**Events and Announcements**

**Happy birthday to Lily Dulay!** Are there any more birthdays this week? If so, let us know so we can wish you many happy returns.

**Wedding Announcement:** We are pleased to announce that Wilfredo Morales and Sarah Fong will be married on Saturday, August 10 in Alexandria. Culmore congregation extends our best wishes to the couple!

**On Sunday July 28th there** will be a Culmore United Methodist Church congregational lunch at Sardi’s Peruvian Restaurant (in the strip mall across the street.) Please mark your calendar. The event is being sponsored through the generosity of

Mr. Wayne and Mrs. Angela Valis. Please let Pastor Nelson, Pastor Beth or Isabel Erostegui know if you intend to be there (for reservation purposes)

**Bible Study** is Wednesday, July 10 at 10:00, as we continue our study of Hebrews.

*Come for coffee and discussion*.

**Culmore United Methodist Church**

**July 7, 2019**

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**God loves those who argue.**

*Rabbi Jonathan Sacks*

**Culmore United Methodist Church**

**July 7 2019**

**Pastors:** *Rev.* *Nelson Neil, Rev. Beth Neil*

**Music:***Dr. Wonhee Kang, All Nations Choir*

*Emily & Ann Johnson*

# **Prelude** *Here I Am to Worship* **W&S 3177**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Passing of the Peace**

**Lessons for the Young and Young at Heart**

**Opening Prayer:**

Dear God Who Listens,

There are times I’m confused and full of questions. There are times I want to tell you just how I feel and what I think, even if it means challenging you.

Let me be brave enough to argue with you, just as Moses and Abraham did. Let me bring it *all* before you, holding nothing back. May I then be open to hearing your Word. *Amen.*

* **Hymn** *Change My Heart*  **TFWS 2152**

**Scripture Genesis 3:1 -4:7**

**Responsive Reading:** Psalm 22: 1,2,11;

Job: 42: 2; Psalm 42: 1

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?  Why are you so far from saving me?

**My God, I cry out by day, but you do not answer, by night, but I find no rest.**

Do not be far from me, for trouble is near and there is no one to help.

**You are my strength; come quickly to help me.**

I know that you can do all things; no plan of yours can be thwarted.

**As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, O God.**

* **Hymn** *As the Deer*  **TFWS 2025**

**Sermon:** *Talking Back to God*

**Community Prayer**

**Anthem**  *Above All*

**Doxology**  **UMH 95**

**Communion W &Song 3172** a, b, c

(*see insert)*

* **Hymn** *Forever* **W&S 3023**

**Benediction**