

# **RICHMOND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Rev. Peter Jamieson

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 14, 2025

Service 10:00 AM

## **Welcome**

### **Call to Worship** from Psalm 68

Sing to God; sing praises to his name;

**lift up a song to him who rides upon the clouds,**

his name is the LORD—

**be exultant before him.**

Father of orphans and protector of widows

**is God in his holy habitation.**

### **Opening Song #339** “Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast”

### **Opening Prayer**

**Good and gracious God, we are part of the Body of Christ. We thank you for your grace that calls us together as equals within our community and within the church as a whole. Thank you for making us one in Christ Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen.**

### **Gloria Patri**

### **Children’s Message**

**Special Music** – “Precious Lord, Take My Hand” - Charlie Hentz, Ed Wehmeyer, Pastor Peter

### **Prayer for Illumination:**

**Eternal God, your Spirit inspired those who wrote the Bible and enlightens us to hear your Word fresh each day. Help us to rely always on your promises in Scripture. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.**

**First Lesson** – Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

**Second Lesson** – 1 Corinthians 12:12-26

### **Message**

### **Time for Reflection**

### **Prayer of Thomas Merton**

**Prayer Chorus #503** “Let It Breathe On Me”

**Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer –  
Question: Do You Have Any Praises?**

**The Lord’s Prayer** – UMC Hymnal page 10

### **Announcements and Action Plans**

### **Giving our Tithes and Offerings**

### **Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise Him all creatures here below.**

**Praise him above, ye heavenly host.**

**Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**Closing Hymn #548** “In Christ There Is No East or West”

### **Benediction**

**Benediction Response** “May the Peace of the Lord Christ Go with You”

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

**\*OUR COUNTRY – Our Military – PUMP**

**Flood Victims, People of Ukraine, Russia, Israel, Iran & Gaza.**

**Eileen Albert, Ted Emmons, Karen, Richard Trees,**

**Chuck Hentz, Steven Clark.**

**Our Church Family - Victims of Natural Disasters and Abuse.**

**FRIENDS AND FAMILY DEALING WITH CANCER**

**Paula Kohl, Angela Lemmer, Debbie Crafa, Ed Wehmeyer (Cousin**

**of our Organist), Tom Stark, Lisa Woodlee, Susan Wehmeyer,**

**Anna Diehl, John, Kristin, Renee A'Hearn, Harry Abendroth,**

**Larry McEwen.**

**9/7/2025 Offering \$1,131.00, the amount to meet the  
annual budget is \$1,710.67.**



**BIBLE STUDY – Bible Study will meet on Monday  
at 1:00 PM in Thomas Hall and on the new Zoom link. We will be  
studying the Max Lucado Book “The Applause of Heaven”**

**SUPPORT PUMP – We always need your financial support and  
non-perishable food items.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL – Will meet today, September 14<sup>th</sup>  
after the worship service.**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL – Join us Sunday morning September 28<sup>th</sup>.  
We will begin after the Children’s Message. All children in grades  
K-6 are welcome. We kindly ask that parents/caregivers remain on  
church property while their child is in Sunday School and make  
our teacher aware of any special needs your child may have.**

**RALLY DAY- Join us after worship on September 28<sup>th</sup> for Rally  
Day. Come enjoy a covered dish, hotdogs and desserts. There will  
be games for the kids and you won't want to miss the cake walk!  
Rain or shine we hope to see you there.**

**REFRESH – Our next quick meeting will be September 21<sup>st</sup> after  
the worship service. To discuss Rally Day.**

**GRATEFUL BREAD MISSION – First week completed as planned.**

**WEB-SITE – RICHMONDUMCBANGOR.ORG**