

# GLADE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

March 26, 2023 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

## March 26, 2023 Fifth Sunday in Lent

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Prelude "Moonlight Sonata—Adagio Sostenuto"

Ludwig van Beethoven

\*Opening Hymn "You Are the Way"

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\*Call to Worship from Psalm 126

L: Let our mouths be filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy.

P: Let it be said among the nations, "The Lord has done great things for them."

L: The Lord has done great things for us, let us rejoice.

P: May those who sow in tears, reap with shouts of joy.

L: Those who go out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing,

P: Shall come home with shouts of joy, carrying their sheaves.

#### \*Opening Prayer

Loving God, we come to this place of worship with our sadness and our tears knowing that in you our mouths will be filled with laughter and our tongues with shouts of joy. We come to remember and celebrate the great things that you have done for us and to rejoice in your presence. Amen.

Scripture Readings: Psalm 130; Romans 8:6-11; John 11:1-45

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

P: Thanks be to God!

Anthem "I Am the Resurrection"

Patti Drennan

Message

Chad Weddle

\*Hymn "Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"

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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.

### Invitation to Offering

Offertory "Verso in E Minor"

Domenico Zipoli

\*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

\*Closing Hymn "O Come to Me, You Weary"

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\*Benediction

Postlude "Ich ruf zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ"

J.S. Bach

\*Please stand as able in body or spirit

### **Worship Participants**

**Pastor:** Chad Weddle

Music Director: Dr. William Powell, III
Lay Reader: Irene Weddle & Bonnie Ogg



The flowers on the altar today are for the Glory of God, and in honor of Sharon & Henry Rinta's anniversary.

Given by Sharon & Henry Rinta

## The Second Mile Giving for March



Would you like to put your love for others into actions? Putting love into actions is a call to us to help our neighbors, near and far, as we have the ability. The Apostle Paul reminds us, just as he did the Corinthians so long ago, that the greatest expression of our connection to others is the way we love them.

Your generous gift to One Great Hour of Sharing – United Church of Christ enables our church and our worldwide partners to make a difference in the lives and communities around the world. Together, we are responding to disasters, supporting sustainable farming, education, and health initiatives, as well as pitching in to assist people fleeing violence from their home communities.

We receive this offering with joy, believing that, with everything else going on in the world, that love remains.

## **Food Bank Items for March**



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.

The sign up sheet for providing altar flowers for a Sunday in 2023 is on the bulletin board. 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."





The Frederick East Classical School is hosting "The Sound of Music" here at Glade on Friday, March 31st. Show times will be 3:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. in the social hall. There will be 2 performances on March 31st, but the 6 pm show is sold out. Tickets are \$6 each. You can purchase tickets here:

https://psquaredproductions.com/soundofmusic/

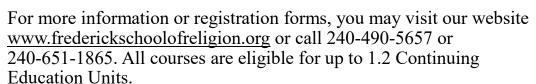
## The 39th Frederick School of Religion

8 classes covering a broad range of topics:

WHEN: Monday and Tuesday afternoons (1-3 PM) Monday & Tuesday evenings (7-9 PM),

for six weeks starting April 17, 2023

WHERE: Trinity United Methodist Church 703 West Patrick Street, Frederick, MD 21701





At the Sight & Sound Theater Thursday, May 18, 2023 \$160 Per Person

8:00 a.m. Departure from: St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Includes: Performance, Buffet Lunch at Millers, Taxes & Gratuities, and Motorcoach Transportation

For More Information & Reservations:

Kay's Travel—Kay Wachter— 7943 Yellow Springs Rd, Frederick, MD - 301-693-5256





# Plan to join Glade UCC for Holy Week April 2<sup>nd</sup>—April 9<sup>th</sup>

This year's special services surrounding Holy Week and Easter are:

- Palm Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>
- Maundy Thursday Service, April 6<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m.
- Good Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, Chad & Bill will be posting a recording to Facebook
- Easter Sunday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, worship at 10:30 a.m.



## **April Counters**

Ron Rough & Shannon Jordre

Articles for the April & May issue of Glade Tidings will be due in the office **ASAP**.

There will be a Guild meeting **TODAY** following worship.

## **Inclement Weather Policy**

Sunday morning worship services will be cancelled when the snow emergency plan is in effect at 8:00 a.m. in Frederick County.

In the event there is inclement weather, but a snow emergency has not been declared for Frederick County, please check our Facebook Page, Webpage or call the church office to check our voicemail for further details.

Cancellation announcements will be issued on our Facebook page, our website at <a href="https://www.gladechurch.org">www.gladechurch.org</a>,, and our phone line 301-845-6775

While we would love to see everyone in church on Sunday morning, we do not want anyone to hurt themselves trying to get to church. If you have any doubts about the driving and walking conditions, please make your personal safety your highest priority.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- \*Jim Ball, health issues
- \*Charles Snow, health issues
- \*Betty Baggett, health issues
- \*Marlene Turner, Lorijean Turner's aunt, health issues
- \*Wayne Duncan, Leo Duncan's brother, health issues
- \*Roxie Underwood, Frances Cecil's sister, brain surgery
- \*Rod Baumert, Bill Powell's, father-in-Law, health issues
- \*Patsy Wiles-Bowers, back surgery
- \*Rob Andercyk, friend of Lorijean Turner, back issues



\* David O'Planick, health issues \* Ralph Whitmore, health issues

Sun., March 26	10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.	Worship Service Guild Meeting following worship LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery
Mon., March 27	8:00 a.m. 3:30 p.m.	FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms) FEC Play Practice (SH & Stage)
Tue., March 28	5:30 p.m.	Girl Scout Info Session (SH)
Wed., March 29	1	FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms) FEC Play Practice (SH & Stage) Hand Bell Choir Practice Senior Choir Practice
Thur., March 30	10:00 a.m.	FEC Play Practice (SH & Stage)
Fri., March 31	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED  10:00 a.m. FEC Play Practice (SH & Stage)  3:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. showtimes	
Sun., April 2		y Worship Service LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery



### **GLADE UCC STAFF**

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