



***GLADE UNITED  
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

***May 7, 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*

**May 7, 2023**

Glade Matters

*Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family*

Prelude “Holy Manna”

Dale Wood

\*Opening Hymn “Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

#400

\*Call to Worship

Leader: Jesus said, I go and prepare a place for you, and I will come again.

**All: We gather in this place to know your presence and your love, now and always.**

Leader: Jesus said, I am the way, and the truth, and the life. If you know me, you know God.

**All: We pray to know you more deeply, that we may know God more intimately, now and always.**

Leader: Jesus said, Ask me for anything, and I will do it.

**All: Help us to ask for the right things, Lord Jesus Christ, that we may fulfill your will, now and always.**

Leader: Jesus said, Believe in me, and Follow me.

**All: Help us to worship you fully believing and following – now and always!**

**Opening Prayer (Offered by all)**

Ever-gracious, Way-Making God, we celebrate the gifts of your Spirit. You have not fed us a diet of shame or shrinking, but with the milk of your truth you have made us strong and faithful servants of Christ. You call us to take up the mantle of justice and to follow wherever faith leads us. You fill us with strength and hope, and you invite us to share in the cost and joys of discipleship. You promise us splendor and beauty in this life and in the world to come. Meet us here, we pray, that your word will be fulfilled in our hearing and that your Spirit will fill us with courage. Amen.

Scripture Readings: Acts 7:55-60; 1 Peter 2:2-210; John 14:1-14

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

**P: Thanks be to God!**

Anthem “Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life”

Herbert/Hopson

Message

Chad Weddle

\*Hymn “*You Are the Way*” #40

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 “*The Call*”

Ralph Vaughan Williams

\*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

### **SERVICE OF COMMUNION**

*Follow communion service beginning on the bottom of page 5 in  
The New Century Hymnal*

\*Seraphic Hymn “*Holy, Holy, Holy*” #795

\*Closing Hymn “*God Will Take Care of You*” #460

\*Benediction

Postlude “*Trumpet Tune*”

Henry Purcell

\*Please stand as able in body or spirit

#### **Worship Participants**

<b>Pastor:</b>	Chad Weddle
<b>Music Director:</b>	Dr. William Powell, III
<b>Lay Reader:</b>	Bonnie Ogg



The flowers on the altar today are in memory of  
my husband Donald Cecil's birthday.

Given by his loving wife, Frances.

## The Second Mile Recipient for May Homewood Retirement Centers

The Homewood Foundation is proud to serve residents living within Homewood Retirement Communities. Our efforts revolve around securing charitable support for three areas of focus:



- Benevolent care for Homewood residents who outlive their financial resources.
- Capital campaigns for community enhancements.
- Special projects and activities within the Homewood Communities.

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### Food Bank Items for May

The food bank is currently in need of the following items:



Spaghetti noodles	Pasta Sauce	Canned Pasta
Boxed Potatoes	Cereal	Canned Fruit
Individual fruit cups	Peanut Butter	Toilet Paper

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.

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### *Calling all Graduates*

**Graduate Recognition Service** will take place on Sunday, **May 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:30 a.m.** Please contact the office 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 **NEXT Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>.**



## Walkersville Day - May 20<sup>th</sup>

Once again this year, the Guild will be participating in the community's Walkersville Day. We will be serving breakfast and lunch along with our famous sweets table. We will be serving from 7:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. We also will be renting space for anyone who would like to set up their yard sale items. Tables are \$10 outside and \$15 for inside. Please contact Connie Rough, 301 639-3666 to reserve your table. Payment must be made in advance for the spaces.



Again this year, the Guild will have our own yard sale table. If you would like to donate your treasures you no longer have use for, we will be accepting donations Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup> 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. We will **NOT ACCEPT** electronics, (which includes TVs), large appliances, clothing or tires.

We are also asking for donations for the Sweets Table. Please bring your baked items by the church on Friday night or Saturday morning. Sweets Table items will be sold as individual servings. We are known for our wonderful baked items and they sell very well. Please consider donating for the Sweets Table.

We **NEED YOUR HELP** this year. We need to staff the kitchen, taking the orders and retrieving the food to fill the orders and clean up. also please consider volunteering to help set up on Friday night and/or Saturday. This is a great community event, it is a fun day seeing our friends and family from the town as well as a great fund raiser.

Please contact Connie Rough, Patty Green or Bonnie Ogg for more information.

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## *Community Table May 21<sup>st</sup>*



Our next Community Table will be **May 21<sup>st</sup> at 4:15**. We are normally done around 7:00 p.m. We would love to welcome you to our team. Our work is appreciated and we enjoy serving together. If you are concerned about getting to and from the site, contact Adriane Wodey at [awodey@aol.com](mailto:awodey@aol.com) or phone (301-221-3045). We can arrange a ride for you.

## **2022 Mission Trip Sunset Gap, TN June 4-10**

Again this year, Glade UCC will be teaming up with Jefferson UCC and heading to Sunset Gap, TN for our mission trip. We will work on the property Monday—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are days for you to enjoy Pigeon Forge TN. David, Bonnie & Hailey Ogg and Lorie Jean Turner are all going back this year. The folks from the Jefferson UCC are a great group to work with. If anyone is interested or has questions please contact Bonnie Ogg.

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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.”



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The church office will also be closed  
Tomorrow, Monday May 8th.

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### **Ice Machine for Knee Sugery**

Jan Dinterman is looking to borrow an ice machine for Tim's knee replacement surgery recovery next month, if anyone has one that she could borrow for a few weeks. Please contact her at: 301-401-7610

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### **May Counters**

Carole Kreimer & Bob Watson

The consistory will meet via  
**Zoom on Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>  
at 7:30 p.m.**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Jim Ball, health issues</li> <li>*Charles Snow, health issues</li> <li>*Betty Baggett, health issues</li> <li>*Marlene Turner, Lorie Jean Turner's aunt, health issues</li> <li>*Wayne Duncan, Leo Duncan's brother, health issues</li> <li>*Roxie Underwood, Frances Cecil's sister, brain surgery</li> <li>*Rod Baumert, Bill Powell's, father-in-law, health issues</li> <li>*Patsy Wiles-Bowers, back surgery</li> <li>*Rob Andercyk, friend of Lorie Jean Turner, back issues</li> <li>*Pastor Amy Dows, hip &amp; back pain</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* David O'Planick, health issues</li> <li>* Ralph Whitmore, health issues</li> <li>* Beverly Shoemaker, health issues</li> </ul> |
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Sun., May 7	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	3:30 p.m.	LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery
Mon., May 8	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	
	8:00 a.m.	FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms)
	7:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Leader Meeting (SH)
Tue., May 9	7:30 p.m.	Consistory Meeting via Zoom
Wed., May 10	8:00 a.m.	FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms)
	6:45 p.m.	Hand Bell Choir Practice (SH)
	7:45 p.m.	Senior Choir Practice (FS)
Thur., May 11	6:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop Meeting (Classrooms)
Fri., May 12	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	
Sat., May 13	5:00 p.m.	LDM Band Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
Sun., May 14	MOTHER'S DAY	
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	3:30 p.m.	LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery





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