

Today in the fellowship hall, join us for our sermon series *Second Chances*. Our sermon this morning is *Smart Mom*. Sandi Shriner will offer a ministry moment.

Matthew 15:21-28 from the New Revised Standard Version (NRSV):

<sup>21</sup> Jesus left that place and went away to the district of Tyre and Sidon. <sup>22</sup> Just then a Canaanite woman from that region came out and started shouting, "Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is tormented by a demon." <sup>23</sup> But he did not answer her at all. And his disciples came and urged him, saying, "Send her away, for she keeps shouting after us." <sup>24</sup> He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." <sup>25</sup> But she came and knelt before him, saying, "Lord, help me." <sup>26</sup> He answered, "It is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs." <sup>27</sup> She said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters' table." <sup>28</sup> Then Jesus answered her, "Woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And her daughter was healed instantly.

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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:** *I Will Follow* by Chris Tomlin
- Shout to the Lord* by Darlene Zschech
- Oceans* by Hillsong United
- You Are Holy* by Michael W. Smith

*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](mailto:bmahne@shadygroveumc.net).*

**Sunday 5/14**

Adult Mission Trip Appalachia Service Project (Guyan Valley, WV)  
 Regular Worship Schedule  
 Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am  
 Girl Scout Troop 5107 (EB 202/203) 4:00-5:45 pm

**Monday 5/15**

Adult Mission Trip Appalachia Service Project (Guyan Valley, WV)  
 Finance Committee Meeting (Library) 6:30-8:00 pm  
 Music and Arts Meeting (EB 201) 7:30-9:00 pm

**Tuesday 5/16**

Adult Mission Trip Appalachia Service Project (Guyan Valley, WV)  
 Staff Meeting (Church Office) 10:00-11:30 am  
 Staff Parish Relations Committee Meeting (Library) 6:30-7:30 pm

**Wednesday 5/17**

Adult Mission Trip Appalachia Service Project (Guyan Valley, WV)  
 Sound Check for Gideon's Call Recording (Sanctuary) 1:30-3:30 pm  
 Connection Group (EB 205) 6:15-7:15 pm  
 Testify Rehearsal (FH) 7:15-8:15 pm  
 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary) 7:15-8:45 pm

**Thursday 5/18**

Adult Mission Trip Appalachia Service Project (Guyan Valley, WV)  
 UMM Bible Study (DOG House) 6:45-7:45 am  
 AgriBerry Pop Up Market (Front Parking Lot) 10:00 am-2:00 pm  
 Richmond Christian Singles Bible Study (EB 206) 7:00-8:30 pm

**Friday 5/19**

Adult Mission Trip Appalachia Service Project (Guyan Valley, WV)  
 Middle School Breakfast (Chick-fil-A) 7:20 am  
 Women's Bible Study (Chapel Bldg.) 9:45-11:00 am

**Saturday 5/20**

The Center for Creative Arts Recitals (Chapel Bldg.)  
 10:00 am; 1:00 pm; 3:00 pm  
 The Center for Creative Arts Recital (Sanctuary and FH) 1:00-4:00 pm

**Sunday 5/21**

Regular Worship Schedule  
 Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am  
 Rowdy MOMs (Chapel Bldg., C-3) 11:00 am-12:00 noon  
 Rise Against Hunger Meal Packing (FH) 1:45-4:15 pm  
 Girl Scout Troop 3007 (EB 209) 5:00-6:30 pm  
 To Kill a Mockingbird Screening (EB 201) 6:00-8:30 pm



Sunday, May 14, 2017

# THIS WEEK AT SHADY GROVE

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United Methodist Church  
Short Pump**

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**Regular Sunday Schedule**

<u>8:15 am</u>	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
<u>9:00-11:00 am</u>	HeBrews Coffee	Fellowship Hall
<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
	<b>Children's Own Worship</b>	Chapel

**Connection Group Discussion Questions**

**For the week of May 14, 2017** **Matthew 15:21-28**

*These questions are to be used as a spring board for discussion. Answers may or may not be found in the sermons.*

1. To what region do Jesus and his disciples travel? What kind of people lived there? See Deuteronomy 7:1-6; 20:16-18.
2. With what two titles does the Canaanite woman address Jesus? What is the significance of these titles? What do you think is the minimum she knows about Jesus?
3. What is Jesus' response to the first pleas of the woman? What is the disciples' response to her continual pleas for mercy?
4. What is Jesus' second response to the woman? Reference Matthew 10:5-6.
5. What did the woman do next? What was her motivation? How could she be so persistent?
6. What is Jesus' third response to her? How would YOU have reacted to this response?
7. How does the woman respond to Jesus' formulation of a witty Jewish put-down? How does she understand the Messiah's ultimate concern is for all peoples, including her?
8. Why does Jesus attribute to the woman "great faith"? Why do you think Jesus finally granted her request after rebuffing her three times?

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.

