

Today in the fellowship hall, join us as we continue our worship series, *We Live, We Love*. Our sermon is entitled *Betrayed*. While we may not have been left for dead and sold into slavery by our brothers, like Joseph, we have faced betrayal of trust in various ways. We live. We love. We hurt each other. Jesus, too, met with betrayal in the Upper Room but he showed us how to face it. Injustice? Revenge? Forgiveness? Today we examine our reactions to betrayal in light of our faith.

We welcome Nicky Hansen with Peaceful Passings for our ministry moment.

Genesis 37:3-4, 12-14, 18-28 New Revised Standard Version (NRSV):

³ Now Israel loved Joseph more than any other of his children, because he was the son of his old age; and he had made him a long robe with sleeves. ⁴ But when his brothers saw that their father loved him more than all his brothers, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably to him.

¹² Now his brothers went to pasture their father's flock near Shechem. ¹³ And Israel said to Joseph, "Are not your brothers pasturing the flock at Shechem? Come, I will send you to them." He answered, "Here I am." ¹⁴ So he said to him, "Go now, see if it is well with your brothers and with the flock; and bring word back to me." So he sent him from the valley of Hebron.

¹⁸ They saw him from a distance, and before he came near to them, they conspired to kill him. ¹⁹ They said to one another, "Here comes this dreamer. ²⁰ Come now, let us kill him and throw him into one of the pits; then we shall say that a wild animal has devoured him, and we shall see what will become of his dreams." ²¹ But when Reuben heard it, he delivered him out of their hands, saying, "Let us not take his life." ²² Reuben said to them, "Shed no blood; throw him into this pit here in the wilderness, but lay no hand on him"—that he might rescue him out of their hand and restore him to his father. ²³ So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe, the long robe with sleeves that he wore; ²⁴ and they took him and threw him into a pit. The pit was empty; there was no water in it.

²⁵ Then they sat down to eat; and looking up they saw a caravan of Ishmaelites coming from Gilead, with their camels carrying gum, balm, and resin, on their way to carry it down to Egypt. ²⁶ Then Judah said to his brothers, "What profit is it if we kill our brother and conceal his blood? ²⁷ Come, let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and not lay our hands on him, for he is our brother, our own flesh." And his brothers agreed. ²⁸ When some Midianite traders passed by, they drew Joseph up, lifting him out of the pit, and sold him to the Ishmaelites for twenty pieces of silver. And they took Joseph to Egypt.

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You will find the words and responses on the screens during the Contemporary worship service. The general order we follow each Sunday is:

- Gathering:** Praise Songs and Greeting
- Gratitude:** Offering and Prayer
- God's Word:** Scripture and Message
- Going:** Praise Song and Sending



Songs in Today's Service: *Our God* by Chris Tomlin
Busted Heart by For King and Country
Come As You Are by Crowder
Salvation Is Here by Hillsong

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

We are building our contemporary worship team. If you would like to sing, play, or be part of our audio/visual team, please contact Brian Mahne at bmahne@shadygroveumc.net.

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 11/5/2017

8:15	9:30	11:00	Cont.	Total	SS	COW
53	238	158	74	523	133	17

Sunday 11/12

- Regular Worship Schedule
- Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am
- Welcome Center Meeting (Chapel Bldg. C-8) 10:30-11:00 am
- Girl Scout Troop 3007 (EB 201) 3:00-4:30 pm
- Charge Conference (Good Shepherd UMC) 3:00-5:00 pm
- An Out-of-the-Box Christmas* FULL Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 3:30-5:00 pm
- G-3 (Chapel Bldg.) 5:00-6:00 pm
- Rowdy MOMs Bible Study (Chapel Bldg. C-3) 5:00-6:00 pm
- Cantata Orchestra Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 6:00-8:00 pm
- Middle School Large Group (DOG House) 6:00-7:00 pm
- High School Large Group (DOG House) 7:30-8:30 pm

Monday 11/13

- Betty Fairbanks Circle (EB 201) 1:00-2:00 pm
- Girl Scout Troop 547 (EB 106) 4:00-5:15 pm
- Girl Scout Troop 5355 (EB 202/203) 4:00-5:15 pm
- Stewardship Meeting (Church Office) 6:30-8:00 pm

Tuesday 11/14

- CCC Managers Meeting (DOG House) 8:30 am-12:30 pm
- Staff Meeting (Church Office) 10:00-11:30 am
- Seniors Brunch and Speaker (Chapel Bldg.) 10:30 am-12:00 noon
- Cub Scout Pack 735 Bears (EB 209) 6:00-7:00 pm
- Missions Committee Meeting (EB 201) 6:00-7:00 pm
- Staff Parish Relations Meeting (EB 207) 6:30-7:30 pm
- Trustees Meeting (Library) 6:30-8:00 pm

