



# SHADY GROVE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**May 21, 2023**

**“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!*

## Our Weekly Schedule

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

NO Sunday Evening Cornerstone Youth Group Tonight, 6:00-7:45pm

Late Morning Prayer (Tuesday and Friday, 11:00-11:30) on Zoom:

Thursday evening Cornerstone Bible Study this week 7:00pm-8:45pm

### Dates to Remember

**5/27** Gunther Baby Shower

**6/2** Cornerstone Banquet

**6/15** Mom's Play Date at Shady Grove PCA

**6/16-17** Middle School Overnight

**6/21-22** High School Sprint

**6/24** SG Kids Blueberry Picking at Butler's

**7/5-7** Sports Camp

**7/24-28** VBS!

**8/3-6** High School Summer Retreat

See updates and details on our website (<https://shadygrovepca.org/>)

Facebook page ([ShadyGrovePCA](#)) & Instagram ([ShadyGrovePCA](#))

## *New Here? Welcome to Shady Grove!*

We're glad you're here! Please visit our welcome center in the lobby or scan the QR code to fill out a connect card.



## *Shady Grove Adults*

### *Looking for an Edifying Night Out?*

Further Up & Further In is C.S. Lewis onstage, written and performed by Max McLean, is coming to Washington DC **June 7-18** at the Klein Theatre. "This is a mesmerizing, one-of-a-kind stage experience that promises to take you further up and further in the heart and mind of C.S. Lewis." For ticket information, go online: [cslewissonstage.com](http://cslewissonstage.com).

### *Summer Sunday School*

New class begins June 4! Each week a stand-alone class will take place on the Minor Prophets. Stay tuned for more information!

### ***Giving Options***

Give [online](#), mail in a check (Shady Grove Presbyterian Church, 16911 Redland Rd. Derwood, MD 20855), or drop an offering in the Check Deposit Box located outside the church office. Thank you!

### **Shady Grove Women** ***Baby Gunther Celebrated!***

We are hosting a baby shower honoring Elias & Cara Gunther and Baby Azylnn on Saturday, **May 27** at 2 p.m.! Details are in the [sign-up genius](#), but it involves "pink" and "chocolate!"

### ***Afternoon Tea***

All women are invited to an afternoon tea in the narthex from **1-3pm** Thursday, **May 25, 2023**. For details, see the sign-up sheet located under the television screen by the Welcome Center. The sign-up sheet will be available through **Sunday morning, May 21, 2023**.

### **Shady Grove Missions** ***It's Baby Bottle Time!***

Our annual support of the Shady Grove Pregnancy Center begins today! Grab a baby bottle from the children's wing and fill it up with coins (or bills!) You can also give online [here](#).



### ***Good News Mission Banquet***

For the first time in several years due to COVID restrictions, Good News Jail Ministry is hosting a fundraising banquet. Please join them for "Reigniting of the Vision" in Montgomery County on **June 3, 2023** at 5:00 PM at Mount Calvary, 608 North Horners Lane, Rockville, MD. For More Information contact Chaplain Russ Isler. You may also register [here](#).

### ***Afghan Family Needs***

UPDATE: The Afghan families are in need of carpets, but at this point, they no longer need furniture or home furnishings. THANK YOU for your many generous donations. If you have carpets that you are able to donate, please reach out to Eric Hein, our point of contact regarding material donations. 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: May 2023***

***Toby and Sara Shannon - Commission to Every Nation (US, Peru; Worldwide)***

#### Ministry Updates:

- The missionary counseling network will soon complete its 2nd year of ministry to missionaries and relief workers worldwide. (See Prayer)
- Our Yapey teams (Yapey Yurijcuna/Renacer Ministry in Peru) continue to plant seeds of the Kingdom of God in hearts of our participants with disabilities, while bringing them training to help them survive in this life and support, or contribute to the economy of, their families. May they understand that their limitations are temporary and yearn for the glorious Day of the Lord!

- God continues to amaze us at how He is moving in the hearts of riders and authorities of the motorcycle racing events. Much prayer is going forth weekly, that hearts would be reached for the Gospel and that family relationships would be restored. Our ministry team is led by a national pastor/racer who is highly respected by all in the motorcycle-racing world.
- There are 3 planned work team dates for volunteers to come and help build the training and discipleship center for the ministry to people with disabilities in Huánuco State (where more than 35,000 are registered with disabilities) in 2023. The first work team of five adults (in March despite it being rainy season) was able to prefabricate (in our shop welding shop) all the exterior wall panels for the construction! The second team (in July) will be a youth team coming to begin raising the walls on site and doing Paralympic camp with some of our participants. The third team (in October) is open for all (even those unskilled in building) who wish to come to Peru to help finish the construction of the first building!