**ATTENDANCE for 5/7/2017**

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## **Announcements for May 14, 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, we invite you to attend our next "Lunch with the Pastors" in October at 12:00 noon. To RSVP for lunch, please call the church office at 360-2600 or email [dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net).*

### **TODAY**

**Today we continue our sermon series, *Second Chances*.** The message of the gospel is no matter where we are or what we've done, God sees beyond our imperfections, loves us, forgives us, and offers us a new life. Come hear the stories of people in the Bible who were given second chances.

**Vacation Bible School** – Register for VBS the week of June 19-23 for children ages 3-fifth grade. VBS meets from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. At *Hero Central*, kids will discover their strength in God and realize that they are God's heroes! Many adult and youth volunteer opportunities are available to make VBS a success. Registration forms are available at the church office, Sunday mornings in the sanctuary foyer from 10:30-11:00 am, or at [www.shadygroveumc.net/vbs2017](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/vbs2017).

**Prayer Partners for Youth Summer Missions** – Fill a prayer bag for a specific individual with some fun goodies and pray during our trips. Prayer Bags are available for pick up either at worship on Sunday mornings or in the church office during the week. Items to include-candy (no chocolate), gum, cards, fun stuff, notes of encouragement, etc., but please do NOT include-caffeine/energy shots, whistles, chocolate, weapons, etc. Contact Frank Basil at [youth@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:youth@shadygroveumc.net) or 370-4633.

**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).

**HeBrews is closed today.**

**Our Next Chapter** – Continue to pray for SGUMC as we prepare to say farewell to Rev. David Adkins, welcome Rev. Chris McLain, and move forward with the building plan. Learn more at [www.shadygroveumc.net/nextchapter](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/nextchapter).

**Meals for families with new babies** – Our Care Ministry lovingly provides a meal for families when new babies arrive. This is coordinated by Caroline Walters using Sign Up Genius through email. If you would like to be added to the team to help provide a meal from time to time, please let Caroline know. She can be reached at [carolinewalt89@gmail.com](mailto:carolinewalt89@gmail.com) or 564-8943.

**Looking for a way to serve SGUMC?** An individual (or two) is needed to help keep our Welcome Centers tidy, stocked, and ready to welcome guests. Timing for this act of service is flexible and shouldn't take longer than 30 minutes most weeks. If you are able to help, please contact Debbie Hockemeyer at [dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net).

**Got pictures?** Please send any Shady Grove UMC pictures you are willing for us to use on the website, eblast, and social media to [pictures@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:pictures@shadygroveumc.net). Thank you!

**Thanks to all who helped celebrate the anniversary of the Caring Clothes Closet.** If you would like to be on our new monthly newsletter email list please send an email to [cccrva.info@gmail.com](mailto:cccrva.info@gmail.com). We look forward to hearing from you!

### **THIS WEEK**

**Register now for summer Camp Play and Pray – June 5-9 *Old McDonald's Farm* for ages three - Pre-K; July 10-14 *Knights, Princesses, and Dragons—Oh, My!* for ages three - rising first grade; July 31-August 4 *On the Dock* for ages three - rising first grade. Cost is \$130 per week. For more information or to download a registration form, go to [www.shadygroveumc.net/children](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/children). Questions? Contact Kate Bishop at [kbishop@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:kbishop@shadygroveumc.net).**

**Sign up now for exciting summer camps at The Center for Creative Arts.** See the details on Preschool Paint & Play, art, music, musical theater, robotics, and chess camps at [www.center4creativearts.org](http://www.center4creativearts.org).

**Thursday Morning Men's Bible study** invites new and returning members to study *Life Lessons: The Book of Acts* by Max Lucado, 6:45 am in the DOG House. Contact Brian Gagliardi with questions: [brian@buyingnotes.com](mailto:brian@buyingnotes.com).

**Agriberry Pop Up Market Now Open** – Stop by the front parking lot of the church on Thursdays from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm through July to purchase fresh produce. Agriberry has made a generous donation to our Rise Against Hunger mission. Learn more at [agriberry.com/csas](http://agriberry.com/csas).

### **COMING UP**

**Meal Packaging Event Sunday, May 21**, from 2:00 to 4:00 pm. The youth ministry will be heading up efforts to package 25,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger. We need a total of 120 volunteers. Have questions or want to sign up to package meals, email Frank Basil at [youth@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:youth@shadygroveumc.net).

**You can still join in one or two of SGUMC's study of *The Faith of a Mockingbird!* Sunday, May 21:** Screening of 1962's *To Kill a Mockingbird*, 6:00-8:30 pm in the education building, room 201. Four-week study of Matt Rawle's, *The Faith of a Mockingbird*, 6:30-7:30 pm in the education building, room 201: **May 25 through June 15.** For more information go to [www.shadygroveumc.net/mockingbird](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/mockingbird). Questions or for help ordering a copy of *To Kill a Mockingbird* or *The Faith of a Mockingbird*, contact Lauren Adkins: [ladkins@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:ladkins@shadygroveumc.net) or 212-7195.

