

We welcome Sarah Hardymon to bring our message today.
Sarah has recently served in Honduras with Friends of Barnabas.

Ephesians 2:11-22 New Living Translation (NLT)

¹¹ Don't forget that you Gentiles used to be outsiders. You were called "uncircumcised heathens" by the Jews, who were proud of their circumcision, even though it affected only their bodies and not their hearts. ¹² In those days you were living apart from Christ. You were excluded from citizenship among the people of Israel, and you did not know the covenant promises God had made to them. You lived in this world without God and without hope. ¹³ But now you have been united with Christ Jesus. Once you were far away from God, but now you have been brought near to him through the blood of Christ.

¹⁴ For Christ himself has brought peace to us. He united Jews and Gentiles into one people when, in his own body on the cross, he broke down the wall of hostility that separated us. ¹⁵ He did this by ending the system of law with its commandments and regulations. He made peace between Jews and Gentiles by creating in himself one new people from the two groups. ¹⁶ Together as one body, Christ reconciled both groups to God by means of his death on the cross, and our hostility toward each other was put to death.

¹⁷ He brought this Good News of peace to you Gentiles who were far away from him, and peace to the Jews who were near. ¹⁸ Now all of us can come to the Father through the same Holy Spirit because of what Christ has done for us.

¹⁹ So now you Gentiles are no longer strangers and foreigners. You are citizens along with all of God's holy people. You are members of God's family. ²⁰ Together, we are his house, built on the foundation of the apostles and the prophets. And the cornerstone is Christ Jesus himself. ²¹ We are carefully joined together in him, becoming a holy temple for the Lord. ²² Through him you Gentiles are also being made part of this dwelling where God lives by his Spirit.

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You will find the words and responses on the screens during the Contemporary worship service.



Songs in Today's Service:

- Forevermore* by Jesus Culture
- I Will Follow* by Chris Tomlin
- Cornerstone* by Hillsong
- Reconciled* by TestifyRVA

These and other praise songs may be found on PER 90.5 FM. Listening will improve your week.

2018 Church Goals

A connected church, a serving church, a church where we grow together in Christ. This is the direction the Church Council, in dialogue with the ministry areas of the church, hears God calling all of us together as Shady Grove United Methodist Church to move toward in this ministry year. So, let's all join together in these church wide goals.

1. Getting connected: Our goal is to have 50% of our membership sign up with Realm. (Send a request today to realm@shadygroveumc.net)
2. Serving inter-generationally: Here we build on a strength by embracing a congregation-wide mission effort through education and the joining of our prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.
3. Growing together in Christ: Our goal is to increase the number of members participating in a small group at SGUMC by 20%.

So, let's get connected; let's get serving; let's get growing together in Christ.

"God who began a good work in us will be faithful to complete it." ~Philippians 1:6

Sunday 7/22

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN) 7:00 am depart
Sunday Summer Schedule
Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am

Monday 7/23

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN)
The Center Robotics Camp (EB 203, 206, 207) 9:00 am-12:00 noon
CharacterWorks (FH/EB) 9:30 am-3:30 pm

Tuesday 7/24

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN)
The Center Robotics Camp (EB 203, 206, 207) 9:00 am-12:00 noon
CharacterWorks (FH/EB) 9:30 am-3:30 pm
Staff Meeting (Church Office) 10:00-11:30 am
Richmond Babywearers Meeting (EB 111/112) 4:30-6:00 pm
Ruritan Dinner Meeting (FH) 6:00-8:00 pm
Church Council Meeting (Library) 6:30-8:00 pm

Wednesday 7/25

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN)
The Center Robotics Camp (EB 203, 206, 207) 9:00 am-12:00 noon
CharacterWorks (FH/EB) 9:30 am-3:30 pm
Bag Lunch with Beanie & Krafts with Kate (EB 209/210) 12:30-1:45 pm
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 7:15-8:45 pm