Wednesday 11/15

- Preschool Open House (EB) 10:00-11:00 am
- An Out-of-the-Box Christmas* FULL Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 4:30-5:45 pm
- Bistro (FH) 5:15-6:15 pm
- Faith Care Infant/Toddler Nursery (EB 111) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Little Hands – Twos (EB 105) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Bible Zone grades 1-5 (EB 209) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Sprouts – Threes to Fives (EB 106) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Youth Small Group (DOG House) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Rowdy MOMs (EB 201) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Connection Group (EB 206) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Combined Handbells (Sanctuary) 6:15-7:15 pm
- Testify Rehearsal (FH) 7:15-8:15 pm
- How Should a King Come* Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 7:15-8:45 pm
- Meditation with Kate (Library) 7:30-8:15 pm
- Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 8:45-9:15 pm

Thursday 11/16

- UMM Bible Study (DOG House) 6:45-7:45 am
- Girl Scout Troop 5704 (EB 203) 5:30-7:30 pm
- SGUMC Book Club (Church Office) 6:00-7:30 pm
- Richmond Christian Singles Bible Study (EB 206) 7:00-8:30 pm
- Boy Scouts – Troop 735 (FH) 7:00-9:00 pm

Friday 11/17

- Middle School Breakfast (Chick-fil-A) 7:20 am
- Women's Bible Study (Chapel Bldg. C-2) 9:45-11:00 am
- Youth Choir Jam (River Road Baptist Church) 4:30-9:00 pm
- Bingo and Shopping FUNdraiser (FH) 6:00-9:00 pm

Saturday 11/18

- Youth Choir Jam (River Road Baptist Church) 9:30 am-3:00 pm
- Youth Choir Jam Free Public Concert (River Road Baptist Church) 3:00-4:00 pm
- The Center for Creative Arts Recitals (Chapel Bldg.) 3:00-6:30 pm

Sunday 11/19

- Regular Worship Schedule
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Sunday, November 12, 2017

THIS WEEK AT SHADY GROVE

**Shady Grove
 United Methodist Church
 Short Pump**

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 Glen Allen VA 23059
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Regular Sunday Schedule

<u>8:15 am</u>	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
<u>9:30 am</u>	Informal Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
	Nursery Faith Care (infants-age 2)	Education Building
	3 Years-5th Grade Sunday School	Education Building
	Youth Sunday School	Chapel Building
	Adult Sunday School	Chapel Building
<u>11:00 am</u>	Informal Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
	Contemporary Worship	Fellowship Hall
	Nursery Faith Care (infants-age 2)	Education Building
	Children's Own Worship	Chapel



Announcements for November 12, 2017

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

We continue our worship series, *We Live, We Love*. Our message this week is *Betrayed*. While we may not have been left for dead and sold into slavery by our brothers, like Joseph, we have faced betrayal of trust in various ways. We live. We love. We hurt each other. Jesus, too, met with betrayal in the Upper Room but he showed us how to face it. Injustice? Revenge? Forgiveness? Today we examine our reactions to betrayal in light of our faith.

Scriptural readings become "scripture stories" in our *We Live, We Love* worship series. Contact Sylvia Cooper at scooper@shadygroveumc.net or at 360-2600, ext. 40 if you would like to be involved in the sanctuary presentations.

Operation Christmas Child – Today we dedicate our filled boxes and tomorrow we will deliver to the collection center at Mt. Vernon Baptist. Last call for boxes! Email Dottie Chilton at dottie.chilton@gmail.com or visit www.shadygroveumc.net/occ.

Annual Charge Conference is today – All members of the church are invited to attend the annual charge conference today, at 3:00-5:30 pm. Our cluster conference will be held at Good Shepherd UMC (9155 Hungary Road) and will also include Mt. Pisgah, Reveille, Shady Grove (Mechanicsville), St. Mark's, Trinity, and Woodlake UMCs. Each church will make an eight minute presentation which represents a central theme of their church's discipleship efforts. After the presentations each church will move to a separate room to conduct the usual business of charge conference, which includes adopting clergy compensation for 2018 and electing officers and leaders. Contact Gregg Butler at 360-2600 or gbutler@shadygroveumc.net.

