



***GLADE UNITED
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

March 2, 2025 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
March 2, 2025

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Prelude "*Elevation*"

Jean Langlais

*Opening Hymn "*We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding*"

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Call to Worship from Psalm 99

L: The Lord sits enthroned upon the cherubim. Let the people tremble and the earth quake!

P: The Lord is great in Zion and is exalted over all the peoples.

L: Praise the great and awesome name of the Lord.

P: The Lord is just and righteous.

L: The Lord answers those who call on his name.

P: We will worship at God's holy mountain and extol the Lord our God.

Opening Prayer

Mighty and exalted God, we gather to worship your holy name, to extol your power and might, and to call out to you in our need. Remove anything that prevents us from seeing you clearly. Quiet our minds and our fears so that we might live fully according to your will. Amen.

Scripture Readings: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2; Luke 9:28-43a

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

P: Thanks be to God!

Anthem "*I Come With Joy a Child of God*"

Wren/Marcus

Message

Chad Weddle

*Hymn "*Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain*"

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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 the Offering

Offertory “*Hyfrydol*”

Charles Callahan

*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 “*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*” #43

*Benediction

Postlude “*Toccata*”

Théodore Dubois

*Please stand as able in body or spirit

Worship Participants

Pastor:	Chad Weddle
Music Director:	Dr. William Powell, III
Lay Reader:	Bob Watson



The flowers on the altar today are given by Ken Wisner in memory of Shirley Ann Wisner to honor their wedding anniversary.

The Second Mile Giving for March



Be the Light with One Great Hour of Sharing Our 2nd Mile Giving Recipient for March!

Join the United Church of Christ's special mission offering, One Great Hour of Sharing and be a beacon of hope around the globe. Our participation makes a difference in disaster response, refugee/immigration support, and development initiatives worldwide.

When you give to One Great Hour of Sharing, you are light for people in need. You offer light when disasters strike, and when chronic conditions threaten families and communities. You are light not just in the immediate future, but also for the long haul. When you give, you restore not only structures, but also transform lives. Your gift ensures that no matter how difficult the situation, light shines. Be the light. Give to One Great Hour of Sharing.

Be the light of compassion and change lives with One Great Hour of Sharing. Illuminate the path to a brighter future for those in need.

Food Bank Items for March

Let's help our neighbors chase away the chill of winter with donations of coffee, low-fat/low-sugar instant creamers, hot chocolate, tea bags, canned soups, and oatmeal.

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.



2024 Annual Report and 2025 Budget and Updated Church Directory Now Available!!

The updated church directory, 2024 Annual Report, and 2025 Budget are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please only take one of each per family. If you need a copy of the directory, Annual Report, or Budget emailed or mailed to you, please feel free to request one.

Glade's 275th Anniversary in 2025!

This year marks an incredible milestone—Glade's 275th anniversary! We want to plan a special celebration later this year, and we're looking for committee members to help make it happen.

If you're interested in joining the planning committee, add your name to the sign-up sheet located on the table at the back of the sanctuary.



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United Church of Christ
Celebrating 275 years
1750-2025



The Church & Ministry Committee is seeking additional members to join the team. They are also forming a Pastor Search Committee and looking for members to help with the process. If you're interested in joining either committee, please reach out to Lorijeane Turner. Your involvement would be greatly appreciated!

Easter Flower Orders Due Monday, March 24th

The deadline to submit your order for Easter flowers is Monday, March 24th. You'll find the order form on page 23 of the latest issue of the Glade Tidings or on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

These flowers add such beauty to our Easter altar and make the celebration even more special!



Spring Guild Meeting

The Glade Guild will meet immediately following worship on Sunday, March 16th. We will be discussing plans for the Homewood Birthday Party, Walkersville Day, and other upcoming activities. All are welcome to attend—we hope to see you there!

The sign up sheet for providing altar flowers for a Sunday in 2025 is on the table in the back of the church. 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.”



Tammie is looking for volunteers to help with altar flower pickup on Sundays when the Altar Flower Fund provides the arrangements. Having a rotation will ensure the responsibility is shared. If you’re able to help, let Tammie know. Your support is greatly appreciated!

<p><u>March Lay Readers</u></p> <p>2 - Bob Watson 9 - Irene Weddle 16 - Megan Howk 23 - Jan Dinterman 30 - Bonnie Ogg</p>	<p><u>March Counters</u></p> <p>Patty Green & Chris Howk</p>
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Don’t be late for church next week. Remember to set your clocks ahead before bed next Saturday.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Jim Ball, health issues
- *Marlene Turner, Lori Jean Turner's aunt, health issues
- *Wayne Duncan, Leo Duncan's brother, health issues
- *Rod Baumert, Bill Powell's father-in-law, health issues
- *Lynn Stevenson, Marsha Bruchey's cousin, neurological health issues
- *Lisa Andercyk, Lori Jean Turner's college roommate, neurological issues
- *Kimberly Iman, Betty Baggett's daughter, breast cancer
- *Roya Dapkus, friend of Tammie Shumaker, health issues
- *Wendy Short, sister of Tammie Shumaker, cancer
- *Dale Manis, cousin of Darrell Johnson, cancer
- *George Wages, father of Tammie Shumaker, health issues
- *Bill Scheele, recovery from knee replacement
- *Kate Powell, mother of Bill Powell, health issues
- *Lou Messler, brother in law of Becky Duncan, badly broken leg
- *Clairbeth Lehn, cousin of Heather Johnson, MS
- *Charles Snow, health issues
- *David O'Planick, health issues



Sun., March 2	10:30 a.m. Worship 3:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery
Mon., March 3	7:00 p.m. 4-H Meeting (SH)
Tue., March 4	6:00 p.m. Daisy Troop Meeting (SH)
Wed., March 5	ASH WEDNESDAY 6:45 p.m. Bell Choir Practice 7:45 p.m. Choir Practice
Fri., March 7	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED 6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop Meeting (SH)
Sat., March 8	9:00 a.m. Walkersville Alumni Meeting (SH)
Sun., March 9	DON'T FORGET TO SPRING FORWARD FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT 10:30 a.m. Worship 3:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery



GLADE UCC STAFF

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