

OUR LIFE TOGETHER...WEEK OF MAY 11-18, 2025



SUN 5/11: Mother's Day

8:45am Sunday School
10:00am Worship Service

Sanctuary/Online

MON 5/12:

9:00am Quilters

Multipurpose Room

TUE 5/13 :

6:00pm Serve at Hilda Barg
7:00pm VBS Meeting

Woodbridge
Zoom

WED 5/14:

6:10am Deacon Dan–Bible Study
8:15am ROMEOS
10:00am Bible Study
6:00pm Serve at Hilda Barg
7:00pm Church Council
7:00pm Choir Practice

IHOP-Woodbridge
Bob Evans-Woodbridge
Fellowship Hall/Zoom
Woodbridge
Fellowship Hall
Choir Loft

THUR 5/15:

6:00pm Serve at Hilda Barg

Woodbridge

SUN 5/18: Voter Assembly

8:45am Sunday School
10:00am Worship Service with Communion
11:30am Voter Assembly and Potluck

Sanctuary/Online
Fellowship Hall

Online access: Facebook.com/glcva or glcvirginia.org/video-recordings



Altar Flowers are given today by Young's
in honor of Jimmy's 29th birthday.



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WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE!

If you are with us for the first time, please stop by our **Welcome Center** located in the Hallway to pick up a gift!

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BULLETINS are available. Please ask an usher if you would like one.

A CHILDREN'S QUIET ROOM where parents can follow the service is available. Please ask an usher for more information.

BUDDY BAGS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN are located in the Narthex. The bright, colorful bags are hanging off the staircases for your child to choose one. Each bag has a stuffed animal, coloring book, crayons and stickers. Please return the bag after the service

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES are available for use in the Narthex. Please ask an usher if you would like one.

YOUTUBE AND FACEBOOK LIVE STREAMING Our Sunday Services are streamed on both Facebook and YouTube. Please continue to worship on Facebook, or view at youtube.com/@glcvirginia. Wednesday Bible Study will only be streamed on Facebook. Video recordings are available after the services on www.glcvirginia.org, under Worship Services-Video Recordings or follow the YouTube channel.

HILDA BARG FAMILY SHELTER: We are scheduled to serve dinner this week on Tuesday – Thursday. Please see the sign-up sheet in the hallway to support this important outreach. If you have questions or desire additional information contact Darlene Roth or Ruth Killian.



VOTER ASSEMBLY: The Spring Voter’s Assembly will be **NEXT SUNDAY** following the service. We will be voting on the 2025/2026 Council Officers and Board candidates.



POTLUCK BEFORE VOTER’S ASSEMBLY: There will be a potluck lunch prior to the Voter’s Meeting next Sunday, in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a main dish, vegetable, salad, or dessert to share.



THANK YOU , PRAYER VOLUNTEERS! A sincere thanks to all the volunteers who participated in Grace's Prayer Vigil earlier this month, on the National Day of Prayer. Members of our church prayed for 24 hours consecutively, in half-hour shifts, with all 48 shifts filled. Some folks prayed at the church, while others prayed from home. Special thanks to Karen Huff, who coordinated the Vigil, with assistance from Paul & Robin Nasi, and Danielle Klein. –Pastor Puls

DO YOU LOVE WORSHIPPING AT GRACE? If you would like to learn more about Grace’s ministries, Bible Studies, fellowship groups, events, or to learn more about joining the congregation, please talk to Pastor Puls, or one of the elders.



VBS 2025: True North: Trusting Jesus in his wild world!
July 28-Aug 1, starts at 5:30pm with dinner.
Please let Jenny Mortenson know how you can help and if you have any questions!
Stay tuned for more!

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

VERSE OF THE MONTH: “In that day you will ask nothing of me. Truly, truly, I say to you, whatever you ask of the Father in my name, he will give it to you. Until now you have asked nothing in my name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.”
John 16:23-24

WEDNESDAY EARLY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: For all you early risers, please join Deacon Dan’s Bible study. We will be covering Hebrews. Please meet us at the IHOP on Smoketown Rd. See you at 6:10am!

GRACE COMMUNITY PRAYERS

Send your prayer request to prayerchain@glcvirginia.org, the church office grace@glcvirginia.org or your Elder. You may also make a notation on the blue attendance cards. Prayers will remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise noted. This week we pray for:

HEALING

Alleen Bagley
Shay Manuel
Latif Awad (Morse)
Ed & Evelena Crosby (Ritenour)
Jim Head (Marr)
Diana Osborne (Simmons)

SYMPATHY family & friends of
Shirley Cauley (Huff)
A student at Our Savior in Arlington

SERVICE MEMBERS

All Veterans
Dan Buer, ARNG
Josh Chambers, USAF
Mike Golchert, USMC
Josh Moser, USA
Joshua Noble, USA
Marcus Seeger, USN
Mike Sneath, USN
Jesse Brown, USAF
Paul DeLong, USA (Fred & Carol)
Aaron Haaf, USMC (Sneath)

Chris Hobbs, USAF (Ernie & Diana)
DJ Sutton, USA (Johnson)
Leith Masri, ARNG (Jones)
Adam Nasi, USAF (Paul & Robin)
Keith Russell, USA (Derrick)
Connor Schmidt, USA (Patrick)
Ethan Schmidt, USA Cadet (Patrick)
Luke Simmons, USN (John & Ferrin)
Paul Steinhibel, ARNG (Vicki)
Tate Turner, USA (Simmons)
Nathan Weiss, USSF (Gordon/Brandon)

NEW ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL TOPIC

The role of women in Jesus’ earthly ministry, and in the early Christian Church, was tremendously important. During the month of May, you’re welcome to participate in a new study topic on Sunday mornings, “Portraits of Faith: Women of the New Testament.” The class meets 8:45-9:45 AM each week in the Fellowship Hall.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL 8:45-9:45 AM, Fellowship Hall

- 5/11 Portraits of Faith: Women of the New Testament (Pastor Puls)
- 5/18 Portraits of Faith: Women of the New Testament (Pastor Puls)
- 5/25 Portraits of Faith: Women of the New Testament (Pastor Puls)

NEW WEDNESDAY CLASS TOPIC

All adults are welcome to join in the discussion and fellowship at the Wednesday Study Class, 10:00-11:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Beginning April 30, we’ll begin a review of several of Christ’s masterful parables. Jesus used this colorful teaching format to help his followers gain insight into the rule and reign of God, and to come to a deeper understanding of God’s actions in their own lives. Let’s learn and grow together, as we dive into our new “Parables: Culture & Context” study.

WEDNESDAY ADULT STUDY CLASS 10:00-11:00 AM, Fellowship Hall

- 5/14 Parables: Culture & Context (Pastor Puls)
- 5/21 Parables: Culture & Context (Pastor Puls)
- 5/28 Parables: Culture & Context (Pastor Puls)