

***GLADE UNITED
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

October 29, 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

October 29, 2023

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Prelude “*Ubi Caritas*”

Charles Callahan

*Opening Hymn “*A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*”

#439

*Call to Worship

L: The Lord has been our dwelling place in all generations.

P: From everlasting to everlasting, God is God, and so we come to worship.

L: God satisfies us every morning with steadfast love;

P: Let us rejoice and be glad all our days.

L: Tell of God’s glorious power and praise God’s holy name.

P: We will offer God the work of our hands and praise from the depths of our hearts.

*Prayer for Our Humanity (Unison)

P: God, our God, You are gracious and loving, holy and eternal; Your love is steadfast, Your presence ever near. Your wisdom is older than time and as fresh as the morning dew. Your name has come to us through the centuries, yet You can always do a new thing to draw us back to You. God, Creator, Christ and Spirit, we offer You our prayers and praise this day in humble expectation; surprise us in this time of worship and refresh our readiness to serve You.

God, our God, You know our hearts, the times we truly loved one another and the times we merely tolerated each other. You know our minds, the times we truly focused on You and the times we pursued our own purposes. Forgive us those times we went our own way, and renew our commitment to live lives marked by Your grace. Amen.

Scripture Readings: Deuteronomy 34:1-12, Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17, Matthew 22:34-46

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

P: Thanks be to God!

Anthem “*Lord, I Want to Be a Christian*”

arr. Mark Cabaniss

Message

Diane Flickinger

*Hymn *“More Love to You, O Christ”*

#456

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray...

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

Reformation Sunday

Invitation to Offering

Offertory *“Andante”*

Andrew Clarke

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

Gracious God, bless these tithes and offerings, returned to you. Multiply them and use them to bring the word and touch of Jesus to this community and through out the world. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

*Closing Hymn *“Love, Divine, All Loves Excelling”*

#43

*Benediction

Postlude *“Fugue in G Minor”*

J.S. Bach

*Please stand as able in body or spirit

Worship Participants

Guest Speaker: Diane Flickinger
Guest Musician: Dr. William Powell, III
Lay Reader: Irene Weddle



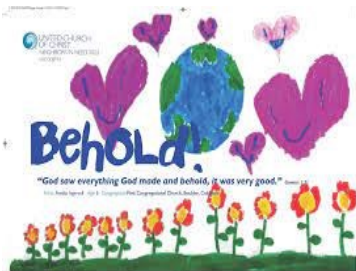
The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and in memory of my mom’s Birthday. Happy Birthday Mom!

Given by Sharon & Henry Rinta

Welcome back and Thank you to Diane Flickinger for providing our worship service for us today, while Chad takes a much needed Sunday of rest. Diane is a member of St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Westminster MD. She is active in her local church and our Association; and has attended both Central Atlantic Conference Annual Meetings and General Synods as a delegate. Diane is currently chairperson of Association Services and serves on the Catoctin Association Council. Diane is a graduate of Hood College and the Catoctin Lay Ministry School. She and her husband Richard live near Union Bridge, where they raise crops and cattle.



Second Mile Giving for October Neighbors in Need



In 2023, the Neighbors in Need “**BEHOLD!**” theme continues. This year’s focus is on environmental justice. Plastics, electronics, and other non-compostable wastes are being shipped across, and even tossed into, our waterways, launched into space, as well as buried in landfills. As people of faith, we believe these egregious acts are sinful and unholy. We must be better stewards of our planet! Join us by promoting this year’s NIN “Behold!” campaign at your church. As you may recall, one-third of the offering supports Council for American Indian Ministry (CAIM). Two-thirds are used by Justice and Witness Ministries to provide grants to UCC churches and organizations as well as supporting a variety of justice initiatives,

Food Bank Items for October

With the holiday’s quickly approaching, suggested items for October & November are: Canned pie filling, sweet potatoes, green beans, canned soup, applesauce, corn, stuffing mix & canned cranberry sauce. The food bank is also distributing personal care items and would appreciate donations of toothpaste & shampoo.



Most needed items at this time are:

Canned Pasta
Canned Fruit
Canned Tuna

Baked Beans
Spaghetti Sauce
Peanut Butter

Boxed Crackers
Macaroni & Cheese
Cereal



We're getting ready for Glade Church's largest fund raiser!!



The Fall Dinner and Bazaar!
Friday, **November 3rd 4-7 p.m.**
Saturday, **November 4th 12-5 p.m.**

All dinners are served Buffet style including lots of side dishes.
Dinners are served at the Walkersville Fire Hall!
79 West Frederick Street, Walkersville, MD

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.

On Sunday, **November 5th**, during the worship service, we will acknowledge all members who have passed away since last All Saints Sunday. All the names that are submitted to the office will be published in the All Saints Sunday Program. In addition to reading the names of those members who have died this past year, a candle will be placed for each of them at the remembrance table and will be lit in their memory.



**The All Saints forms must be in the office by
TOMORROW October 30, 2023**

Poinsettia orders due Monday, November 6th

Don't forget to order your Christmas Poinsettia. Orders are due in the office no later than **Monday, November 6th**. There is an order form in the back of the latest issue of Glade Tidings on page 23, as well as on the back table in the sanctuary. You can mail or drop your order with payment off at the church office, or place in the box that is on the table in the back of the sanctuary.



The poinsettia's decorate our altar during the Christmas season, please consider placing one for your loved ones during this time.

Annual Walkersville Christkindlmarket Christmas Parade



We are currently looking for participants for our Annual Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 2nd. For more information or to sign up contact Chris Torbeck at chrisuebel@hotmail.com

We are currently searching for someone to take over the parade entry for Glade. Shannon and Lisa Jordre still have the decorations we used last year and they can be used again. Please contact Chris Torbeck if you would be interested in taking this over.



We are looking for two members to be apart of the Consistory beginning January 2024 for a three year term. If you are interested please see Bonnie Ogg or any current member of the consistory.

PRAYER REQUESTS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Jim Ball, health issues *Marlene Turner, Lorigean 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 *Pastor Amy Dows, hip & back pain *Sandy Miller, friend of Bonnie Ogg, cancer *Wayne Bruchey, recovery from back surgery *Lynn Stevenson, Marsha Bruchey's cousin, neurological health issues *Jorge Duarte, Lorigean Turners, 2nd dad, serious health issues *Nancy Sweet, health issues | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Charles Snow, health issues *David O'Planick, health issues *Beverly Shoemaker, health issues *Ralph Whitmore, health issues |
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This Week at Glade

Sun., October 29	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	3:30 p.m.	LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery
Mon., October 30	8:00 a.m.	FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms)
Tue., October 31	HAPPY HALLOWEEN	
Wed., November 1	8:00 a.m.	FEC Home School Co-Op (SH, FS, Classrooms)
Thur., November 2	6:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop Meeting (FS)
Fri., November 3	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	
	4:00 p.m.	Fall Dinner (Walkersville Fire Hall)
Sat., November 4	12:00 p.m.	Fall Dinner (Walkersville Fire Hall)
Sun., November 5	10:30 a.m.	All Saints Sunday—Worship Service
	3:30 p.m.	LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery



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