# OUR LIFE TOGETHER...WEEK OF SEPT 14-21, 2025

**SUN 9/14**:

8:45am Sunday School

10:00am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online

11:15am Confirmation-1st year student

MON 9/15:

9:00am Quilters

**WED 9/17**:

6:10am Deacon Dan-Bible Study
10:00am Bible Study
7:00pm Choir Practice
7:00pm Board of Elders

IHOP-Woodbridge
Fellowship Hall
Choir Loft
Conference Room

**SAT 9/20:** 

10:00am High School Event Fellowship Hall

**SUN 9/21**: New Member Sunday

8:45am Sunday School

10:00am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online
11:15am Confirmation-1st year student Conference Room
11:15pm New Member Reception Fellowship Hall

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



Altar Flowers are given today by Gordon and Mary Weiss in honor of their Anniversary.





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





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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 <a href="mailto:youtube.com/@glcvirginia">youtube.com/@glcvirginia</a>. Wednesday Bible Study will only be streamed on Facebook. Video recordings are available after the services on <a href="https://www.glcvirginia.org">www.glcvirginia.org</a>, under Worship Services-Video Recordings or follow the YouTube channel.

#### 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 "How Can I Find Success?" Next week's focus will be "What Have I Done?" Join us for the Adult Sunday School class next week, as we'll be discussing other episodes from the life of David, also.



<u>THANK YOU</u>: The Board of Evangelism would like to thank each and everyone of you for coming out and volunteering at Grace's booth's during the Stonebridge Fall Festival. A fun time was had by all. Please continue to pray for those on our Prayer Board.

#### **NEW MEMBER WELCOME**

We are blessed to have many visitors at our church services, and we always hope and pray that our guests feel welcome! If you're considering making Grace your new spiritual home, please speak with Pastor Puls. Grace will be officially welcoming new members to our congregation on September 21, and we would love to have you included.



#### **FALL VOTER'S ASSEMBLIES DATES:**

-October 19<sup>th</sup> - 2026 budget will be presented. A potluck luncheon will take place to coincide with this meeting.

-November 16<sup>th</sup> - Budget will be voted on.

Meetings will take place following the service.

#### **BOARD OF FAMILY AND YOUTH MINISTRY**

#### **MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH FIESTA**

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

#### **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH**

Monthly High School Youth Events are back! We will meet the 3rd Saturday of the month. All high schoolers are welcome on Saturday, September 20 for food, games and fun. We will meet from 10:00am – 12:00pm. Don't forget to invite a friend.

### **GRACE COMMUNITY PRAYERS**

Send your prayer request to <u>prayerchain@glcvirginia.org</u>, 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

Blake Sova (Huff)

Greg Ames (Lasko)
Bill & Andrea Bader (Holly)
Zaidyn Clark (Lasko)
Jenny DeMaio (Huff)
Nicole & Darius Derer (Grimes)
Evan (Grimes)
Terri Johnson (Jean)
Linda Morton (Grimes)
Sylvia Murray Schell (Sayler)

**SYMPATHY** family & friends of Ray Carey (Huff)
Upton Shelton (Huff)
Eric Ventura

#### **OTHER**

Gun violence victims
Cancer patients and their families

**MINISTRY TEAM** – Pastor Puls, Pastor Yun, Vicar Fabricio, Deacon Dan, Deacon Tadesse, Deaon Intern Walt

**ELDERS** — Paul, Vern, Wayne, Ferrin, Dave, Gordon, Sherman, Larry, Jo Dee, Maureen

#### **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

9/21 "What Can I Do For God?" 9/28 "Can God Forgave Me?"