OUR LIFE TOGETHER...WEEK OF SEPT 21-28,

SUN 9/21: New Member Sunday

8:45am Sunday School

Sanctuary/Online 10:00am Worship Service with Communion

11:15am Confirmation-1st year student

11:15pm New Member Reception Fellowship Hall

MON 9/22:

9:00am Quilters

WED 9/24:

Deacon Dan-Bible Study **IHOP-Woodbridge** 6:10am 10:00am Bible Study Fellowship Hall

SUN 9/28:

8:45am Sunday School

10:00am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online Conference Room

11:15am Confirmation

12:15pm Middle School Youth Fiesta

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Altar Flowers are given today in memory of Don, Barry, and Craig Van Campenhout



Fellowship Hall

The Grace Choir is looking for new members who would like to sing for services this fall and winter. If you enjoy music, please consider joining us on Wednesday evenings at 7 pm. No long-term commitment required, come as you are able for an occasion such as Reformation Day or for a season. All are welcome!

Contact Grace's Music Director, Hillary Rayo, for more information. hrayo@glcvirginia.org



CALLING ALL INSTRUMENTALISTS!! Are you willing to share your musical gift with our congregation this fall? Do you know someone who may be interested in playing the flute or another instrument during special services this year? Contact Grace's Music Director, Hillary Rayo, for more information. hravo@alcvirainia.ora

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.



NEW MEMBERS TO OUR GRACE FAMILY:

- Ken & Martina Galentine
- Gio & Hannah Ruiz

SERMON SERIES: QUESTIONS FROM THE HEART

Sometimes life's questions can be challenging and overwhelming. This month, a special sermon series is focusing on the life of David, as we explore several Questions from the Heart. Today's sermon topic is "What Have I Done?" Next week's focus will be "How Can I Go On?" Join us for the Adult Sunday School class next week, as we'll be discussing other episodes from the life of David, also.



OWLS will have an Oktoberfest luncheon on Thursday, Oktober 2, 2025, at noon, at Church in the Multipurpose Room for fun, food and fellowship. Please notify Shirley Brennan,if you will be coming and what food you will be bringing.



FALL VOTER'S ASSEMBLIES DATES:

- -October 19th 2026 budget will be presented.
- -November 16th Budget will be voted on.

Meetings will take place following the service.



POTLUCK BEFORE VOTER'S MEETING: There will be a potluck lunch prior to the Voter's Meeting on October 19th starting at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a main dish, vegetables, salad, or dessert to share.

BOARD OF FAMILY AND YOUTH MINISTRY

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH FIESTA

Middle Schoolers are invited to a fiesta next Sunday, September 28, 12:15 - 1:30 PM (right after Confirmation class). Takis may be involved. Don't be scared.

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

Shirley Brennan
Greg Ames (Lasko)
Bill & Andrea Bader (Holly)
Zaidyn Clark (Lasko)
Evan (Grimes)
Molly Grimes (Bo)
Terri Johnson (Jean)
Linda Morton (Grimes)
Sylvia Murray Schell (Sayler)

SYMPATHY family & friends of Jenny DeMaio (Huff)

OTHER

Caregivers
Gun violence victims
Cancer patients and their families

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

VERSE OF THE MONTH: "Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, and not sacrifice.' For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners." Matthew 9:13

WEDNESDAY ADULT STUDY CLASS

This month, Pastor Wayne Puls is be leading a study of the New Testament Epistle to the Galatians. This letter strikes many themes that were important to the early Christian Church, and that are important for modern-day Christians, too. Join in the spirited discussion on Wednesdays, from 10:00-11:00 AM, in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your Bible and a friend.

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION OPPPRTUNTIES

All are welcome to join in spirited discussions of God's Word at Grace. The adult Sunday School class meets from 8:45-9:45AM, and the Wednesday class meets from 10:00-11:00AM. Both classes gather in the Fellowship Hall.

Sundays: Questions from the Heat (Life of David) - led by Pastor Puls

9/28 "Can God Forgave Me?"