

***GLADE UNITED
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

September 17, 2023 10:30 a.m.

Welcome Members, Friends, and Visitors!

“To experience and share the love of Jesus Christ”



Glade

United Church of Christ

WE CENTER OURSELVES ON GOD

Welcome to a time of Sabbath, rest, and renewal

September 17, 2023

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Prelude “Prelude on “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty””

J. Wayne Kerr

*Opening Hymn “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Insert

*Call to Worship from Psalm 116

L: Love the Lord because your voice and supplications are heard.

P: Because I have been heard I will call on the Lord as long as I live.

L: Gracious is the Lord, and righteous; our God is merciful.

P: The Lord protects us and saves us when we are brought low.

L: Love the Lord because your voice and supplications are heard.

P: I walk before the Lord in the land of the living.

***Opening Prayer**

Gracious and righteous God, we bring with us into this time of worship the cares of the world that weigh on our hearts and our minds. We know that you hear us when we cry out to you, and that in handing all our cares to you we are lifted up. We worship you and give you thanks for the love and mercy you show to those who walk in your ways. Amen.

Scripture Readings: Psalm 103:1-8; Romans 14:1-12; Matthew 18: 21-35

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

P: Thanks be to God!

Anthem “*Laudamus Te*”

Natalie Sleeth

Message

Chad Weddle

*Hymn “*Jesus, I Live to You*”

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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

Invitation to Offering

Offertory "*Verso in E Minor*"

Domenico Zipoli

*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn "*Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer*"

#18

*Benediction

Postlude "*Toccata on 'Praise to the Lord, the Almighty'*"

J. Wayne Kerr

*Please stand as able in body or spirit

Worship Participants

Pastor: Chad Weddle
Music Director: Dr. William Powell, III
Lay Reader: Patty Green



The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and to honor Irene Weddle for 23 years of dealing with Chad. RIGHT!

Second Mile Giving for September



The Mental Health Association of Frederick County has served the community as a private, non-profit organization since 1965. A leader in creating services that respond to the changing mental health needs in our community, the Mental Health Association of Frederick County is a place where people can be heard and receive support. Their programs aspire to promote positive mental health and offer not just education, but the support and compassion needed to make real and lasting changes in the lives of those they serve. Your support enables them to provide suicide/crisis intervention, professional therapy services on a sliding scale basis, trained advocates for children in the foster care system, and child abuse prevention programs that strengthen and empower Frederick's children and families.

Food Bank Items for September

Back to school days! Kids can't learn when they are hungry; they do much better in school on full stomachs and good nutrition all day, every day. Yes, some get free breakfast and lunch at school, but what about after school and the evening meal? What about weekends and school holidays? The Glade Valley Food Bank addresses this need for families in our community.



Most needed items at this time are:

Boxed Potatoes	Soup	Macaroni-n-cheese
Hamburger Helper	Canned Pasta	Canned Meat
Canned Fruit (15 oz.)	Peanut Butter	Juice (64 oz.)
Cereal		

Clean plastic bags are always needed, cash donations are also accepted by the Glade Valley Community Services at P.O. Box 655, Walkersville, MD 21793.

Join us Community Table TODAY



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. The sign up sheet is on the back table in the sanctuary.

Glade UCC Lottery Raffle

**FUNDRAISER
RAFFLE**

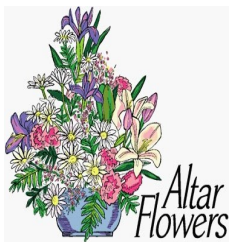
We will be having our 4th Annual MD Lottery Raffle again in February. The raffle will be held the entire month of February 2024. The daily winner will be determined by the MD Evening Pick 3 Straight Lottery Number. Winners will be notified by Phone. \$10 per ticket there will only be 1000 tickets sold.

Contact Ron Rough, 301-639-3834 if you would like to help sell tickets or if you are interested in purchasing tickets.

Would you like to become a member of Glade?

Are you or someone you know interested in joining Glade UCC? We will be welcoming new members to Glade on a Sunday TBD this fall. All who feel called to join will be welcome to do so. Please see Chad or Bonnie for more information.





There are several Sunday's available this fall for providing altar flowers. Please consider signing up to provided them for a Sunday this fall. 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. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the hall.

There will be a Guild meeting TODAY, following worship to discuss the church dinner and upcoming fall/winter events. All are welcome to attend.

Articles for the October/November issue of Glade Tidings are due in the office Tomorrow, Monday, September 18th.

Trade / Technical Scholarship for Walkersville Area Residents Being Offered

The Peg and Orley Bourland Educational Assistance Fund is being awarded annually through The Community Foundation of Frederick. This scholarship's purpose is to provide financially need-based funds for post-secondary educational goals in trade or technical fields and/or help underwriting the costs associated with tuition, fees, testing, trade tools, supplies, etc. Applicants' eligibility requirements are: must be a resident of Walkersville school district ("feeder school pattern area"), must describe their financial need, career goals, specify how the funds will be used, etc. Preference is given to applicants who are entering the vocational, technical and skilled trade fields (not 4 year degrees). The award will be dependent on need and range from \$300 - \$1000. Hard copy applications are available at Walkersville High School, Career and Technology Center (CTC), Glade Valley Food Bank, Walkersville Public Library, Walkersville Town Hall, Woodsboro Town Hall, FCC and The Community Foundation of Frederick. Applications can also be downloaded from GladeValley.org and FrederickCountyGives.org. For information call the GVCS Office at 301-845-0213 or email: gladevalley.org@gmail.com.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Jim Ball, 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
- *Joyce Shry, passing of her best friend
- *Sandy Miller, friend of Bonnie Ogg, cancer
- *Wayne Bruchey, recovery from back surgery
- *Lynn Stevenson, Marsha Bruchey's cousin, neurological health issues
- *George Wages, father of Tammie Shumaker, health issues
- *Charles Snow, health issues
- *David O'Planick, health issues
- *Beverly Shoemaker, health issues
- *Ralph Whitmore, health issues
- *Pastor Amy Dows, hip & back pain



Our deepest condolences to Bob Stull on the passing of his sister Geraldine (Gerry) Garlock. If you would like to send a card, Bob's address is below.

Bob Stull: 3030 Mill Island Parkway, Unit 106,
Frederick, MD 21701



This Week at Glade

Sun., September 17	10:30 a.m. Worship Service 3:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery
Mon., September 18	8:00 a.m. FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms) 7:00 p.m. Girl Scout Leader Meeting (SH)
Wed., September 20	8:00 a.m. FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms) 6:45 p.m. Bell Choir Practice (SH) 7:45 p.m. Senior Choir Practice (FS)
Thur., September 21	5:00 p.m. Lions Club Event (SH)
Fri., September 22	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
Sat., September 23	FIRST DAY OF FALL
Sun., September 24	10:30 a.m. Worship Service 3:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery

**“To say it was
a beautiful day would
not begin to explain it.
It was that day when
the end of summer
intersects perfectly
with the start of fall.”**

— ANN PATCHETT



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