#### Prayer:

- The Missionary Counseling Network has grown to 39 counselors, but the need is great, especially those able to counsel in other languages. Please pray for our Second Annual Meeting and training for counseling those with complex trauma.
- For many witnessing opportunities for the Motorcyclists for Christ ministry team during the upcoming Motorcycle Rally Race in August 2023.
- Provision for the permits and construction costs for the Training and Discipleship Center in Peru.

#### ***Craig and Ree Coulbourne, Mission to the World (Japan)***

#### Answers to Previous Prayer Requests

- Craig is finding it challenging to keep up with all of the demands of his new role as MTW Japan director. There is just more to do than he can do. Please pray for wisdom as Craig prioritizes what he should give his time to and with whom he should spend his time. (Not a very exciting prayer request, but very needed.)
- We are thankful that our son, Andrew, has made a good transition to college and to life in the U.S. He has made some connections with a Christian student group and a church. Please continue to pray that he would find regular Christian fellowship. Pray also for God's leading about his plans for his summer.

#### New Prayer Requests This Month

- Please pray for God's leading as we seek to discern the vision, mission, strategies and priorities to which God is calling us. As MTW Japan makes a transition into the next stage of its presence and work in Japan, the leadership team is working to articulate several foundational tenets that express what we believe God is calling MTW Japan to during the next phase of its ministry here.
- Please pray that God would raise up those who can serve as elders, deacons, Bible study leaders, Sunday school teachers at Shin Urayasu Grace Church. One missionary family who played an important part in starting the church is moving to a new ministry. Two of our key Japanese partners who also played important parts from the beginning are less available due to changes in their life circumstances. Pray that the members of SUGC would willingly and zealously serve in the activities of the church as we seek to implement new structures, which encourage a more proactive role for members.

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## WORSHIP HIS MAJESTY

### Reflection Verses:

*(John the Baptist on “bearing fruit in keeping with repentance”)* And the crowds asked him, “What then shall we do?”<sup>11</sup> And he answered them, “Whoever has two tunics is to share with him who has none, and whoever has food is to do likewise.”<sup>12</sup> Tax collectors also came to be baptized and said to him, “Teacher, what shall we do?”<sup>13</sup> And he said to them, “Collect no more than you are authorized to do.”<sup>14</sup> Soldiers also asked him, “And we, what shall we do?” And he said to them, “Do not extort money from anyone by threats or by false accusation, and be content with your wages.”

**Luke 3:10-14**

### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

### Responsive Call to Worship – Acts 2:22-47

**Leader:** “Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know—<sup>23</sup> this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men. <sup>24</sup> God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it. <sup>25</sup> For David says concerning him,

**All:** ““I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand that I may not be shaken; <sup>26</sup> therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; my flesh also will dwell in hope. <sup>27</sup> For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One see corruption. <sup>28</sup> You have made known to me the paths of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence.”

**Leader:** “Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. <sup>30</sup> Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he

would set one of his descendants on his throne, <sup>31</sup> he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. <sup>32</sup> This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. <sup>33</sup> Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. <sup>34</sup> For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says,

**All:** “The Lord said to my Lord, “Sit at my right hand, <sup>35</sup> until I make your enemies your footstool.” ’

**Leader:** Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.” <sup>37</sup> Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles,

**All:** “Brothers, what shall we do?”

**Leader:** And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. <sup>39</sup> For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.” <sup>40</sup> And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” <sup>41</sup> So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

**All:** And they devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. <sup>43</sup> And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. <sup>44</sup> And all who believed were together and had all things in common. <sup>45</sup> And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. <sup>46</sup> And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, <sup>47</sup> praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

## **Come People of the Risen King**

Come, people of the Risen King,  
Who delight to bring Him praise;  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing  
To the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
We will lift our eyes to Him,  
Where steady arms of mercy reach  
To gather children in.

Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!

Come, those whose joy is morning sun,  
And those weeping through the night;  
Come, those who tell of battles won,  
And those struggling in the fight.  
For His perfect love will never change,  
And His mercies never cease,  
But follow us through all our days  
With the certain hope of peace.