Pack a cleaning bucket! Are you looking for a concrete way to help with hurricane recovery efforts? Consider packing a cleaning bucket for delivery to the UMCOR warehouse to replenish their supplies. The missions committee is offering instruction sheets in the foyers of the sanctuary and fellowship hall. Fill a bucket and drop off on the screen porch of the church office. Buckets will be dedicated in worship on November 26. Questions? Contact Gregg Butler in the office at 360-2600 or gbutler@shadygroveumc.net or Rick Dodge at thedodges4@comcast.net.

Dinners for Eight is designed to help us get to know one another a little bit better outside of Sunday morning. It doesn't matter if you are young or young at heart, couple or single, new to SGUMC or seasoned veteran. Consider joining together this winter with other SGUMC friendly faces to enjoy some good food and fellowship. After the kick-off on January 20 for the entire group, participants are placed in rotating groups of eight and gather once a month in homes from February to April. **Sign-up at the welcome center** in either the narthex (foyer) of the sanctuary or the fellowship hall entry of the contemporary service. Questions? Contact Pam Thompson at jeffmthomp@gmail.com or 804-360-3162 (home).

Start your Christmas Shopping! Gift cards make great gifts for all your shopping needs and with thousands of options, including restaurants, retailers, automotive, grocery, and more, there is something for everyone! You can purchase gift cards at face value and the youth ministry receives a percentage of the sale. 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.

New Church Management Software is here! Our church is moving to a new kind of church record keeping solution called Realm®. It primarily serves the administrative needs of our staff, but it also offers some exciting opportunities to support the way you are involved in our church. Not only will this improve work life for our ministry staff, it will make it easier for our church family to connect with each other, keep up with what's going on, and grow as a connected community of believers. During the months of November and December, we will be moving data to the new system and conducting a variety of training sessions. Rest assured that we will also be keeping records in the old system until the transition is complete. We will appreciate your patience and prayers as we work through this time of transition.

THIS WEEK

Betty Fairbanks Circle meets on the second Monday of every month at 1:00 pm in room 201 of the education building. Our next meeting will be November 13. All women in the Shady Grove community of faith are welcome to attend. Members please remember your Thanksgiving food donation for The Sophie House. Questions? Contact: nancylove10@comcast.net or 804-716-0517.

Senior Brunch and Program Tuesday, November 14 – Join us at 10:30 am in Chapel Hall for a brunch. Please bring a dish to share. The two ladies who compose the duet RETRO will sing for our group. If interested, please RSVP to Betsy Katko at bjkatko@comcast.net or 360-5057 by today.

Join us for our last fall Wednesday night at Shady Grove Bistro – Dinner is served 5:15 to 6:15 pm in the fellowship hall. RSVP on our website, www.shadygroveumc.net/shady-grove-bistro or call 360-3907, ext. 46 by noon Tuesdays. Adults: \$7, Child: \$3, Family (parents & children): \$20. Menu for November 15 - Grinchy meal of roast beast, mashed potatoes, and green beans.

SGUMC's Book Club meets Thursday, November 16, from 6:00-7:30 pm. We will be discussing *The Year of Living Biblically* by A.J. Jacobs. Enjoy fellowship and discussion around the kitchen table in the church office. Questions? Contact Dana Kelley, musicadmin@shadygroveumc.net.

Bingo & Shopping FUNdraiser on Friday, November 17
A Stepping Stone is a partner of The Sophie House whose mission is to show the love of Christ by providing long-term supportive services for women and children escaping domestic abuse. All are invited to their annual fundraiser, held for the first time at Shady Grove UMC in our fellowship hall from 6:00-9:00 pm on November 17. Bingo is \$2 per card or six cards for \$10. Raffle tickets are \$1. Shop at many local vendors. Learn more at steppingstoneservices.org or call 887-9936.

Youth Choir JAM Concert is Saturday, November 18.

All are invited to attend the free concert at 3:00 pm at River Road Baptist, 8000 River Road. Youth Choir JAM is an ecumenical youth choir festival presenting sacred choral literature. Sylvia Cooper and Shady Grove youth will be participating for the 11th year. Visit www.youthchoirjam.org for more information.

COMING UP

Join the Youth Orchestra! Any middle school or high school student band or orchestra student with at least one year of playing experience is invited to join the SGUMC youth orchestra, directed by Gregg Butler, to play in worship on Sunday, December 10, at 9:30 and 11:00 services. Rehearsals are Monday, November 20, 27, and December 4 at 4:30 pm in the sanctuary. Please contact Gregg Butler at gbutler@shadygroveumc.net or 360-2600 so that music can be prepared for you.

