

Today in the fellowship hall, join us for our sermon "One True Thing" as we welcome Pastor Chris.

New Sermon Series: Where We Begin

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Acts 9:10-19 New Revised Standard Version (NRSV):

¹⁰ Now there was a disciple in Damascus named Ananias. The Lord said to him in a vision, "Ananias." He answered, "Here I am, Lord." ¹¹ The Lord said to him, "Get up and go to the street called Straight, and at the house of Judas look for a man of Tarsus named Saul. At this moment he is praying, ¹² and he has seen in a vision a man named Ananias come in and lay his hands on him so that he might regain his sight." ¹³ But Ananias answered, "Lord, I have heard from many about this man, how much evil he has done to your saints in Jerusalem; ¹⁴ and here he has authority from the chief priests to bind all who invoke your name." ¹⁵ But the Lord said to him, "Go, for he is an instrument whom I have chosen to bring my name before Gentiles and kings and before the people of Israel; ¹⁶ I myself will show him how much he must suffer for the sake of my name." ¹⁷ So Ananias went and entered the house. He laid his hands on Saul and said, "Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus, who appeared to you on your way here, has sent me so that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit." ¹⁸ And immediately something like scales fell from his eyes, and his sight was restored. Then he got up and was baptized, ¹⁹ and after taking some food, he regained his strength.

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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:** *Hallelujah, Your Love is Amazing* by Brenton Brown
Open the Eyes of My Heart by Michael Smith
You Are Holy (Prince of Peace) by Michael 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.



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. Use this prayer as a tool to remember God's greatest call on our lives, to love God and love each other.

Mark 12:29-31

29 Jesus answered, "The first is, 'Hear, O Israel: the Lord our God, the Lord is one; 30 you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.' 31 The second is this, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these."

PRAYER

Dear God, Your greatest commandments in Mark 12:29-31, tell me to love You with all my heart, soul, mind and strength, and I will try my best to honor you this way. You say it is equally important to love my neighbor as myself. I want to follow Your commands, so I am asking for your help in loving those around me in The Next Chapter of my life at Shady Grove. I love my church and my church family, and I want us to glorify you in all we say and do. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Sunday 7/2

Sunday Summer Schedule

- Nursery (EB 111) 9:30-10:30 am
- Toddlers & Twos (EB 112) 9:30-10:30 am
- Threes (EB 109) 9:30-10:30 am
- Fours, Pre-K, Kindergarten (EB 103) 9:30-10:30 am
- 1st-3rd Graders (EB 209) 9:30-10:30 am
- Testify Rehearsal (FH) 9:30-10:30 am
- God's Urgent Call Summer Bible Study (Chapel Bldg., C-4) 9:30-10:30 am
- Tennessee Group (DOG House) 8:00 pm

Monday 7/3

Tennessee Group (DOG House)

Tuesday 7/4

- Tennessee Group (DOG House)
- CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
- Short Pump Ruritan Board Meeting (EB 203) 7:00-8:30 pm

Wednesday 7/5

- Tennessee Group (DOG House)
- Youth Summer Fun (Firehouse Subs & Dairy Queen) 11:30 am-12:30 pm
- God's Urgent Call Summer Bible Study (EB 201) 6:30-7:30 pm
- Testify Rehearsal (FH) 7:15-8:15 pm

Thursday 7/6

- Tennessee Group (DOG House)
- UMM Bible Study (TBD) 6:45-7:45 am
- Agriberry Pop Up Market (Front Parking Lot) 10:00 am-2:00 pm

Friday 7/7

Tennessee Group (DOG House)

Saturday 7/8

High School Mission Trip (Niagara Falls, NY)

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- Children's Council (Library) 7:00-8:30 pm



Sunday, July 2, 2017

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-3rd Grade Sunday School Education Building
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 6/18/2017

8:15	9:30	11:00	Cont.	Total	SS	COW
36	112	115	66	329	35	19

Announcements for July 2, 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.

TODAY

We welcome our new Senior Pastor, Chris McLain. She will be preaching at the 8:15 and 9:30 services in the sanctuary as well as in a **combined service in the fellowship hall at 11:00.** The sanctuary choir and Testify will lead our 11:00 worship music together.

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Prayer Partners for Youth Summer Missions – Thanks to everyone who took a prayer bag. Prayer bags are now due. Bring to the church office this week. You may leave on the screen porch of the office if you stop by after hours. Questions? Contact Frank Basil at youth@shadygroveumc.net or 370-4633.

