



***GLADE UNITED
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

April 29, 2018 10:30 a.m.

Welcome Members, Friends, and Visitors!

“to experience and share the love of Jesus Christ”



WE CENTER OURSELVES ON GOD
Welcome to a time of Sabbath, rest, and renewal
April 29, 2018

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Prelude *"The Lone, Wild Bird"*

Robert J. Powell

*Processional Hymn *"Sing of Colors"* #402

*Call to Worship

L: God's steadfast love extends to the heavens.

P: God's righteousness is like the mighty mountains.

L: God is faithful in all seasons, and we are called to make that our testimony.

P: We will sing God's praises now and always; when it is easy, and when it is not.

L: The wise turn to God; all families of nations worship the Creator.

P: Christ is the vine; we are the branches. Apart from Christ we can do nothing.

Prayer of Invocation (Offered by all)

We come to you, Loving God, looking to experience the love you alone can give.

For us, your love comes in Jesus, bringing abundant life for all who will receive it.

Empower us by your love to love one another; abide in us to perfect your gift

within and among us. Through Christ. Amen.

Time With Children

Scripture Reading Acts 8: 26-40; John 15: 1-8

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God!

Anthem *"I Am the Vine"*

Eugene Butler

Sermon *"Connected"*

* Hymn “*Many Are the Lightbeams*” #163

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Leader : The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray...

Silent Prayer

Prayer

The Prayer Jesus taught Us

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

***For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.***

WE GIVE OURSELVES TO GOD’S WILL AND CARE

Offertory “*Christ lag in Todesbanden*”

Georg Philipp Telemann

*Doxology

Recessional Hymn “*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You*” #4

* Benediction

Postlude “*Prelude in G*”

J.S. Bach

Worship Participants

Pastor:	Rev. Philip Curran
Music Director:	Dr. William Powell, III
Ushers:	Carole & Garrett Kreimer
Greeters:	Blake Kreimer & Ruth Ann Engle
Lay Reader:	Ellen Garst
Acolyte:	Mason Saylor
Nursery:	Kim & Cole Stevens



The altar flowers today are placed by Terri Grimm and her family in loving memory of her mother and father. Anna Stup passed away on April 6, Anna and Bud would have celebrated their wedding anniversary on April 2, and Bud's birthday is today! Happy Birthday Daddy! We miss you more and more with each day.



The Second Mile Giving for April

The Frederick Center is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that serves the LGBTQ community and its allies. Its vision is to be the leading organization for LGBTQ resources and advocacy in central Maryland. There Mission is to support, educate, link organize and provide outreach to the LGBTQ community and its allies.

Walkersville Day

The Glade Guild will be participating in the annual Walkersville Day again this year on May 19th. We will be serving breakfast and lunch items along with a sweets table, serving from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Our fresh egg sandwich with sausage or bacon was a big hit last year along with our country ham sandwiches. This year we will be selling our baked items in individual servings. In the past, our customers were interested in individual servings versus buying the whole cake.

Would you like to take advantage of participating in the largest yard sale in Walkersville to clear out the items you have wanted to move on? You have this opportunity on May 19th, rent a space in Glade UCC's parking lot for \$10 or indoors for \$20 to sell your items. Spaces are limited, so reserve your spot early. Reservations are confirmed when payment is made to reserve the space. Please contact Bonnie Ogg, 301 606-3157 or Connie Rough, 301 639-3666 to reserve a space.

We also need help with preparing and serving the food or donating desserts for the sweets table.

Please come out and support this fund raiser.

WELCOMING FREDERICK

Saturday
May 5 **2018**

Hood College ▾ Whitaker Campus Commons Building
401 Rosemont Ave., Frederick MD 21701

Next Saturday, May 5th

For the second year, Glade UCC will be a sponsor of Welcoming Frederick, a one-day seminar sponsored by The Frederick Center, an organization with whom we have collaborated on a number of occasions. The seminar is for professionals in the fields of education, medicine, mental health, social

services, law enforcement, human resources and allied professions to learn about, discuss and create action plans to be more affirming to LGBTQ students, patients, clients, and colleagues. Family members of LGBTQ individuals will also find the program valuable.

As a sponsor, Glade has **two free passes** to attend the event. If you are interested, please contact Adriane Wodey at awodey@aol.com.



BEARing Witness to God's Love

Join us for the **Annual Girls Night Out NEXT Sunday, May 6, 2018** at 5:00 pm in the Church Social Hall. Please bring a main dish and either a side dish or dessert to share with your family and friends. Bring your favorite BEAR. Hope to see you there.