Thursday 7/26

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN)
UMM Bible Study (DOG House) 6:45-7:45 am
The Center Robotics Camp (EB 203, 206, 207) 9:00 am-12:00 noon
CharacterWorks (FH/EB) 9:30 am-3:30 pm
The Sophie House Bible Study (DOG House) 6:00-9:00 pm
Knitting and Crochet Ministry (Home of Elaine Ratliff) 7:00-9:00 pm

Friday 7/27

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN)
The Center Robotics Camp (EB 203, 206, 207) 9:00 am-12:00 noon
CharacterWorks (FH/EB) 9:30 am-3:30 pm

Saturday 7/28

Middle School Mission Trip (Chattanooga, TN)

Sunday 7/29

Sunday Summer Schedule
Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am
Stage Set Up (Sanctuary) 12:15 pm
OCC Ice Cream Social and Wrapping Party (FH) 12:15-1:30 pm



Sunday, July 22, 2018

**THIS WEEK
AT SHADY GROVE**

**Shady Grove
United Methodist Church
Short Pump**
4825 Pouncey Tract Road
Glen Allen VA 23059
(804)360-2600
www.shadygroveumc.net

Sunday Summer Schedule

8:15 am

Traditional Worship Sanctuary

9:30 am

Informal Traditional Worship Sanctuary

Nursery Faith Care (infants-age 2) Education Building

3 Years-Rising 3rd Grade Sunday School Education Building

S.O.W. What? Rising 4th-Rising 6th Grade Sanctuary

Adult Sunday School Chapel Building

11:00 am

Informal Traditional Worship Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship Fellowship Hall

Nursery Faith Care (infants-age 2) Education Building

Children's Own Worship Chapel

Will you be loyal to Shady Grove United Methodist Church and uphold your church by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service, and your witness?

The church finances are updated monthly on the website, www.shadygroveumc.net/finance, and include finance committee perspectives. We encourage you to review routinely to glean insights on both the operating budget and debt management. Hard copies are available upon request.

ATTENDANCE for 7/15/2018

8:15	9:30	11:00	Cont.	Total	SS	COW
60	229	141	80	510	39	10



Announcements for July 22, 2018

We are glad you are here. It is our hope that you will find our worship meaningful and life-giving. If you are searching for a church home or are interested in learning more about Shady Grove UMC, please stop by the welcome center today, call the church office at 360-2600, or email Debbie Hockemeyer at dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net.

TODAY

Today's message is *Serving, We Lead: Turning Corners*. When have you been an outsider? An outsider with God? An outsider with others? What corner do we turn to be brought from the outside, in? This week, servant-leaders, let's explore sharing the fellowship we discover in Jesus.

S.O.W. What? Summer of Worship Sunday School – Children will be in the following rooms of the education building for Sunday school: infant nursery in room 111; toddlers and twos in room 112; three and four year olds in room 109; pre-k and those completing kindergarten in room 104; rising second through rising third graders in room 209. Rising fourth through rising sixth graders attend worship with their family. Rising fourth through rising sixth graders have the opportunity to train to be worship leaders; sign up at tinyurl.com/summerofworship, to serve as scripture reader, usher, greeter, or acolyte. Questions? Contact Beanie Kelly at bkelly@shadygroveumc.net.

Gift Cards to Benefit Youth Ministry – Be sure to check out the gift card table on Sunday mornings in the sanctuary foyer or download an order form from www.shadygroveumc.net/youth-documents to see many other cards you can purchase. Questions? Contact Frank Basil at youth@shadygroveumc.net.

The Sanctuary Choir at Shady Grove welcomes high school youth and adults to come and sing in the choir. We meet Wednesday evenings in the sanctuary from 7:15-8:45 pm. Summer choir meets on alternating weeks. Music packets are distributed in advance, and anthems are introduced a month in advance to help members become familiar with them. Contact Sylvia Cooper at scooper@shadygroveumc.net for more information.

Register now for summer Camp Play and Pray July 30-August 3 *Frosty Frolics* for ages three through rising first grade. Cost is \$145 and camp runs from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. In a rotation format, children will enjoy music, crafts, Bible story, theme-oriented snacks, and playground time. For more information or to download a registration form, go to www.shadygroveumc.net/children. Questions? Contact Kate Bishop at kbishop@shadygroveumc.net.

