

***GLADE UNITED
CHURCH OF CHRIST***

September 22, 2024 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 22, 2024

Glade Matters

Shared moments of information and inspiration about our church family

Prelude “*Be Thou My Vision*”

Paul Manz

Opening Hymn “*Be Now My Vision*”

#451

*Call to Worship

L: We start a new day full of possibilities.

P: God has prepared a way for us.

L: We wish to know how we should travel the road.

P: God is our guiding shepherd.

L: We seek knowledge for our journey.

P: God has provided a font of wisdom and invites us to drink.

*Prayer of Invocation (Offered by all)

Loving God, we have a long road to travel, but when we try to go it alone, we are soon lost and do not know which way to turn. We listen to false guides who mislead us. Stones and thorns injure us. Swollen rivers and deep chasms block our way. We are overwhelmed and call out like lost sheep.

Oh God, our true guide, lead us in the way of righteousness and wisdom. Help us participate fully in your loving kingdom. Show us the true path, and shepherd us to your abundant green pastures.

Scripture Readings: James 3:13-4:8; Mark 9:30-37

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

P: Thanks be to God!

Anthem “*Song of Fellowship*”

Besig/Price

Message

Chad Weddle

*Hymn “*Won't You Let Me Be Your Servant?*”

#539

Sharing our Joys and Concerns
Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.
Pastor: Let us pray...

Prayer (Lords Prayer—Debts & Debtors)

Invitation to Offering

Offertory “*Christ Jesus Who Maketh Us Glad*” Marcel Dupré

*Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn “*Blessed Assurance*” #473

*Benediction

Postlude “*Rigaudon*” André Campra

*Please stand as able in body or spirit

Worship Participants

Pastor: Chad Weddle
Music Director: Dr. William Powell, III
Lay Reader: Shannon Jordre



The flowers are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the first day of fall, let's enjoy the beauty around us and the blessings it brings.

Altar Flower Fund

September 2nd Mile Giving



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.

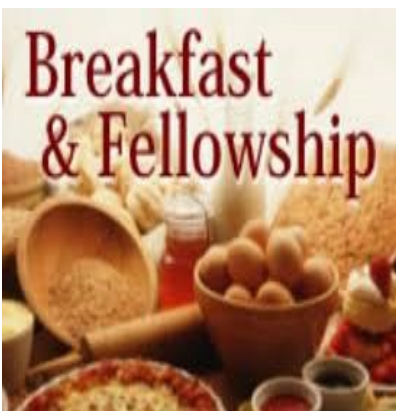


Most needed items at this time are:

**Boxed Crackers
Spaghetti Noodles**

**Peanut Butter
Spaghetti Sauce**

Cereal



Fall Fellowship Breakfast

Sunday, October 13th

9:15 a.m.

Come enjoy a delicious breakfast with friends and fellowship before church. It's the perfect way to start your day in community and prepare your hearts for worship.

Eggs & Sausage will be provided please bring a side dish or drink to share.

SAVE THE DATES

Glade Church Fall Dinner!!!

Friday, November 1st and Saturday November 2nd.

Fall will be here before we know it. That means the delicious Glade Church Fried Oysters, Ham and Roast Turkey will be back. Mark these dates on your calendars so you can join us to prepare a successful dinner. It takes **ALL OF US** to handle all the activities, planning, preparing, setting up, food prep, serving tables, cleaning up, just to mention a few opportunities.



Glade UCC Lottery Raffle



We will be having our 5th Annual MD Lottery Raffle again in February. The raffle will be held the entire month of February 2025. 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.

The sign up sheet for providing altar flowers for a Sunday this fall is on the bulletin board. Please consider signing up to provide them for a Sunday or two 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. 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 Walkersville
Christkindlmarket Committee**

**Invites You to Participate in the 4th Annual
Walkersville Christkindlmarket**

CHRISTMAS PARADE



**Date: Saturday, December 7, 2024
Line Up: 9:00 a.m. Parade begins: 10:00 am
To enter please contact Chris Torbeck.
chrisuebel@hotmail.com or 240-397-1727**

****Glade is looking for volunteers to design, organize & lead
our float. Contact Chris Torbeck if interested.**

****Seeking Additional Lay Readers for 2025****

We are looking for more Lay Readers to join us in 2025. This is a wonderful opportunity to participate more fully in our worship services. If you're interested or would like more information, please reach out to Bonnie Ogg.

****Consistory Members Needed for 2025****

As we prepare for the new year, we are seeking 3 new Consistory members to replace those who will be completing their terms in 2024. If you are interested in serving our church in this capacity, please speak with any current member of the Consistory for more information.

Articles for the October/November issue of Glade Tidings are due in the office ASAP.

Today's Counters

Patty Green & Bob Watson

PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Jim Ball, health issues
- *Marlene Turner, Lorijean Turner's aunt, health issues
- *Wayne Duncan, Leo Duncan's brother, health issues
- *Rod Baumert, Bill Powell's father-in-law, health issues
- *Sandy Miller, friend of Bonnie Ogg, cancer
- *Lynn Stevenson, Marsha Bruchey's cousin, neurological health issues
- *Lisa Andercyk, Lorijean Turner's college roommate, neurological issues
- *Kimberly Iman, Betty Baggett's daughter, breast cancer
- *Patty Bush, car accident, severe concussion
- *Roya Dapkus, friend of Tammie Shumaker, health issues
- *Wendy Short, sister of Tammie Shumaker, health issues
- *Vaughn Zimmerman, brother of Bonnie Ogg, surgery
- *Charles Snow, health issues
- *David O'Planick, health issues
- *Ralph Whitmore, health issues
- *Ken Wisner, recovery from fall



Sun., Sept. 22	FIRST DAY OF FALL
	10:30 a.m. Worship
	3:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery
Mon., Sept. 23	7:00 p.m. Girl Scout Leader Meeting (SH)
Wed., Sept. 25	6:45 p.m. Bell Choir Practice (SH)
	7:45 p.m. Choir Practice (FS)
Thur., Sept. 26	5:00 p.m. Lions Club Event (SH)
Fri., Sept. 27	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
Sun., Sept. 29	10:30 a.m. Worship
	3:30 p.m. LDM, sanctuary, classrooms, nursery



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