**Seniors will gather at the Pickel Barrel Restaurant for lunch on Wednesday, May 24, at 11:30 am.** The restaurant is located at 12912 Plaza Drive off of Ashland Road. It is owned by Sherion Farmer, Rose Farmer's daughter. The menu items range from burgers, sandwiches, and salads less than \$10, to seafood/steak dishes \$15-\$20. Everyone can order from the menu and pay (tax and tip) individually. **RSVP by Sunday, May 21**, to Betsy Katko at [bjkatko@comcast.net](mailto:bjkatko@comcast.net) or 360-5057.

**Knitting and Crochet Ministry meets Thursday, May 25**, at 7:00 pm at Elaine Ratliff's home 5009 Belmont Park Road, Glen Allen. Bring your willingness to knit and crochet or learn with us in a relaxed environment. We will have the equipment available you will need to learn. We stitch shawls, scarves, and hats to share God's love. If you knit or crochet and are unable to attend, we welcome your contribution. Questions? Contact Margaret Phillips at 527-7857 or [philips.mwphillips@gmail.com](mailto:philips.mwphillips@gmail.com).

**Driven crazy by pollen? Have your car washed on Saturday, May 27**, in the church parking lot from 12:00 to 4:00 pm. Butterfly Babies and Boy Scout Troop 544 will join forces to rid your car of pollen and dirt.

**NEW! Adult Bible Studies Summer 2017: God's Urgent Call - Wednesday nights or Sunday mornings!** Join this relaxed summer series that reminds us that God uses ordinary people to make a difference in the world. This 13-week study includes brief daily scripture and a short weekly reading of individuals who said "yes" when God called. Traveling? Busy summer schedule? Read along and come when you can to either weekly meeting, starting on **Wednesday, May 31**, 6:30-7:30 pm in education building, room 201 or **Sunday, June 4**, 9:30-10:30 am in the chapel building, room C-4. The study is available in the office in limited quantity. Learn more at [www.shadygroveumc.net/summer-bible-study](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/summer-bible-study). Contact Lauren Adkins with questions at [ladkins@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:ladkins@shadygroveumc.net) or 212-7195.

**Join the United Methodist Men for our Scholarship Fundraiser Dinner on Thursday, June 1**, 5:30 to 7:00 pm in the fellowship hall. The meal, steak this year, is free but donations to the scholarship fund are appreciated. In just its third year, the UMM has already presented \$2,500 in awards to deserving youth in our church. RSVP to Travis Goad at [htravis.goad@gmail.com](mailto:htravis.goad@gmail.com).

**The Sophie House 5K will be held on Saturday, June 3**, and will start and end in our parking lot. Opportunities are available for runners, walkers, volunteers, sponsors, and spectators. Learn more at <https://thesophiehouse.org/5k/>.

**High School and College Graduates June 4 at 9:30 and 11:00 am** – We will be honoring our 2017 graduates during worship. We will also be having a lunch for high school graduates and their immediate family offsite at 1:00 pm. If you are graduating this year, go to [www.shadygroveumc.net/youth](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/youth) and click the link to complete the "Graduate Info" form so we will have all the pertinent information. Question? Email Frank Basil at [youth@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:youth@shadygroveumc.net). Please be sure to **reply by Sunday, May 28**.

**You are invited to attend the celebration of Rev. David Adkins' retirement** after 40 years of ministry. Please join us on **Sunday, June 11**, at 2:00 pm in the SGUMC fellowship hall to commemorate his service to the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church. If you would like to say a few words at the celebration, please contact Sara Fender at 360-3880 or [sefender@msn.com](mailto:sefender@msn.com). In addition, if you would like to contribute to the love offering that will be presented to him, please send a check with "David Adkins Love Offering" in the memo line to the church office.

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

#### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Cam Akers, Tori Anderson, Chris Bergeron, Rick Bragga, Rachael Bradfield (daughter-in-law of Glenn and Sylvia Cooper), Kim Dodson (mother of Shana Miller), Lachlan Fender (nephew of Jeff and Sara Fender), Betty Finley, Cheryl Fitzgerald (sister of Donna Noble), Pat Gammon (mother of Karen Nicely), Ann Gooch (mother of Anita Schrunck), Ray Gudum, Ann Gussett (mother of Laura Ann Kump), Laura Harkonen-missionary in Congo, Tommy Harris, Ryan Hartsook (son-in-law of Ruth Powell), Don Herrick (father of Anne Hurst and Sarah Metzgar), Peggy Hill, Terry Hoover (father of Haylee Douglas), Betsy Katko, Susie Kottcamp, Carter Lyons, Jane Mackey (mother of Roger Mackey), Phoebe Mackey (mother of Elizabeth Compton), Pam Melton (daughter of Sylvia Chartier), Diane Morrison, Romine Overbey (mother of Susan Hollins), Ginger Perkin (daughter of Dave and Diane Bennett), Caiden Purkey (grandson of Bob and Lisa Jones), Mike Purkey (son-in-law of Bob and Lisa Jones), Diane Reid, Amira Safwat, Marie Thurman, Dakota Tolsma (cousin of Carter Lyons), Sara Walker

#### **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 Asia, Laura and Timo Harkonen-Democratic Republic of the Congo, Liz Jackson-Philippines, Quynh-Hoa Nguyen-Vietnam

