

# Weekly Planner for June 24-30, 2007

24 Sun	7:30 a.m.	Pancake breakfast served by former UMYF members—everyone invited! <i>(continental breakfast served between services)</i>
	8:30 a.m.	Worship
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship
	12:00 noon-4:00 p.m.	Set up for Vacation Bible School
	1:30 p.m.	Emerging Church Task Force
	3:30 p.m.	God and Church
	5:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous
	8:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous
25 Mon	9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon	Vacation Bible School
26 Tue	9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon	Vacation Bible School
	6:30 p.m.	Building Committee
	7:00-9:00 p.m.	Companions in Christ
	7:00 p.m.	Upward Ministries Meeting
27 Wed	9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon	Vacation Bible School
	9:00 a.m.	TOPS
	6:30 p.m.	Young Adult Koinonia Dinner/Bible Study
28 Thu	9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon	Vacation Bible School
	9:30 a.m.	Sewing Group
	8:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous
29 Fri	9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon	Vacation Bible School
	7:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School Closing Program
30 Sat	2:00-6:00 p.m.	Youth End of School Party
	8:30 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous

### Bulletins for July 1 and 8

Information for **July 1 and 8 bulletins** is due by noon on Thursday, June 28. I will be out of the office July 4-6 so I plan to finish both bulletins on Friday, June 29. Thanks for your help!  
**Donna**

### Summer-time Wacky Wednesday

**July 18**  
**5:00 - 9:00 p.m. Join the fun and fellowship!**

## Warwick Weekly—June 24, 2007

**Welcome, everyone, to our service of worship. As we present ourselves humbly before God, we hope that all will find spiritual strength and hope.**

**LARGE PRINT BULLETINS** are available for use during the worship service. Please see an usher to obtain one.

**Prayer Chain:** If you have a person in need of prayer, call the church office (877-2270) and your request will receive prompt addition to a prayer chain. If you would like to be a part of the **electronic prayer** chain and receive 5-10 prayer requests a week or place a prayer request on the chain, send your name and email address to Jim Rogers at **68eagle@cox.net**.

### Serving Today

Ushers: (8:30)  
(11:00) Jane Shaffer, Jean Scott, Beth Murray, Ellen Buckner

Greeters: (8:30) Donna Cox and Tracy Cox  
(11:00) Janice Fritz

Junior Church Today (8:30) Michael Davenport  
(11:00) David Ellis  
Next Sunday (8:30) Lori Robertson  
(11:00) Carrie Greer

### Prayer Thoughts

*You are our refuge, O Lord. We put our lives in your hands that we may discover all the benefits of your grace. Amen.*

### Flowers for Today

The flowers on the altar today are given by **Wayne and Marsha Six** to the glory of God and in celebration of their **38th wedding anniversary**.

**\*\*Please note: The Upper Room devotional books for July/August are in the narthex. Please leave donations in the metal box. Thanks!**

**Celebration  
Center  
Chatter**

Now we've played basketball and volleyball in the CC! This coming week will see Vacation Bible School take place in the CC. What until you see how much more we can offer to VBS by including the Audio-Visual and Lighting Ministry Team.

A good soul has contributed two badminton rackets and birds as well as a Battleship board game to what we can offer for recreation.

As a part of the Celebration Campaign we've formed a Follow-up Committee to keep the congregation informed of how we are doing on reducing our debt and making sure new members have the opportunity to help in the repayment. Members of the committee are: Mary Ann Hoye and Dave Amaker (co-chairs), Pastor Steve, Denise Workinger, Henry Bennett, Jim Corliss, Marsha Six, Kathy Young, Lisa Bradley and me. If you have any questions about the debt, converting the construction loan to a mortgage, etc., ask one of these folks.

There are lots of more 'firsts' coming up for the CC. Stayed tuned for information and how you can help. Speaking of helping, Jim Rogers is having his first meeting about Upward Ministries on Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. This is a great opportunity to reach out to the un-churched in our neighborhood but we will need **lots of help**. Look for Jim's note here in the Warwick Weekly and pray about what role you can fill.  
Dave Munro - Dmunro79@cs.com

**Let's Get Acquainted!**

We've having a potluck luncheon on Sunday, July 1 after the 11:00 a.m. service to **welcome our new Associate Pastor Sonja Oliver**. Join us for great food and fellowship as Sonja begins her ministry at WMUMC and **meet her and her family — husband Michael and sons Hilary, 16 and Elijah, 5**. Sign-up sheets are available in the adult Sunday School classes, the narthex, and church office. We also need volunteers to help set up the Celebration Center, serve food, clean up the kitchen, and put away tables and chairs. Hope to see you there! Any questions, please contact Debbie Stall at grandeb1@cox.net.

