

Genesis 3:1-13, John 6:24-35 Common English Bible (CEB)

<sup>1</sup>The snake was the most intelligent of all the wild animals that the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, "Did God really say that you shouldn't eat from any tree in the garden?" <sup>2</sup>The woman said to the snake, "We may eat the fruit of the garden's trees <sup>3</sup>but not the fruit of the tree in the middle of the garden. God said, 'Don't eat from it, and don't touch it, or you will die.'" <sup>4</sup>The snake said to the woman, "You won't die! <sup>5</sup>God knows that on the day you eat from it, you will see clearly and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."<sup>6</sup>The woman saw that the tree was beautiful with delicious food and that the tree would provide wisdom, so she took some of its fruit and ate it, and also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it. <sup>7</sup>Then they both saw clearly and knew that they were naked. So they sewed fig leaves together and made garments for themselves.

<sup>8</sup>During that day's cool evening breeze, they heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden; and the man and his wife hid themselves from the LORD God in the middle of the garden's trees. <sup>9</sup>The LORD God called to the man and said to him, "Where are you?" <sup>10</sup>The man replied, "I heard your sound in the garden; I was afraid because I was naked, and I hid myself." <sup>11</sup>He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Did you eat from the tree, which I commanded you not to eat?" <sup>12</sup>The man said, "The woman you gave me, she gave me some fruit from the tree, and I ate." <sup>13</sup>The LORD God said to the woman, "What have you done?!" And the woman said, "The snake tricked me, and I ate." ~Genesis 3:1-13

<sup>24</sup>When the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into the boats and came to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

<sup>25</sup>When they found him on the other side of the lake, they asked him, "Rabbi, when did you get here?" <sup>26</sup>Jesus replied, "I assure you that you are looking for me not because you saw miraculous signs but because you ate all the food you wanted. <sup>27</sup>Don't work for the food that doesn't last but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Human One will give you. God the Father has confirmed him as his agent to give life." <sup>28</sup>They asked, "What must we do in order to accomplish what God requires?" <sup>29</sup>Jesus replied, "This is what God requires, that you believe in him whom God sent."

<sup>30</sup>They asked, "What miraculous sign will you do, that we can see and believe you? What will you do?" <sup>31</sup>Our ancestors ate manna in the wilderness, just as it is written, *He gave them bread from heaven to eat.* <sup>32</sup>Jesus told them, "I assure you, it wasn't Moses who gave the bread from heaven to you, but my Father gives you the true bread from heaven. <sup>33</sup>The bread of God is the one who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." <sup>34</sup>They said, "Sir, give us this bread all the time!"

<sup>35</sup>Jesus replied, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." ~John 6:24-35

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**We welcome Jordan Marcelle Levine as our newest member today.**

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



**Songs in Today's Service:**

- The Way* by Worship Central
- O Come to the Altar* by Elevation Worship
- Healing Song* by TestifyRVA
- Come to the Table* by Sidewalk Prophets
- There's Power in the Blood* by Selah

*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](mailto: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 8/5**

Sunday Summer Schedule  
 Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am  
 Summer Pinewood Derby (FH) 12:30-4:00 pm

**Monday 8/6**

The Center for Creative Arts  
*Lion King Jr.* Musical Theater Camp (Sanctuary & FH) 9:00 am-4:00 pm

**Tuesday 8/7**

Up and Out Children's Mission Trip (EB 201, 203, 209, 210) 9:00 am  
 The Center for Creative Arts  
*Lion King Jr.* Musical Theater Camp (Sanctuary & FH) 9:00 am-4:00 pm  
 Staff Meeting (Church Office) 10:00-11:30 am  
 Ruritan Board Meeting (FH) 7:00-8:30 pm

**Wednesday 8/8**

The Center for Creative Arts  
*Lion King Jr.* Musical Theater Camp (Sanctuary & FH) 9:00 am-4:00 pm  
 Youth Summer Fun Mini Golf (Patterson Sports Park) 10:00-11:00 am  
 Up and Out Children's Mission Trip (EB 201, 203, 209, 210) 4:00 pm *pick-up*  
 Testify Rehearsal (FH) 7:15-8:15 pm  
 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 7:15-8:45 pm

**Thursday 8/9**

UMM Bible Study (DOG House) 6:45-7:45 am  
 The Center for Creative Arts  
*Lion King Jr.* Musical Theater Camp (Sanctuary & FH) 9:00 am-4:00 pm  
 The Sophie House Bible Study (DOG House) 6:00-9:00 pm

