



***GLADE UNITED
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

April 25, 2021 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 25, 2021

Gathering Music

Welcome

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Opening Music “*Intermezzo*” (Op. 118 No. 2) Johannes Brahms

*Call to Worship from Psalm 23

L: The Good Shepherd invites us to green pastures. We are refreshed beside still waters.

P: We have been given all that we have. God offers us everything we need.

L: When we walk through shadowed valleys, God is with us. We are comforted and reassured.

P: God leads us in right paths. Our cups are filled to overflowing.

L: God welcomes us to the table. We are invited to join in all God offers.

P: We have received plenty that we might share. We are called to love and serve one another.

Opening Prayer (Offered by all)

Good Shepherd and loving savior, you were willing to lay down your life for your sheep. We find comfort in knowing that you are with us, here in this time of worship and throughout our lives. We find strength in knowing that you lead us in paths that bring new life in you. We find peace in knowing that you continue to guide us to live as your children, loving and serving you and one another, in all that we do. Amen.

Scripture Readings: Acts 4:5-12; I John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18

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

P: Thanks be to God!

Sermon “*In Truth and Action*”

Rev. Amy Dows

*Musical Reflection “*The Lord’s My Shepherd/Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us*”
Bain/Bradbury

Sharing our Joys and Concerns
Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Pastor: Let us pray...

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.*

Doxology

*Benediction

Closing Music “*Sheep may Safely Graze*” J.S. Bach

Please follow the directions of the ushers

Worship Participants

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Amy Dows
Music Director: Dr. William Powell, III



The flowers are placed on the altar today as a witness to the glory and wonder of god.

Given by: The Altar Flower Fund

The Second Mile Giving for April



The Frederick Center is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to supporting, connecting and educating the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) community and its allies in Central Maryland. A student experiencing extreme bullying for his sexual orientation, his mother, and other adults came together to build a welcoming community for LGBTQ teens and adults in 2012. The Frederick Center proudly partners with over fifty governmental, non-governmental, non-profit, educational, and religious organizations.

Their Values are:

- *Treat all individuals with dignity and respect, empowering them to express themselves authentically and fearlessly.
- *Build and organize a community to support LGBTQ youth, adults, and families.
- *Educate our LGBTQ community about their rights, opportunities, and health; and educate our allies with regard to best practices, sensitivity, and more.

Food Bank Suggestions

All non-perishable food items are welcome. Clean plastic grocery bags are always needed. As well as food donations, cash donations are also accepted by the Glade Valley Community Services at P. O. Box 655, Walkersville, MD.



Thanks for supporting this project!

Calling all Graduates

Graduate Recognition Service will take place on Sunday, **May 23rd at 10:30 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 **Monday, May 17th.**



It's time to update the Church Directory



We would like to have all current contact information for this directory. Please include email addresses and cell phone numbers. Any events (i.e. cancellations or change in schedules) that we need to notify you about will be via the phone and or email, so it is VERY important we have current contact information. The contact information form is provided on page 15 of the latest issue of the Glade Tidings, and also on the table in the back of the sanctuary. Please mail forms to the church office or drop in the box at the rear of the sanctuary.

Mission Trip in August to West Virginia

Glade has been invited to participate in a mission trip with our UCC neighbors in Jefferson where Pastor Amy's father, Darrel Justh, just happens to lead that congregation.

For those interested in attending but missed last weeks Zoom call it was recorded, just follow the link below to watch the recording. On the call we discussed what we will be doing, the arrangements, cost, and other pertinent information.



https://us06web.zoom.us/rec/share/HotHguJU-IHtrMBFvNCH4pa1ViwifOmEla76XKkZHoYATu9F8dK1B1PK8uH-cOT2x.LcvSjfSvCvGCkn_A

Mission Trip for 2021 August 1 to 6

We will be going to the Appalachian Folklife Center at Pipestem, West Virginia. The cost is \$100 per person for building supplies. Currently we have sufficient funds to pay for most of the meals. You may camp in the state park or stay in the lodge at Pipestem. We will be working as a group at the Appalachian Folklife Center so we will not be interacting with other groups. This is one of the reasons we are hopeful that we will be able to take the trip. We will leave Sunday morning, August 1st and visit the Tamarack Center in Beckley WV. The center is a regional showcase of WV made arts & crafts. We will begin work on Monday, August 2nd.