**Celebration Campaign Update**

Bet you're wondering how the Celebration Campaign to reduce our building debt is doing. **As of June 21**, we have received **134 commitments totaling \$911,249.58**. First Fruits offerings are still coming in through the end of June. We will have that total soon. We will use the First Fruits Offerings to reduce the construction loan before converting it to a mortgage. Stay tuned for updates.

**Care and Share Sunday**

Communion Sunday, the first Sunday of every month, is also Care & Share Sunday when food donations are received for **Denbigh United Christian Outreach (DUCO)**. We greatly appreciate your support in keeping the pantry shelves filled to assist those in need. The ministry is also grateful for financial gifts to help with shelter and utilities for our neighbors in crisis. Your tax deductible gift (made payable to DUCO) may be placed in DUCO's box in the church office. May God bless your generosity.

**Youth Stuff**

**Saturday - End of School Pool Party!!** 2-6 p.m. at Holt's house—92 Dillwyn Drive

>For rising 6th graders through graduating seniors.

>Food, fun, wetness! We'll also be welcoming our rising 6th graders into UMYF-so be there!

**Upcoming Stuff...** Watch the Youth Bulletin Board for more info and signup sheets:

- **District Youth BEACH BASH at Buckroe Beach** (Sunday, July 8th, 4-9 p.m.)

- **Rock Climbing Lock-In at "Peak Experiences" in Richmond** (Friday, July 13th, 7 p.m.-lasts all night. Check out <http://www.peakexperiences.com/>)

- **Junior High Mission Week** registration is now open until July 8th. Registration forms are available from Steve Crossett and are located on the Youth Bulletin Board. Mission week is August 19-25 at Westview on the James. Cost is \$130 per youth. Please contact Steve Crossett for further information.

**Young Adult Koinonia (Ages 18-30)**

- **Dinner and a Bible Study** - We meet on **Wednesday evenings 6:30—???** We follow dinner with a short Bible study and discussion. Wednesday, June 27th we'll continue studying the second chapter of the book of Malachi. During the month of June, we will be meeting at the Minge's home. We would love to have you join us. For more info, call Gerry or Gloria or email [mingee@cox.net](mailto:mingee@cox.net).
- On Sunday, June 24th during the **Sunday School hour (9:45)** we'll be in week 2 of a new study titled *A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23*. This six week study will challenge your concept of what it means to be part of the flock.
- Coming **July 14th - Volleyball fun night** at our new Celebration Center. We're inviting all the young adults in our Peninsula District churches. All skill levels welcome! Watch for details. Our summer is just starting to heat up.
- **Peninsula Rescue Mission service night** now being planned for July.

**There's Green via the Greens!**

Grab your golfing gear, and **raise funds for DUCO!** The Newport News Elks Lodge #315 invites you to participate in its Charity Golf Tournament on July 27, 2007 @ 8:00 a.m. @ Pines Golf Course, Fort Eustis. Fees are \$250.00 per team or \$70.00 per person. (Mulligan packages and hole sponsorships are available.) After the tournament, lunch and prizes will be offered at the Elks Lodge. **All profits go to Denbigh United Christian Outreach, so mark your calendars, and RSVP to our gracious host by July 20, 2007.**

**You Are Invited!**

You are invited to a Open House to celebrating **Ruby Hambleton's 80th birthday** today from 2-4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. No gifts, please.

**Thank You**

Our **Young Adult Koinonia (YAK)** recently sponsored a trip for nine young adults and four adult counselor/teachers from our congregation to participate in a Young Adult UM Retreat in Richmond. We helped YAK financially with a little help from the Pastor's Discretionary Funds. YAK wrote a very nice Thank You card and included some photos. The card and photos are on the bulletin board just outside of the sanctuary.

