



SHADY GROVE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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**“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

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, 7:00-8:45pm

Dates to Remember

3/24 Church-wide Prayer Meeting - **TONIGHT!!**

3/29 Seder Dinner

3/30 Easter Egg Hunt

4/13 Spring Workday

4/13 Mom's Night Out

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

Upcoming Dates for Families

We know that there are many options for your family in the summers. Here are a few dates for the children and youth during the summer that we want to be sure you know about:

5/31 Cornerstone Banquet

6/14-15 Cornerstone Sprint

7/8-12 VBS

7/24-26 Sports Camp

8/ 8-11 Cornerstone Retreat

8/17 SG Kids Brunch & a Movie

9/8 Church Picnic

Prayer Meeting, TONIGHT, March 24

Join us this evening at the home of Charlie and Kim Baile, 6:15-7:45 for fellowship, singing and intercessory prayer. There will be no prayer meeting next week because of Easter.

Easter Candy Due Today!

Please remember to return all candy-filled Easter eggs today. If you forgot to bring them, you can stop by the church during the week and drop off the eggs. **Thank you!**

Easter Egg Hunt

On Saturday, **March 30**, please join us at 2pm at the church, for our annual Easter egg hunt. We will enjoy fellowship together, the teens and young-at-heart adults will hide the eggs, the children will hunt for them, collect them **in bags that you bring**, and then we will eat **snacks, that you bring to share** while the children trade for all their favorite candies.

Seder Dinner, Good Friday, March 29

Join us this Friday for our Good Friday service and meal together. Chosen People Ministries will lead us in an explanation of the Seder dinner and the symbolism of the elements that point to Christ. We will eat together at 5:30, Friday, **March 29**, with the presentation following. The church will be providing chicken and the sign up for sides and more is in the form. You may use the QR code to sign up for the Seder presentation or contact the church office. Bring guests to experience this evening!



Spring Sunday School Classes

There are two classes offered for Spring Sunday School. A team of women will be teaching a class called "Finding our True Identity in Christ" using Tim Keller's book, *The Freedom of Self-Forgetfulness* and The Gospel Coalition's book, *Identity Theft: Reclaiming the Truth of Who We are in Christ*. Pastor Baile, Chris Kinsinger, and Gene Sohn are teaching Isaiah 40-55 in room 10-11. Please come and join us as we explore the beautiful promises and the greatness of God on display in these incredible chapters that often get overlooked.

Spring Church Work Day, April 13

Our Spring Church Work Day is coming up **Saturday, April 13**. We will begin at 9:30am and work both inside and outside to spruce up our building and grounds. You may choose to work outside on landscaping, window washing, mulch, or any of the various indoor jobs if you prefer. Cleaning products and other supplies will be provided but please feel free to also bring your own rakes, shovels, gardening tools, masks, gloves, goggles, knee pads, boots, rags, tarps, or what you need to help you work! Lunch will also be provided. Thank you so much for your service while you get to know others as you work together, gain a great sense of accomplishment, and have the privilege of seeing our building and property sparkle! We look forward to seeing you there!

Giving Options

In addition to online giving (<https://shadygrovepca.org/give/>) or mailing in your checks, there is a Check Deposit Box located outside the church office, resembling a mail slot.



Shady Grove Women

Mom's Night Out

Jessica Engle is hosting the next Mom's Night on Saturday, **April 13**. Moms will meet at [Rise Pies, Clarksburg Outlets](#) at 6pm for dinner followed by a game night at the Engles' home.

Save the Date!

Plan to join us for *Rooted and Growing Together: A House Plant Swap*. Saturday, **April 20**, 10a-1pm at the Hawes home in Olney, the women will meet to learn about plants, exchange trimmings that can be grown indoors, enjoy yummy food and good company, and learn about all things plant! Start putting aside your extra plants to trade or bring stem cuttings, seedlings, or seeds to share.



Shady Grove Men

Romans Bible Study

Pastor Charlie Baile will be leading the men through the book of Romans on **Saturdays** from 9:00-10:30am in the hospitality room at the church. Although an RSVP is not required, contact Pastor Charlie if you'd like to be included. Coffee will be provided.



Shady Grove Missions

Mission Team to Colombia, South America – STAY TUNED!

Interest meeting coming soon for the Missions trip to Colombia, July 25 – August 4, 2024.