Cemetery Committee – The first niche in our new columbarium (structure to house cremated remains) has been reserved and the niche door installed. There are 48 niches and each niche can accommodate one or two urns. There are also over 150 plots still available for sale. If you have any interest in a niche or plot or would just like more information, please contact Chuck Noble via email at chucknoble19@gmail.com, by phone at 396-5557 or contact the church office at 360-2600.

THIS WEEK

Bag Lunch with Beanie and Krafts with Kate – **Wednesday, July 25**, 12:15 to 1:30 pm in the education building, room 210. Bring a bag lunch. Get ready for some fun! (rising 1st through rising 6th grade) Contact Beanie Kelly at bkelly@shadygroveumc.net or Kate Bishop at kbishop@shadygroveumc.net to **RSVP by Monday, July 22**, so enough supplies are available.

Knitting and Crochet Ministry meets Thursday, July 26, from 7:00-9:00 pm at Elaine Ratliff's home, 5009 Belmont Park Road, Glen Allen. Even though stitching a shawl, a scarf, or a hat is a small thing to do, God uses each to offer comfort, love, and warmth. These shawls are available from the altar on the last Sunday of each month! We hope you'll come to our meeting. We thank those who have stitched a shawl at home and gave it for our ministry. Questions? Contact Margaret Phillips at 527-7857 or phillips.mwphillips@gmail.com.

Operation Christmas Child Ice Cream Social and Wrapping Party is next Sunday, July 29, from 12:15-1:30 pm in the fellowship hall. Stop by to wrap a few shoeboxes, braid a jump rope, and enjoy an ice cream sundae as we celebrate Christmas in July! In anticipation of filling the boxes in November, we are collecting NEW gift items for the month of July. Please drop off at church: school supplies (crayons, pens, pencils, markers, paper, etc.), small toys (balls, dolls, stuffed animals, games, etc.), hygiene items (toothbrushes, soap, wash clothes, etc.), and clothes (shirts, dresses, hair ribbons, socks, shoes, flip flops, etc.) See sign up genius for more ideas: tinyurl.com/SGOCCsupplies. Drop off donation items, shoeboxes, new or used Christmas wrapping paper, and used t-shirts (to be recycled into jump ropes to pack in the boxes in November) in the boxes in the foyer of the sanctuary or the fellowship hall through July 29. Questions? Contact Dottie Chilton at dottie.chilton@gmail.com.

Youth Summer Fun – Although we are finished with our Sunday night large group meetings, we have various summer fun activities planned. You can join in any of them for some fun and fellowship. Watch the youth update for details for the rest of the summer. Rising 6th graders are invited to participate in all our summer fun; send an email to Frank Basil at youth@shadygroveumc.net to get on the email distribution.

COMING UP

Children's Summer Mission – Rising 3rd through rising 6th graders, mark your calendars now for our Up and Out mission in the Richmond area **August 7-8**. Contact Beanie Kelly to reserve a spot on this overnight mission experience at bkelly@shadygroveumc.net.

Groovin' at the Grove is Sunday, September 9, from 4:30-7:00 pm in the front parking lot. Mark your calendar now to join in an afternoon of music, food, service, and fellowship. While you're here, be sure to check out fall opportunities for children, youth, and adult discipleship. Do you have publicity/social media skills? We'd love to have you join the team. Contact Debbie Hockemeyer at dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net.

The 5th Annual Wayne Samford Memorial Golf Tournament Monday, September 17, at the Dominion Club This year's benefactors are The First Tee of Greater Richmond and the Richmond Flying Squirrels Charities. Details and registration information coming soon at www.shadygroveumc.net/golf. Sponsorships are a big part of the fundraising activities, so if you, or anyone you know, might be interested in donating or sponsorship, please call Jeff Samford at 804-612-0582 or jeffs@businesspartnerric.com.

We pray for the written and unwritten prayers received through the Prayer Request Cards.