Here is their website: <https://www.folklifecenter.org>

Order a Brick to Commemorate A Special Event

Commemorative bricks are again available for the Heritage Frederick Garden. These make great gifts for birthdays, graduation, mothers or fathers day.

Heritage Frederick has long been a repository of Frederick history for residents and visitors alike. A new program is blooming in the garden that will let you **honor special people and events in your past, present or future.**



The Commemorative Brick Program is available to anyone who would like to add a piece of their history to this important landmark.

For \$100, your custom engraved brick will be set into the existing pathways for all to see.

If you have questions about the program, contact: Adriane Wodey
awodey@aol.com or 301-221-3045

The sign up sheet for providing altar flowers for a Sunday in 2021 is on the bulletin board or you may call or email Tammie in the church office. Please consider signing up to provide them for a Sunday or two in the new year. You may place them in honor or memory of someone who is special to you. Consider selecting a Sunday that coincides with their birthday or another special day.



You may wish to give a donation to the altar flower fund instead. Make the check out to "Glade UCC" and on the memo line, write "Altar Flower Fund."

PRAYER REQUESTS

- * Kevin Dorsey, ALS
- * Jim Ball, health issues
- * Steve Angleberger, health issues
- * Charles Snow, health issues
- * Betty Baggett, health issues
- * Robert Turner, Lorijean Turner's uncle, cancer
- * Ron Rough, health issues
- * Jane Bopst, Jan Dinterman's Aunt health issues
- * Mike Peltzer, Lorijean Turner's childhood friend, cancer
- * Marlene Turner, Lorijean Turner's aunt, health issues
- * David O'Planick, health issues
- * Kathy Bonney, health issues
- * Wade Douglas, health issues
- * Gerry Hanberry, broken leg
- * Josh Flemming
- * Iris Echelberger, health issues
- * Bonnie Ogg, hip surgery

Join the Hummer family in a remembrance of Bernie Hummer on Sunday May 2, 2021. The family will be available before and after our worship service to reminisce with you.

Counters for May

Adraine Wodey & Lisa Jordre

THIS WEEK AT GLADE

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| Sun., April 25 | 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
(will also be available on Facebook Live and YouTube)
2:30 p.m. LDM Worship |
| Sun., May 3 | 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
(will also be available on Facebook Live and YouTube)
2:30 p.m. LDM Worship |

Trade, Technical, Vocational Scholarship Offered

The Peg and Orley Bourland Educational Assistance Fund is awarded Year-round through Glade Valley Community Services and The Community Foundation of Frederick. This scholarship is to provide need-based funds for post-secondary education in **trade, vocational or technical fields** to help defray the costs associated with **tuition, fees, testing, tutoring, trade tools, supplies, etc.**

Applicants' eligibility requirements are:

- **must be a resident of Walkersville feeder school pattern area**
- **must describe their financial need, career goals and specify how the funds will be used**
- **must be enrolled in an accredited post-secondary educational program**
- **The award is given to applicants who are pursuing vocational, technical and skilled trade fields (not 4 year degrees), including previous recipients**
- **The award(s) can be any amount needed but will not exceed \$1000 per year**
- **Applications are due a minimum of 30 days prior to when the funds need to be paid**

Applications are available at:

Glade Valley Food Bank, Walkersville High School, Career and Technology Center (CTC), Walkersville Public Library, Walkersville Town Hall, Woodsboro Town Hall, FCC and The Community Foundation of Frederick. They are also Available online at Naviance (WHS) and for printing online at www.GladeValley.org. The application can be emailed back to gvcs.inc@verizon.net. For more information, call the GVCS Office at 301-845-0213.

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