**Text for Anthems**

**(8:30) Prayer for Peace**

Make me an instrument of thy peace. Where there is hatred let me sow love;  
Where there is injury, pardon, doubt, faith; despair, hope; darkness, light; sadness, joy; pardon,  
faith, hope, light, and joy, love.  
Make me an instrument of thy peace, Lord.

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**(11:00) Breathe**

Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew, that I may love whate'er you love, and do  
what you would do.

This is the air I breathe, this is the air I breathe, your holy presence living in me.

This is my daily bread, this is my daily bread, your very word spoken to me.

And I, I'm desperate for you, Jesus; and I, I'm lost without you, I'm lost without you.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, so shall I never die, but live with you the perfect life of your  
eternity.

And I, I'm desperate for you, Jesus; and I, I'm lost without you.

Breathe on me, Breath of God; I'm desperate for you; breathe on me, Breath of God; I'm lost  
without you;

Breathe on me, Breath of God; I'm desperate for you.

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**Upward Basketball and Cheerleading Organizational Meeting**  
**June 26 - 7:00 p.m. (nursery provided)**

Warwick Memorial has had the Upward training and is ready to proceed with the Upward Ministry.  
We will start with Upward basketball for boys and girls as well as cheerleading this fall. To make  
this happen, **we need volunteers**. All we ask is 1-2 hours a week (mostly on Saturdays) for 8  
weeks. Our goal for this fall is to have 28 basketball teams and 4 cheerleading teams. We need  
help in the following areas:

- Advertising**
- Coaches for girls and boys teams**
- Concessions**
- Devotions**
- Referees**
- Scorekeepers**
- Follow-up**
- Set-up**
- Clean-up**

We will have an organizational meeting on June 26 at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please  
pray about where you might be able to help. Come to the meeting and find out more details  
regarding what is needed. If you have any questions, please contact Jim Rogers at  
68eagle@cox.net.



**Vacation Bible School Information**

**Mission Emphasis: The United Methodist Children's Fund.**

**An offering will be taken each day.**

- Monday: Bright Star Children's Program - Bethlehem
- Tuesday: Moore Community House Early Childhood Program - Biloxi, Mississippi
- Wednesday: VIVART (Life Through Art) - Manaus, Brazil
- Thursday: Maternal Infant Health Outreach Worker Program - Frakes, Kentucky
- Friday: Agape Christian Children's Community Center - Horntown, Virginia  
Children's Program of the United Methodist Mission Center - Mongolia

**Flight Plan**

- Monday: I Will Follow (color: yellow) Thursday: I Will Repent (color: green)
- Tuesday: I Will Trust (color: purple) Friday: I Will Serve (color: blue)
- Wednesday: I Will Listen (color: red)

**Power Prayer**

Monday: Lead me in your truth, and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation. Psalm 25:5

Tuesday: O my God, in you I trust. Psalm 25:2a

Wednesday: Teach me to do your will, for you are my God. Psalm 51:10

Thursday: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.  
Psalm 51:10

Friday: Make me to know your ways, O Lord; teach me your paths. Psalm 25:4

**Parents:** We will be having our closing assembly for Vacation Bible School at 7:00 p.m. on  
Friday evening instead of at 12:00 noon as we have in the past. Light refreshments will be  
served.

**VBS Flight Crew Members:** We will set up our classrooms today after church until 4:00 p.m.

***The following donations are still needed for Vacation Bible School:***

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|---|-------------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|
| 4 | gallons of vanilla pudding          | 100 | mini bagels or 50 regular size bagels |
| 6 | large containers whipped topping    | 100 | string cheese                         |
| 6 | containers flavored whipped topping | 3   | bags of miniature pretzels            |
| 5 | jars of multi-colored sprinkles     | 5   | boxes graham crackers                 |
| 2 | jars of chocolate sprinkles         | 3   | large tubs margarine                  |
| 2 | large boxes Honey Nut Cheerios      | 2   | large containers cinnamon             |
| 6 | boxes bear shaped graham cookies    | 3   | containers nutmeg                     |
| 2 | boxes of raisins                    | 2   | containers ginger                     |
| 2 | large bags of plain M & M's         |     |                                       |
| 4 | bags miniature marshmallows         |     |                                       |

Bring items to the kitchen by tomorrow - 9:00 a.m. If you have questions, contact Bonnie  
Turner, Kim Mungin or Gerry Turner.