewhitew2003@yahoo.com with any matters you might want brought to Jeff

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!

We are watching the Covid cases in our area closely. Please refer to our website for any schedule changes. Children's activities will be dependent on applicable guidelines. We will pay particular attention to the practices of Fairfax County Public Schools.

We ask you to register for services so that we can contact attendees if we become aware of Covid cases in our community

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