Knitting and Crochet Ministry – How thankful we are for small talents that God does use! This month, Knitting and Crochet Ministry meets at 7:00 pm, **Thursday, November 30**, at Elaine Ratliff's home at 5009 Belmont Park Road, Glen Allen. We stitch shawls, scarves, and hats to share God's love. Your willingness to knit or crochet is all you need to join us. We will have the equipment available for you to learn! Margaret Phillips can be reached at phillips.mwphillips@gmail.com or 527-7857.

Join us December 2 and 3 for this year's children's Christmas musical, *An Out-of-the-Box Christmas*, directed by Sylvia Cooper and Beanie Kelly, with assistance in drama from Kate Bishop, Jamie Bittner, and Sally Martin. We will have three presentations: Saturday, December 2, at 4:00 pm (sanctuary), followed by a Santa Supper party from 5:00-6:30 pm (fellowship hall) and Sunday, December 3, presented at the 9:30 and 11:00 morning worship services in the sanctuary. Over 40 children ages 3 years old through grade 5 hope that their presentation radiates the love we find in Baby Jesus.

Mark your calendars for our Christmas Cantata, *How Should a King Come*, being presented Saturday, December 16, at 7:00 pm and Sunday morning, December 17, at our 9:30 and 11:00 worship services. Accompanied by orchestra, the musical will include narration as well as nativity non-speaking drama: the Holy Family, wise men, and shepherds. If you would like to be a part of the drama, please contact Sylvia Cooper at scooper@shadygroveumc.net.

Sign up now to serve with the Appalachia Service Project in Brenton, WV, Monday, April 2 - Friday, April 6, 2018. Expected cost is \$410-425. Financial aid is available. Youth age 16 and older with a parent and all adults are invited to serve. Contact for the trip is Mark Tuttle, mark987@hushmail.com or 382-6826.

In addition to the names listed below, we pray for the written and unwritten prayers received through the Prayer Request Cards.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Rev. David Adkins, Cam Akers, Tori Anderson, Rachael Bradfield (daughter-in-law of Glenn and Sylvia Cooper), Lucy Chenery, Caitlin Daley, Nicholas Daley, Annie Davenport (aunt of Crystal Foster), Kim Dodson (mother of Shana Miller), Pat Edwards, Joan England (mother of Allyson Drake), Rose Farmer, Lachlan Fender (nephew of Jeff and Sara Fender), Betty Finley, Cheryl Fitzgerald (sister of Donna Noble), Judie Foster (mother of Steven Foster), Ann Gooch (mother of Anita Schunk), Ray Gudum, Tommy Harris, Ryan Hartsook (son-in-law of Ruth Powell), Peggy Hill, John Holmes (Uncle of Crystal Foster), Terry Hoover (father of Haylee Douglas), Betsy Katko, Nancy LePage, Kelsey Lewia (daughter of Rick and Debbie Bragga), Jane Mackey (mother of Roger Mackey), Pam Melton (daughter of Sylvia Chartier), Diane Morrison, Ginger Perkin (daughter of Dave and Diane Bennett), Rick Robertson (brother of Martha Anne Martin), Betty Ross (grandmother of Crystal Foster), Amira Safwat, Mildred Shafer (mother of John Shafer), Rob Troisi, Sara Walker, David Webster (cousin of Carrie LeCrom), Ann White (mother of Pat Edwards)

Homebound

Aleida Bultman-Brookdale, Beverly Robertson (mother of Martha Anne Martin), Shirley Ronquest-Crump Manor, Linda Stone-Our Lady of Hope

Global Missionaries

Heather and James-location undisclosed, Nico Chantel-Europe, Fishers 4 Him-Dominican Republic, Eva and Lindsay Gilliam-Southeast A Laura and Timo Harkonen-US and Democratic Republic of the Congo, Liz Jackson-Philippines, Quynh-Hoa Nguyen-Vietnam

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to Joyce Devisser and family upon the death of her brother-in-law, David Sarfield.



Connection Group Discussion Questions
For the week of November 12, 2017 **Genesis 37:3-4, 12-14, 18-28**
These questions are to be used as a spring board for discussion.
Answers may or may not be found in the sermons.

1. What is betrayal?
2. Describe the symptoms of family dysfunction found in our scripture passage.
3. What is the root of jealousy?
4. Why did Joseph share his dreams? Why was this annoying to his brothers?
5. In this story, who may have had feelings of regret and why?
6. When has dysfunction caused you to make choices you regret?
7. How does this passage help you in your relationships?
8. What part does forgiveness play in situations of betrayal?
9. Is trust possible without forgiveness? Is forgiveness possible without trust?