



SHADY GROVE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

November 20, 2022

**“Magnifying Jesus Christ by ministering His gospel to
ourselves, our community and around the world”**

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Welcome to Shady Grove Presbyterian Church!

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Our Weekly Schedule

Sunday Morning Worship Service at 10:45am, in person and broadcast live on YouTube

Sunday Evening Cornerstone Youth Group 6:00-7:45pm

Late Morning Prayer (Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 11:00-11:30 on Zoom:
Thursday evening Cornerstone Bible Study, 7:00pm-8:45pm

Dates to Remember

11/20 TODAY! Thanksgiving Service

11/20 TODAY! Operation Christmas boxes due

11/26 Advent Wreath Making Extravaganza

12/1 Christmas Decorating Party

12/16 Cornerstone Christmas

2/17-19 Cornerstone High School Winter Retreat



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See updates and details on our website (<https://shadygrovepca.org/>),
Facebook page ([ShadyGrovePCA](https://www.facebook.com/ShadyGrovePCA)), and Instagram ([ShadyGrovePCA](https://www.instagram.com/ShadyGrovePCA)).

Announcements & Events

Shady Grove Adults *Adult Sunday School*

New classes began **September 11** and will run through the end of November. There are three adult Sunday School classes: Tammy Jones is leading a women's class in the sanctuary on the Psalms; Gene Sohn, Kris Marcantonio, and Dave Hawes are leading a class in room 10/11 using Michael Horton's new book entitled *Recovering our Sanity: How the Fear of God Conquers the Fears that Divide Us*; and Russ Rushton, Scott Melson, and Nathaniel Carr are leading a class in room 9 on the epistle of Romans chapters 1-7.

Giving Options

In addition to online giving (<https://shadygrovepca.org/give/>) or mailing in your checks (Shady Grove Presbyterian Church, 16911 Redland Rd. Derwood, MD 20855), there is now a **Check Deposit Box located outside the church office**. It resembles a mail slot. This deposit box has replaced the wooden check box. Thank you!

SG Office Hours

During the week of Thanksgiving, the church office will be open Monday-Tuesday, November 21-22. The office will be celebrating Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 23-Friday, November 25 with their families.

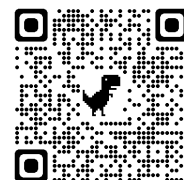
Life Groups

If you are interested in joining a life group that will begin in January 2023, please contact the church office. Presently, we have groups meeting on various nights of the week at different parts of Montgomery County, and even a group in Frederick County! It's a great way to grow relationships with other church members! Learn more by contacting Tammy in the church office.

Shady Grove Families

Advent Wreath Extravaganza

You won't want to miss this opportunity to construct an Advent wreath for your family. On **November 26**, 10am-12noon, the church will be assembling wreaths with a variety of fresh greens and candles. In addition, you can bring your own fresh clipped greens to add to the wreaths. [Sign up](#) required, \$12/wreath. Supplies are limited!



Ensemble: Calling all instrumentalists!!! It has been three years since our ensemble has played. We would love to have you join us for the ensemble where we will play during the worship service in December. Please contact Kim Baile as soon as possible.

Shady Grove Women

Are you on social media? If you'd like to become a part of the "Women of Shady Grove Presbyterian Church" Facebook group, or the "Shady Grove Moms" group, please contact the church office. We'd love to connect with you!

Place 4 You Bible Study

We have started our IN-PERSON bible studies again at Shady Grove Church to study *Trustworthy: Overcoming Our Greatest Struggles to Trust God*, with Lysa TerKeurst. Until December 6, the Tuesday morning study meets from 9:30-noon-contact Barbara Brown. The Thursday evening study meets until December 8, 7:00-9:00pm-contact Linda Hurry. Workbooks will be available in each class. We are very excited to return to our IN-PERSON studies -- to get re-connected with old & new friends and to study God's word together. Come and be blessed!

Shady Grove Volunteers

Technology Team

The Technology Team is looking for volunteers ages 12 and up (both youth and adults) that have an interest in learning technology and helping others. Volunteers will help upgrade and maintain the various technology systems utilized by the church and have the opportunity to learn about a large variety of technologies, including computing systems, networking, and cloud/internet servers. If interested, please reach out to Joshua Klosterman through joshua@shadygrovepca.org.

Shady Grove Missions *Operation Christmas Child*

The boxes are due TODAY, **November 20, 2022**. Instructions are included in the boxes. Please put the boxes on the table in the Narthex.

Missionary Visit!

JG and Daryl Zoellner will be with Shady Grove on Sunday, December 4 for Sunday School and the morning service.

Local Missions: ESL

Do you have an interest in helping the foreigner among us? Is God calling you to spread His love and word to people from other nations right here in Montgomery County? The ESL program run by Covenant Life Church is in deep need of teachers, classroom assistants, and child care providers to help with their program. They have a waiting list of students and are short staffed with current classes. If interested, please contact Pam Wilbur.

Mission Trip!

We have a great opportunity for a short mission trip to Santa Marta, Colombia, South America from **February 3 - February 10, 2023**. We will be working with Calvary Reformed Church teaching about family dynamics and working with 120 kids from Sembrando Vida Foundation. There will be an information meeting **November 27** after church in room 10/11. For more information, contact the Lamy's.

Podcasts Are Live!

The Missions Committee has interviewed several of our missionaries and included these as [podcasts](#) on our website. These are concise and informative interviews! Check them out!

Afghan Family Needs

The Afghan family we have been part of helping is in need of home furnishings. All basic donated furniture items are needed such as beds, dressers, coffee tables, couches, accent chairs, kitchen tables and chairs, etc. If you are interested in donating any furniture they might need please email the church office. We would like to be a blessing to these families in as many ways as possible, showing them the love of Christ.