Missionaries of the Month

Sarah Lokos, Montgomery County Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)

I cannot thank you enough for your continued support of me and Montgomery County FCA! It has certainly been a season of growth. I am thankful that we have added three new FCA Huddles at schools across the county this year. Our Rockville High School FCA just kicked off for the first time a couple weeks ago! I've been amazed and encouraged by our student leaders this year. They have a passion for sharing the Gospel on their school campuses and have a deep desire to grow in their own walks with the Lord. On March 22, I will be traveling to Malaysia with two local high school students and a volunteer. Please pray for safety over this trip. Pray for the Lord's provision for all the paperwork and funding to come through. Most importantly, please pray that we can be an encouragement to our FCA Malaysia staff and serve and love them well. Please pray for our summer ministries as we are in full planning mode for our internship and summer camps. Lastly, our FCA Impact Dinner is on March 18. Please pray that this event would be glorifying to God, we would communicate the vision and mission of FCA well, and raise the funds needed to support our growing ministry.

Shady Grove Pregnancy Center

The March Deacon's Offering is designated for the **Shady Grove Pregnancy Center**. The Shady Grove Pregnancy Center is a local non-profit that supports women navigating crisis pregnancies. Our support is offered at no cost to the women. We provide pregnancy testing, options counseling, sonograms, parenting classes, material assistance, and community referrals. This vital assistance is made feasible by the support of churches like Shady Grove Presbyterian, who value the sanctity of life and the dignity of each person. Your generosity fuels our mission. Without organizations such as yours, we would not be able to do what we do. Prayer request: We request your prayers for those in crisis to discover our center and for us to equip them with the necessary resources.

Gaithersburg HELP Volunteer Needs

Gaithersburg HELP is in need of volunteers in two areas specifically. Work from home using your own phone and computer as a call center volunteer. Listen to voicemail messages from clients, call clients to confirm the services needed, and enter approved service appointments in an online computer system. Training includes blocking home phone numbers. Flexible hours are available. ***The ability to help Spanish-speaking clients is a critical need.*** Also, volunteer drivers are needed. Drive clients to and from medical or social service appointments from 8a-5p, Monday to Friday. Check the QR code to apply.



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WORSHIP HIS MAJESTY

For Reflection:

By oppression and judgment He was taken away; And as for His generation, who considered That He was cut off out of the land of the living For the transgression of my people, to whom the stroke *was due*? ⁹ His grave was assigned with wicked men, Yet He was with a rich man in His death, Because He had done no violence, nor was there any deceit in His mouth.

I s a i a h 53 : 8 - 9

(NASB)

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Call to Worship – Matthew 21:1-16

Leader: Now when they drew near to Jerusalem and came to Bethphage, to the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, ² saying to them, “Go into the village in front of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Untie them and bring them to me. ³ If anyone says anything to you, you shall say, ‘The Lord needs them,’ and he will send them at once.” ⁴ This took place to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet, saying,

All: “Say to the daughter of Zion, ‘Behold, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.’ ”

Leader: The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them. ⁷ They brought the donkey and the colt and put on them their cloaks, and he sat on them. ⁸ Most of the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹ And the crowds that went before him and that followed him were shouting,

All: “Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!”

Leader: And when he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred up, saying,

All: “Who is this?” ¹¹ And the crowds said, “This is the prophet Jesus, from Nazareth of Galilee.”

Leader: And Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who sold and bought in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money-changers and the seats of those who sold pigeons. ¹³ He said to them,

All: “It is written, ‘My house shall be called a house of prayer,’ but you make it a den of robbers.”

Leader: And the blind and the lame came to him in the temple, and he healed them. ¹⁵ But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying out in the temple,

All: “Hosanna to the Son of David!”

Leader: they were indignant, ¹⁶ and they said to him, “Do you hear what these are saying?” And Jesus said to them, “Yes; have you never read,

All: “ ‘Out of the mouth of infants and nursing babies you have prepared praise’?”

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna – Hymn #174

Hosanna, loud hosanna, the little children sang;
Through pillared court and temple the lovely anthem rang;
To Jesus who had blessed them close folded to His breast,
The children sang their praises the simplest and the best.

From Olivet they followed, mid an exultant crowd
The victor palm branch waving, and chanting clear and loud
The Lord of men and angels rode on in lowly state,
Nor scorned that little children should on His bidding wait.

