



**June 11, 2017**  
**First Sunday after Pentecost**  
**9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Worship**

**GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*During this time, please sign and pass the guest book down your row so that we may rejoice in your presence here today. First-time guests are invited to fill out a Connection Card from the guest book and exchange it for a gift at our welcome center in the foyer. A personal sound amplification device is available for the hearing impaired. Large print hymnals are also available. Please ask an usher for assistance.*

**GREETING**

*Please take this time to greet those around you.*

**PRELUDE**

Midnight Cry arr. Fettke  
 Gideon's Call

**\*SINGING OUR FAITH No. 2130**

The Summons

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Come, let us celebrate the wondrous gifts that God has given us! Rejoice!

**People: Throughout all our lives, God has blessed us with love and hope. Let us rejoice in the Lord always!**

Leader: Praise be to our Sustainer God who provides for us!

**People: May our hearts be truly grateful.**

Leader: May we show our gratitude by the ways in which we live and care for others.

**People: Let us focus on what is right and true and pure.**

Leader: Think about what is excellent and worthy of praise.

**People: We come to worship God, seeking his wisdom and peace.**

**\*PRAYER (Unison)**

**Eternal and loving God, we come into your presence this morning with grateful hearts. In this beloved place of prayer and praise, we are surrounded by fellow sojourners, seeking to do your will and give glory to you. We thank you for those who support us, teach us, and challenge us in our faith journey. Amen.**

**ANTHEM**

To Love Our God Hayes  
 Sanctuary Choir

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Rev. Beanie Kelly (11:00)

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION**

*After all prayer concerns and joys are lifted within the congregation, please respond with "Lord, hear our prayers."*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**\*SINGING OUR FAITH No. 2074**

Shout to the Lord

**GIVING THANKS TO GOD**

**THE OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS**

**OFFERTORY**

You Raise Me Up Lovland & Graham (9:30)  
 Elizabeth Kugel, soloist

From This Valley The Civil Wars (11:00)  
 Kat Pearson and Tara Cornett, soloists

**\*DOXOLOGY**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (Unison)**

**Gracious God, we thank you for another chance for us to meet together to worship you. We experience your blessings every day, blessings that are always given to us freely and with ultimate love. May we love you enough to give you what is already yours. Bless these tithes and offerings today. Amen.**

**HEARING AND RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD**

**SCRIPTURE**

Philippians 4:4-9 (NRSV)

<sup>4</sup> Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. <sup>5</sup> Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. <sup>6</sup> Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

<sup>8</sup> Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. <sup>9</sup> Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON**

Rev. David L. Adkins, Sr.

"Rejoice in the Lord Always"

**GOING FORTH IN GOD'S NAME**

**\*SINGING OUR FAITH No. 572**

Pass It On

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

Lead On, O King Eternal

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*\*Please stand, as you are able.*

**TODAY'S WORSHIP**

**Senior Pastor** Rev. David L. Adkins, Sr.  
**Associate Pastor,**  
**Director of Children's and Family Ministries** Rev. Beanie Kelly  
**Minister of Music and Arts** Rev. Sylvia N. Cooper  
**Director of Contemporary Worship** Brian Mahne  
**Organist** Bob Phillips  
**Violinist** Jesse Wells (11:00)  
**Song Leader** Sophie Reed (9:30) Iva Keller (11:00)  
**Sound** Ed Mekalian (9:30 & 11:00)

**Flowers**

The altar flowers this morning are given by Jeff, Sara, and Sam Fender to the glory of God and in honor of Rev. David Adkins' 40 years of ministry.

The altar flowers this morning are given by Bob and Lisa Jones to the glory of God and in celebration of their 39th wedding anniversary.



**SERMON NOTES**

**Philippians 4:4-9**

1. Of all the churches that sprang up as a result of Paul's ministry possibly none was closer to his \_\_\_\_\_ than the church at Philippi.
2. And in return, the Philippian church was \_\_\_\_\_ to Paul.
3. Dr. Freeman was right; you \_\_\_\_\_ people and they'll \_\_\_\_\_ you.
4. Paul was right when he said, "I can do \_\_\_\_\_ things through God who \_\_\_\_\_ me." (Philippians 4:13)



As we prepare for *The Next Chapter* in the life of the church at SGUMC, let us employ scripture to pause, pray, and feel peace in the assurance of God's perfect plan for our lives. Please pray this scripture for the clergy and laity attending Virginia Annual Conference in Hampton Roads, Virginia, June 16-18. "A New Thing" is this year's theme.

Isaiah 43:19

See I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.

**PRAYER**

Heavenly Father, we are humbled and grateful for the way your works do "New Things" in our lives. Please help us perceive the blessings and opportunities that spring up as a result of your faithfulness. We want to walk obediently the path you make in the wilderness of our lives. We wish to drink from streams of living water in the wastelands of our world, which only your Son, Jesus, can provide. Thank you Lord, Amen.