S.O.W. What? Summer of Worship Sunday School – Children are 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, to serve as scripture reader, usher, greeter, or acolyte. Questions? Contact Beanie Kelly at bkelly@shadygroveumc.net.

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. Contact Lauren Adkins with questions at ladkins@shadygroveumc.net or 212-7195.

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.

"Let your light shine before others." Gideon's Call Project! Twelve men recorded 12 songs. CD cost is \$15. Proceeds will benefit the music and arts ministry. Orders can be taken by emailing 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 at the welcome center.

Greeter Ministry – The Greeter Ministry is well underway at SGUMC and we are looking for a 2 or 3 bench seat golf cart. If you know of anyone who would like to donate a used or new golf cart, or donate money towards its purchase, please contact Debbie Hockemeyer at dhockemeyer@shadygroveumc.net. If you are 15 years of age or older and would consider being a greeter several times a year, please contact Bev Hires at bev hires@verizon.net and let her know you would like to be part of this ministry.

THIS WEEK

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. Contact Kate Bishop at kbishop@shadygroveumc.net.

Sign up now for exciting summer camps at The Center for Creative Arts. See the details on art, music, robotics, and chess camps at www.center4creativearts.org.

The STEP Program, serving kids in Gilpin Court, has opportunities for adults to help serve this summer.

Volunteers are needed on a one-time or regular basis to help with Vacation Bible School held July 10-14, 2:30-6:00 pm at Christ Presbyterian Church, 2508 Dickens Road, or with Summer Enrichment, June 26-July 27, Monday through Thursday, 2:30-6:00 pm. The program is also in need of snacks/meals. Here is a link to a sign-up sheet: tinyurl.com/STEPsummer. Contact Gregg Butler for more information at gbutler@shadygroveumc.net or 360-2600, ext. 24.

Bags for Kids of the CCC is offering amazing, inspirational notecards created by talented art students at The Center for Creative Arts. 100% of the proceeds go to support the Caring Clothes Closet and its vision to provide free clothing and/or comfort bags to people in crisis in the metropolitan Richmond area. You can buy cards during office hours at the church office (\$10 check or exact change please), or by contacting Jody Floegel at jodyfloegel@hotmail.com.

COMING UP

Bag Lunch with Beanie and Krafts with Kate – Wednesdays in July (5, 12, 19, 26) 12:30 to 1:45 pm in the education building, room 209. Bring a bag lunch. Get ready for some fun! Ages 5-11. Contact Beanie Kelly at bkelly@shadygroveumc.net or Kate Bishop at kbishop@shadygroveumc.net.

Operation Christmas Child Wrapping Party is Sunday, July 16, at 12:15 pm in the fellowship hall. Stop by to wrap a few shoeboxes and enjoy an ice cream sundae as we celebrate Christmas in July! Drop off 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 by July 16. Questions? Contact Dottie Chilton at dottie.chilton@comcast.net.

Boys' Day – Tuesday, July 18. All day fun for rising second through sixth graders. More details to come. Contact: Beanie Kelly, bkelly@shadygroveumc.net.

Girls' Overnight – Tuesday, August 2, 4:00 pm-Wednesday, August 3, 8:30 am. Rising second graders through rising sixth graders celebrate being girls. We will spend the night in the education building. More details to come. Contact: Beanie Kelly, bkelly@shadygroveumc.net.

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 now to reserve a spot, bkelly@shadygroveumc.net.

Golf Tournament – Registration and sponsorships are now open for the 4th Annual Wayne Samford Memorial Golf Tournament, which benefits Sportable and SGUMC missions. The tournament will be **held Monday, September 18**, at The Dominion Club. Learn more at www.shadygroveumc.net/golf. Questions? Contact Jeff Samford at 612-0582 or jeffs@businesspartnerric.com.

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 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), Peggy Hill, Rev. W. Ernest Hogge, Terry Hoover (father of Haylee Douglas), Lisa Jones, Betsy Katko, Susie Kottcamp, Jane Mackey (mother of Roger Mackey), Sara Mackey (sister of Elizabeth Compton), Robert McNamara, Pam Melton (daughter of Sylvia Chartier), Diane Morrison, Betty Rogers Nelson (mother of Mae Spruill), 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), Rick Robertson (brother of Martha Anne Martin), Amira Safwat, Rachel Smith, 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