"Hosanna in the highest!" that ancient song we sing,
For Christ is our Redeemer the Lord of heav'n our King;
O may we ever praise Him with heart and life and voice,
And in His blissful presence eternally rejoice!

Responsive Scripture Reading – Psalm 118:19-24; Acts 4:11-12

Leader: Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

All: This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.

Leader: I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

All: The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.²³ This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.²⁴ This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Leader: This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone.

All: And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

Man of Sorrows

Man of sorrows Lamb of God
By His own betrayed
The sin of man and wrath of God
Has been on Jesus laid

Silent as He stood accused
Beaten mocked and scorned
Bowing to the Father's will
He took a crown of thorns

*Chorus: Oh that rugged cross my salvation
Where Your love poured out over me
Now my soul cries out hallelujah
Praise and honor unto Thee*

Sent of heaven God's own Son
To purchase and redeem
And reconcile the very ones
Who nailed Him to that tree *Chorus*

Bridge
Now my debt is paid
It is paid in full
By the precious blood
That my Jesus spilled
Now the curse of sin
Has no hold on me
Whom the Son sets free
Oh is free indeed 2x *Chorus*

See the stone is rolled away
Behold the empty tomb
Hallelujah God be praised
He's risen from the grave *Chorus*

Responsive Scripture Reading – I Corinthians 15:1-4

Leader: Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, ² and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you—unless you believed in vain.

All: For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, ⁴ that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

O Praise the Name

I cast my mind to Calvary
Where Jesus bled and died for me
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet
My Savior on that cursed tree

His body bound and drenched in tears
They laid Him down in Joseph's tomb
The entrance sealed by heavy stone
Messiah still and all alone

*Chorus: O praise the Name of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days we will sing Your praise
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God*

Then on the third at break of dawn
The Son of heaven rose again
O trampled death where is your sting?
The angels roar for Christ the King *Chorus*

He shall return in robes of white
The blazing sun shall pierce the night
And I will rise among the saints
My gaze transfixed on Jesus' face *Chorus (x2)*

Tag: Oh Lord, oh Lord our God

(Children eight years and younger are dismissed to children's church.)

SHARING AND CARING

Pastoral Prayer

Elder Dave Hawes

Ministry in Music

PROCLAMATION OF GOD’S WORD

“Not Your Average Joe”

Pastor Charlie Baile

Scripture Reading – Mark 15:37-47

And Jesus uttered a loud cry and breathed his last. ³⁸ And the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. ³⁹ And when the centurion, who stood facing him, saw that in this way he breathed his last, he said, “Truly this man was the Son of God!” ⁴⁰ There were also women looking on from a distance, among whom were Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James the younger and of Joses, and Salome. ⁴¹ When he was in Galilee, they followed him and ministered to him, and there were also many other women who came up with him to Jerusalem. ⁴² And when evening had come, since it was the day of Preparation, that is, the day before the Sabbath, ⁴³ Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. ⁴⁴ Pilate was surprised to hear that he should have already died. And summoning the centurion, he asked him whether he was already dead. ⁴⁵ And when he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the corpse to Joseph. ⁴⁶ And Joseph bought a linen shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud and laid him in a tomb that had been cut out of the rock. And he rolled a stone against the entrance of the tomb. ⁴⁷ Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joses saw where he was laid.

Sermon Notes

Be Still My Soul (In You I Rest)

Be still, my soul; the Lord is on thy side,
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain
Leave to thy God to order and provide,
In every change, He faithful will remain
Be still, my soul; thy best, thy heavenly Friend,
Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end

Be still, my soul; thy God doth undertake,
To guide the future as He has the past
Thy hope, thy confidence, let nothing shake,
All now mysterious shall be bright at last
Be still, my soul; the waves and winds still know
His voice Who ruled them while He dwelt below

*Chorus: In You I rest; in You I found my hope,
In You I trust; You never let me go
I place my life within Your hands alone, Be still, my soul*

Be still, my soul; the hour is hastening on,
When we shall be forever with the Lord
When disappoint, grief, and fear are gone,
Sorrow forgot, loves purest joys restored
Be still, my soul; when change and tears are past
All safe and blessed we shall meet at last *Chorus (x2)*

Be still, my soul, Be still, my soul

Benediction

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