*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, 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 Schrunk), 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, Rev. W. Ernest Hogge, Terry Hoover (father of Haylee Douglas), Betsy Katko, Susie Kottcamp, Jane Mackey (mother of Roger Mackey), Sara Mackey (sister of Elizabeth Compton), Pam Melton (daughter of Sylvia Chartier), Diane Morrison, 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, Rachel Smith, Marie Thurman, Rob Troisi, 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



*You Are Invited . . .*

After his forty years of ministry in the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church, we are celebrating

*Rev. David L. Adkins, Sr.*

upon his retirement from  
Shady Grove United Methodist Church - Short Pump.  
Today at 2:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

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**Announcements for June 11, 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 call the church office at 360-2600 or email [dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net).*

**TODAY**

**You are invited to attend the celebration of Rev. David Adkins' retirement** after 40 years of ministry. Please join us **today** at 2:00 pm in the SGUMC fellowship hall to commemorate his service to the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church.

**"Let your light shine before others." Gideon's Call Project is underway!** Twelve men have recorded 12 songs. Pre-orders for the Gideon's Call CD will be **\$12 through June 18**. Afterwards, the CD will be \$15. Proceeds will benefit the music and arts ministry. Orders can be taken by emailing [office@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:office@shadygroveumc.net) and requesting number of CDs desired, and then pay by cash or by writing checks payable to SGUMC, with "Music CD" in the memo line. Checks can be mailed, dropped by the church office, or put in the offering plate. If mailing, please address to Olga Komarov. Order forms are available in the pew racks.

**NEW! Adult Bible Studies Summer 2017: God's Urgent Call!** 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, **Sundays**, 9:30-10:30 am in the chapel building, room C-4 or **Wednesdays** 6:30-7:30 pm in education building, room 201. 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.

**VBS registration is now closed;** however, a few opportunities remain for classroom leaders. Learn more at [www.shadygroveumc.net/vbs2017](http://www.shadygroveumc.net/vbs2017). Contact Kate Bishop at [kbishop@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:kbishop@shadygroveumc.net) if you are able to lead.

**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). Gift cards are perfect for teacher and graduate gifts.

**THIS WEEK**

**The Betty Fairbanks Circle** will meet at 11:30 am at the Pickel Barrel (12912 Plaza Drive, Richmond, VA, 804-708-0166) for the end of their year luncheon on **Monday, June 12**. All women of the church are invited to come join the fun and fellowship! Questions? Call and RSVP to Nancy Lowe 716-0517 or [nancylowe10@comcast.net](mailto:nancylowe10@comcast.net).

**Register now for summer Camp Play and Pray – July 10-14 Knights, Princesses, and Dragons—Oh, My!** ages three - rising first grade; **July 31-August 4 On the Dock** 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). 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 art, music, musical theater, robotics, and chess camps at [www.center4creativearts.org](http://www.center4creativearts.org).

**COMING UP**

**Please Give Blood!** Shady Grove UMC Blood Drive is **Sunday, June 18**, from 8:00 am to 12:15 pm, stop by the Bloodmobile. Contact: Kelly Wood at 439-3432. Sign up online at <https://vador.org>. Appointments preferred. Walk-ins welcome.

**S.O.W. What? Summer of Worship Sunday School starts Sunday, June 18** – Children will be in the following rooms of the education building: nursery in room 111; toddlers and twos in room 112; three year olds in room 109; fours, pre-k, and kindergarten in room 103; first through third graders in room 209. Fourth through fifth graders attend worship with their family. Fourth through fifth 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).

**SGUMC Book Club meets Thursday, June 22**, from 6:00-7:30 pm in the church office to discuss *The Purpose Driven Life* by Rick Warren. Contact Lauren Adkins at [ladkins@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:ladkins@shadygroveumc.net) or 212-7195.

**Knitting and Crochet Ministry meets Thursday, June 29**, 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. Contact Margaret Phillips at 527-7857 or [phillips.mwphillips@gmail.com](mailto:phillips.mwphillips@gmail.com).

**Up and Out Missions Tuesday, August 15 - Wednesday, August 16** – Save the date. This hands on local community mission event is open to rising 3rd graders through rising 6th graders. Spend the night in the education building. Details to follow. Contact Beanie Kelly to reserve a spot at [bkelly@shadygroveumc.net](mailto:bkelly@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](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 6/4/2017 |      |       |       |       |     |     |
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| 8:15                    | 9:30 | 11:00 | Cont. | Total | SS  | COW |
| 59                      | 246  | 196   | 155   | 656   | 100 | 20  |