Come, young and old from every land -  
Men and women of the faith;  
Come, those with full or empty hands -  
Find the riches of His grace.  
Over all the world, His people sing -  
Shore to shore we hear them call  
The Truth that cries through every age:  
"Our God is all in all"!



## Unison Scripture Reading – Acts 4:32-35

Now the full number of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one said that any of the things that belonged to him was his own, but they had everything in common. <sup>33</sup> And with great power the apostles were giving their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. <sup>34</sup> There was not a needy person among them, for as many as were owners of lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold <sup>35</sup> and laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.

### **Praise Him! Praise Him!** *Hymn #106*

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
Sing, O Earth, His wonderful love proclaim!  
Hail Him! Hail Him! Highest archangels in glory;  
Strength and honor give to His holy name!  
Like a shepherd Jesus will guard His children,  
In His arms He carries them all day long

*Refrain: Praise Him! Praise Him! Tell of His excellent greatness;  
Praise Him! Praise Him! Ever in joyful song.*

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
For our sins He suffered, and bled and died;  
He our Rock, our hope of eternal salvation,  
Hail Him! Hail Him! Jesus the Crucified.  
Sound His praises! Jesus who bore our sorrows;  
Love unbounded, wonderful, deep and strong:     *Refrain*

Praise Him! Praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
Heav'nly portals loud with hosannas ring!  
Jesus, Savior, reigneth forever and ever;  
Crown Him! Crown Him! Prophet and Priest and King!  
Christ is coming! Over the world victorious,  
Pow'r and glory unto the Lord belong:     *Refrain*

*(Children eight years old and under are dismissed to children's church.)*

## **SHARING AND CARING**

### **Acceptance of New Members**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Elder Scott Melson**

## **PROCLAMATION OF GOD'S WORD**

**“Where is Your Treasure?”**

**Pastor Charlie Baile**

### **Scripture Reading – Mark 10:13-31**

And they were bringing children to him that he might touch them, and the disciples rebuked them. <sup>14</sup> But when Jesus saw it, he was indignant and said to them, “Let the children come to me; do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. <sup>15</sup> Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” <sup>16</sup> And he took them in his arms and blessed them, laying his hands on them. <sup>17</sup> And as he was setting out on his journey, a man ran up and knelt before him and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” <sup>18</sup> And Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good except God alone. <sup>19</sup> You know the commandments: ‘Do not murder, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor your father and mother.’” <sup>20</sup> And he said to him, “Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth.” <sup>21</sup> And Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, “You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me.” <sup>22</sup> Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions. <sup>23</sup> And Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How difficult it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!” <sup>24</sup> And the disciples were amazed at his words. But Jesus said to them again, “Children, how difficult it is to enter the kingdom of God! <sup>25</sup> It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God.” <sup>26</sup> And they were exceedingly astonished, and said to him, “Then who can be saved?” <sup>27</sup> Jesus looked at them and said, “With man it is impossible, but not with God. For all things are possible with God.” <sup>28</sup> Peter began to say to him, “See, we have left everything and followed you.” <sup>29</sup> Jesus said, “Truly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands, for my sake and for the gospel, <sup>30</sup> who will not receive a hundredfold now in this time, houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and in the age to come eternal life. <sup>31</sup> But who are first will be last, and the last first.”

# **Sermon Notes**

## **Jesus, Thank You**

The myst'ry of the cross I cannot comprehend  
The agonies of Calvary  
You the perfect holy One crushed Your Son  
Drank the bitter cup reserved for me

*Refrain:*

*Your blood has washed away my sin Jesus, thank You  
The Father's wrath completely satisfied Jesus, thank You  
Once your enemy now seated at Your table Jesus, thank You*

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near  
Your enemy you've made your friend  
Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace  
Your mercy and Your kindness knows no end. *Refrain*

## **Celebration of Communion**

### **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

#### **Your Grace is Enough**

Great is Your faithfulness oh God.  
You wrestle with the sinner's heart.  
You lead us by still waters into mercy.  
And nothing can keep us apart.

So remember Your people.  
Remember Your children  
Remember Your promise oh God.

Your grace is enough,  
Your grace is enough  
Your grace is enough, for me.

Great is Your love and justice God  
You use the weak to lead the strong  
You lead us in the song of Your salvation

And all Your people sing along  
So remember Your people.  
Remember Your children  
Remember Your promise oh God.

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**Benediction**