**Friday 8/10**

The Center for Creative Arts  
*Lion King Jr.* Musical Theater Camp (Sanctuary & FH) 9:00 am-4:00 pm  
*Lion King Jr.* Performance (Sanctuary) 7:00-8:00 pm  
*Lion King Jr.* Reception (FH) 8:00-9:00 pm

**Sunday 8/12**

Sunday Summer Schedule  
 Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am



**Sunday, August 5, 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](http://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](http://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 7/29/2018						
8:15	9:30	11:00	Cont.	Total	SS	COW
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## **Announcements for August 5, 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](mailto:dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net).*

### **TODAY**

**Today's message is At Table: The Trouble with Apples.** Food is an essential part of everyday life. Food is also a powerful symbol . . . a symbol of what we're hungry for. Sometimes that's food, but sometimes it's much, much more. This week we explore where hunger leads us and where God invites us.

**Jessica Besnier, a church member serving in Guatemala** this summer, has sent an update about her mission work there. Visit [www.shadygroveumc.net/missions](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/missions) to read her letter.

**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](http://tinyurl.com/summerofworship), to serve as scripture reader, usher, greeter, or acolyte. Questions? Contact Beanie Kelly at [bkelly@shadygroveumc.net](mailto: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](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/youth-documents) to see many other cards you can purchase. Questions? Contact Frank Basil at [youth@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:youth@shadygroveumc.net).

**SHOP TODAY for school supplies for the STEP (Strategies to Elevate People) backpack program.** Take advantage of the Virginia tax-free school supply weekend! Pick up a list from the welcome center or from Rita Nuckols or Iva Keller this morning. Shop this afternoon and bring supplies to the church office **by Monday, August 6**. Monetary donations are also welcome - Rita will shop for you! Download the flyer from [www.shadygroveumc.net/missions](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/missions). Questions? Contact Rita by email at [ritanuckols@gmail.com](mailto:ritanuckols@gmail.com) or leave a message at 804-908-4220.

**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](mailto:scooper@shadygroveumc.net) for more information.

**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](mailto:chucknoble19@gmail.com), by phone at 396-5557 or contact the church office at 360-2600.

### **THIS WEEK**

**Children's Summer Mission** – Rising 3rd through rising 6th graders, our Up and Out mission in the Richmond area is **Tuesday, August 7 - Wednesday, August 8**. Contact Beanie Kelly to reserve a spot on this overnight mission experience at [bkelly@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:bkelly@shadygroveumc.net).

**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](mailto:youth@shadygroveumc.net) to get on the email distribution. This week join us for mini golf at Patterson Sports Park on **Wednesday, August 8**, at 10:00 am.

**Families are invited to a free production of Disney's *The Lion King! Jr. musical*** at 7:00 pm in the sanctuary on **Friday, August 10**, or Friday, August 17. Celebrating The Center's 10th annual musical theater camps, students from our church and our community will come together under the direction of Sylvia Cooper and share the story of Simba in an evening full of great songs like "The Circle of Life" and "Hakuna Matata".

### **COMING UP**

**JOY@SGUMC (Just Older Youth at Shady Grove United Methodist Church) Kickoff** at Keagan's Irish Restaurant in West Broad Village on **Wednesday, August 15**, at 11:00 am. This is a time for our Shady Grove Seniors to come together for food, fellowship, and to get details for a full year of programming starting in September 2018 including local speakers, special music, and a bus day trip! RSVP to Betsy Katko at 804-360-5057 or [bjkatko@comcast.net](mailto:bjkatko@comcast.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](mailto: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](http://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](mailto:jeffs@businesspartnerric.com).

**The Golden Notes Premiere Rehearsal is Monday, September 17** – 10:00-11:00 am in the education building, room 204. "Who are The Golden Notes?" The Golden Notes, a senior adult Handbell Choir for ages 55 and older, is the newest musical ensemble of the Music Ministry of Shady Grove United Methodist Church! This handbell choir will focus on outreach in our community, bringing the joy of music to public facilities where residents are in assisted living programs, Alzheimer's and dementia programs, as well as other medical care programs. "The Golden Notes" will create a program of music to present to include sacred, secular, Christmas, and patriotic music. Its mission is to spread fellowship and good will through music. Please note: 1) no experience in any musical group, including ringing handbells necessary 2) our purpose and focus is ringing in the community 3) serving, fellowship, fun, outreach, and prayer are important. Contact Sylvia Cooper, director, if you are interested and/or have questions: (804) 360-2600, ext. 40; [scooper@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:scooper@shadygroveumc.net). If you are joining, let Sylvia know **by Thursday, September 6**.

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

