

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: October 6, 2016
(Date of earliest event reported)

Union Bankshares Corporation
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

0-20293
(Commission
File Number)

54-1598552
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

1051 East Cary Street
Suite 1200
Richmond, Virginia 23219
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(804) 633-5031
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions *see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 6, 2016, Union Bankshares Corporation announced that it will conduct a quarterly earnings conference call on Thursday, October 20, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time during which the Company will discuss third quarter results and provide an update on recent activities. The press release announcing the conference call information is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d)Exhibits.

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description of Exhibit</u> |
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| 99.1 | Press release, dated October 6, 2016. |

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

UNION BANKSHARES CORPORATION

By: /s/ Robert M. Gorman
Robert M. Gorman
Executive Vice President
and Chief Financial Officer

Date: October 11, 2016



Union Bankshares Corporation to Release Third Quarter 2016 Results

Richmond, Va., October 6, 2016 – Union Bankshares Corporation today announced that it will release its third quarter 2016 financial results before the market opens on Thursday, October 20, 2016.

Following the release, the company will host a conference call for analysts at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time on Thursday, October 20, 2016.

To listen to the call, please use one of the following telephone numbers.

Participant Toll-Free Dial-In Number: (877) 668-4908

Participant International Dial-In Number: (973) 453-3058

The conference ID is: 94252786

ABOUT UNION BANKSHARES CORPORATION

Headquartered in Richmond, Virginia, Union Bankshares Corporation (NASDAQ: UBSH), is the holding company for Union Bank & Trust, which has 115 branches and nearly 200 ATMs throughout Virginia. Non-bank affiliates of the holding company include: Union Mortgage Group, Inc., which provides a full line of mortgage products; Union Insurance Group, LLC, which offers various lines of insurance products; and Old Dominion Capital Management, Inc., which provides investment advisory services.

Additional information on the company is available at <http://investors.bankatunion.com>.

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