Huge Indoor Yard Sale

Homewood at Crumland Farms
7407 Willow Road
Friday, May 4th 8 a.m.—4 p.m.
Saturday, May 5th 8 a.m.—12 p.m.



SAVE THE DATE

Date: **Sunday, May 20th** at 4:45 p.m.

At the kitchen on All Saints Street in Frederick



As always we rely on your participation to make this effort a success. We ask for donations of mac & cheese, salad, rolls and cake and, of course, your time. There is a sign up sheet on the back table in the sanctuary.

What Works for Glade?

Email Adriane Wodey: awodey@aol.com or put in box on back table

Who are we? What do we stand for? What is important to us?

Based on the above answer, what programs would you like to see?



Calling all Graduates

Graduate Recognition Service will take place on Sunday, **June 10th at 10:00 a.m.** Please contact the office immediately if you or a loved one within the Glade family is graduating this year. We will send out a form to be completed in order to place the graduate in the Graduate Recognition Program. ***ALL FORMS*** are to be completed and returned to the office by **May 25th**.

Join Youth from Maryland to Maine

At the

Eastern Regional Youth Event 2018

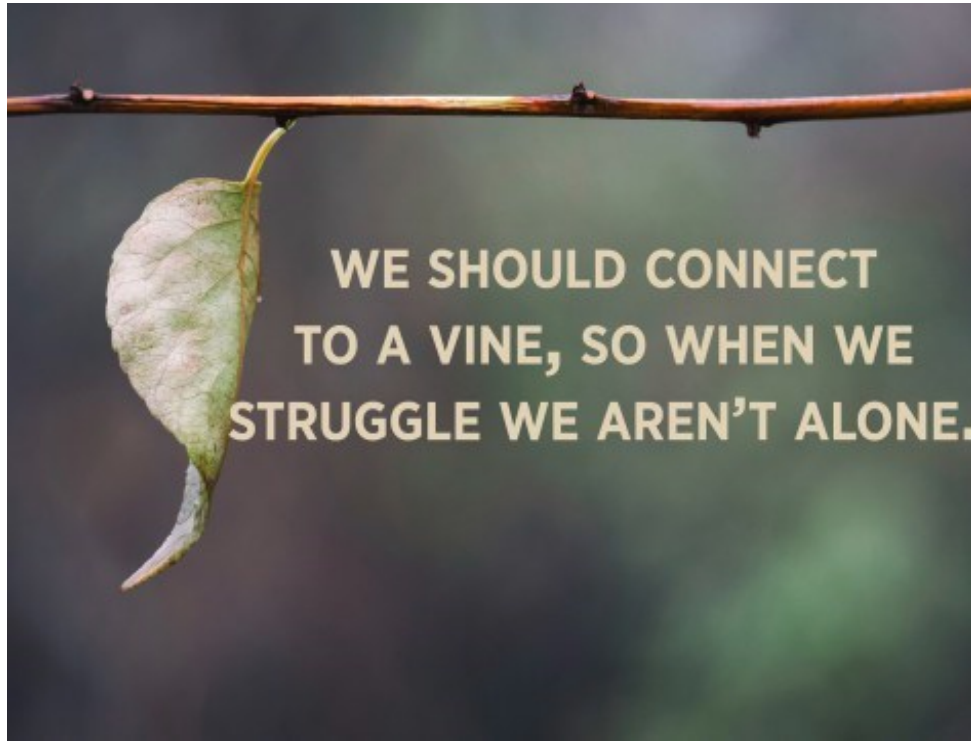
July 19-22

California University of Pennsylvania

Contemporary Live Music, Worship, Youth Workshops, Service Project,

Keynote Speakers, Special Gifts, Market Place

For more information or to register for the event, Visit eryeucc.org



THIS WEEK AT GLADE

Sun., April 29	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service 2:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery 6:30 p.m. LDM Fellowship Dinner (SH)
Wed., May 2	6:30 p.m. Handbell Choir Practice (SH) 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir Practice (FS) 7:45 p.m. LDM Activity (classrooms)
Sat., May 5	9:00 a.m. Walkersville High Alumni (SH) 5:00 p.m. LDM Music Practice
Sun., May 6	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service 2:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery 5:00 p.m. Girls Night Out (SH) 5:30 p.m. GYG Picnic and Games