Missionaries of the Month

Paul & Louise Klawitter, Encompass World Partners, Dijon, France

Paul was in Chad this week meeting with Charis church planters, who requested help to address their obstacles and opposition. Please pray for these leaders as they reflect on these discussions as they seek to reach out, and pray for Paul to understand the best way to encourage their continual learning. Also, the [podcast](#) is a great way to be updated on their ministry.

Gaithersburg HELP *The Micah Basket* is where donated food and diaper items are kept for delivery to Gaithersburg HELP. It is located in the children's wing for the month of November. Bring canned goods or other nonperishable items and fill the basket!

White Fields Missions Offering 2022

We have been doing a White Fields offering for missions around December for many years as a church. The White Fields Offering is an annual Shady Grove offering which raises funds to support the needs of our missionaries, both within the US and those who serve abroad, and to respond to one time needs for various ministries. Each year the missions committee prayerfully selects designees to receive a portion of the offering. This past year, Young Life Montgomery County and the Christian Business Men's Connection Maryland (an organization supporting a network of men learning to integrate work and faith), were among the ministries chosen. We were also blessed to be able to provide financial assistance to missionaries and ministries with specific needs or to help fill the gap created by financial shortfalls. **Three of the ministries we would like to support this year include the Shannons in Peru** (for construction of a new center), **Covenant Village, and International Students Inc** (Hon Lam's student ministry at Montgomery College). Our goal this year is to raise \$25,000. The drive will run from Thanksgiving through the end of January. You can give online or by writing "White Fields" in the memo line of your check. There are also envelopes labeled White Fields available at the church. You can give toward White Fields at any time of the year, but giving at this time helps the committee better prepare for how to best distribute the funds. The missions committee would like to thank you in advance for your generous gifts to the work of expanding the reach of the Gospel. "Look, I tell you, lift up your eyes, and see that the fields are white for harvest." John 4:35b "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore, pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." Luke 10:2

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WORSHIP HIS MAJESTY

Reflection Verses:

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever! ² Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom he has redeemed from trouble...

Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress. ²⁹He made the storm be still, and the waves of the sea were hushed. ³⁰Then they were glad that the waters were quiet, and he brought them to their desired haven. ³¹Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love, for his wondrous works to the children of man!

Psalm 107:1-2; 28-31

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Call to Worship – Psalm 100

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! ² Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!

All: Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!

All: For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

For the Beauty of the Earth - *Hymn #560*

For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies,
For the love which from our birth, over and around us lies;
Lord of all, to Thee we raise, this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the wonder of each hour, of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light;
Lord of all, to Thee we raise, this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child;
Friends on earth and friends above; for all gentle thoughts and mild;
Lord of all, to Thee we raise, this our hymn of grateful praise

For Thy Church that evermore, lifteth holy hands above,
Offering up on every shore, her pure sacrifice of love:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise, this our hymn of grateful praise.

For Thyself, best gift divine, to our race so freely given;
For that great, great love of Thine, peace on earth and joy in heaven:
Lord of all, to Thee we raise, this our hymn of grateful praise.

Prayer

Congregation Testimonies and Thanksgiving

Love Divine

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heaven, to earth come down
Fill us with thy humble dwelling, all Thy faithful mercies crown
Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love Thou art
Visit us with thy salvation, enter every trembling, every trembling heart

Breathe, oh, breathe Thy loving Spirit, into every troubled breast
Let us all in Thee inherit, let us find Thy promised rest
Take away the love of sinning, Alpha and Omega be
End of faith, as its beginning, set our hearts at liberty, at liberty

Come, Almighty, to deliver, let us all Thy life receive
Suddenly return, and never, nevermore Thy temples leave
Thee we would be always blessing, serve Thee as Thy hosts above
Pray and praise Thee without ceasing, glory in Thy perfect, in Thy perfect love

Finish, then, Thy new creation, pure and spotless let us be
Let us see Thy great salvation, perfectly restored in Thee
Changed from glory into glory, til in heaven we take our place
Til we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love, in wonder, love and praise

(Children through 8 years old are dismissed to children's church.)

SHARING AND CARING

Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Bruce Wiley

PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD

“Beyond Gratitude”

Pastor Charlie Baile

Scripture Reading – Mark 4:35-41

On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, “Let us go across to the other side.” ³⁶ And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. ³⁷ And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. ³⁸ But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, “Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?” ³⁹ And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, “Peace! Be still!” And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰ He said to them, “Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?” ⁴¹ And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, “Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?”

Sermon Notes

See Him in Jerusalem

See Him in Jerusalem, walking where the crowds are
Once these streets had sung to Him, now they cry for murder

Such a frail and lonely man, holding up the heavy cross
See Him walking in Jerusalem on the road to save us

See Him there upon the hill hear the scorn and laughter
Silent as a lamb He waits praying to the father

See the King who made the sun and the moon and shining stars
Let the soldiers hold and nail Him down so that He could save them

See Him there upon the cross now no longer breathing
Dust that formed the watching crowds takes the blood of Jesus

Feel the Earth is shaking now, see the veil split in two
And He stood before the wrath of God shielding sinners with his blood

See the empty tomb today, death could not contain him
Once the servant of the world now in vict'ry reigning

Lift your voices to the one Who is seated on the throne
See him in the new Jerusalem Praise the one who saved us

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Communion

Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

Agnus Dei

Alleluia, alleluia
For our Lord God Almighty reigns.

Alleluia, alleluia
For the Lord God Almighty reigns.

Alleluia, Holy,
Holy are You Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb.

You are holy
Holy are you Lord God Almighty
Worthy is the Lamb, worthy is the Lamb, Amen.

Benediction