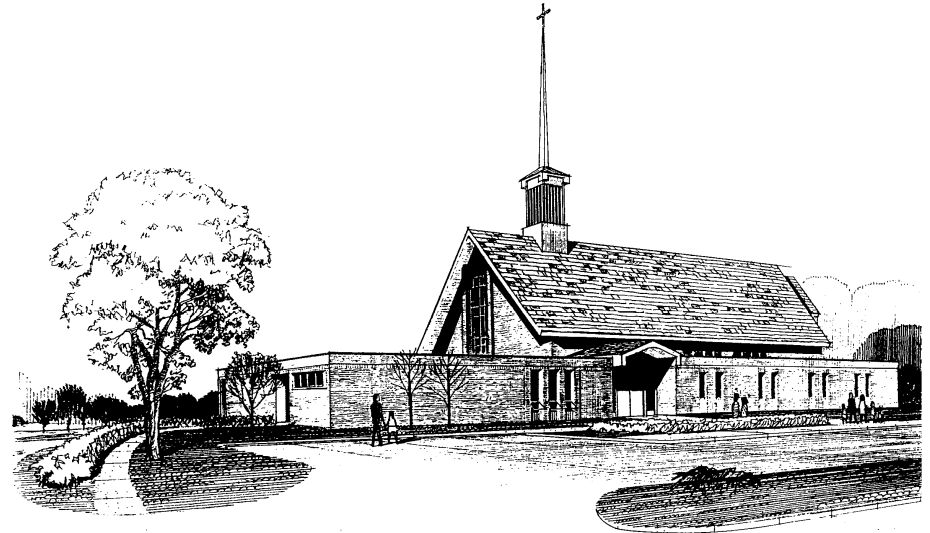


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PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING: COVID numbers are expected to fluctuate over the next few months. To keep our worshipping community safe, if on any Saturday Radford City numbers per <https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/coronavirus/coronavirus/covid-19-in-virginia-locality/>

exceed 40 cases per 100,000 people, we will NOT have indoor worship. We will contact everyone who has pre-registered for the service and send email correspondence to the church email list.



Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle
Minister

Pat Brown
Organist

Adam McAllister
Choir Director

Libby Watts
Handbell Choir Director

Jim Harrison
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Lynn Wright
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Joanna Corvin
Finance

February 14, 2021
The Order of Worship
Transfiguration Sunday

***Please follow the directions of
your ushers and worship leaders.***

***Due to COVID-19, congregants are invited to
welcome one another with handwaves and other
non-verbal signs of celebration and worship.***

***Thank you for remaining in your seat,
always wearing your mask,
and listening to instead of singing the hymns.***

GATHERING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE AND TIME OF SILENT PREPARATION

SCRIPTURE PROCLAMATION Mark 9:2-9

OPENING PRAYER

Lord God,
whose glory shines upon us
in the face of Jesus Christ,
and whose love
is made known to us
in the mystery of the cross:

number us, we pray,
among his faithful followers
for whom nothing matters
but the doing of your will;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

HYMN 3142 *I Love the Lord*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 5:8

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON Rev Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle

“Be My Valentine”
Love,
God

HYMN 140 *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

BENEDICTION

OFFERING AND POSTLUDE

***The Congregation is to remain seated
and wait for ushers to dismiss by rows.
An offering may be made at the exit
in the touch-free dropbox.***

ALTAR GUILD

Delores Smith Mary Wyatt

SOUND SYSTEM

Tommy Fisher Susan Lesko
Barry Anderson Cory Schepisi

USHERS

Bob Boggess Frank Herzog
Adam McAllister Wayne Pridgen

COUNTERS

Bob Boggess Barry Anderson
Betsy Hagan

PRAYERS

Jim Angle, Jinnie Pennington Lockridge, Amy Black, Janice Herzog, Keegan, Brent Lesko, Patty McAllister, Junior Surver, Mike Porter, Mildred Wall, Graham Wickline, those who are homebound and those in assisted living.

Ash Wednesday Virtual Service

February 17th

(Grove UMC YouTube; or click the link on our website at groveumcradford.com)

Lent is a time of repentance, fasting, and preparation for Easter. Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent. Ashes and earth are often symbolically used during the Ash Wednesday worship service to help us focus on our human sinfulness and mortality and our need for repentance and God's grace in Jesus Christ. This year, due to COVID, we will be giving each Ash Wednesday participant a small packet of ashes from Grove UMC's grounds, 2019 palms and soil. Participants may carry these packets with you during Lent. Packets will be made available at the Feb 14th service and by calling the church office.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

USE YOUR FREE AMPLIFY ACCOUNT: Amplify Media is a streaming service that is FREE to all Grove members. You have unlimited video access to discover diverse resources that encourage deeper discipleship and equip churches to pursue their mission with greater impact. See the Grove Greeter newsletter or call the church office for more information.

UPPER ROOMS: You may pick up your January/February Upper Rooms in the narthex.

BIBLE STUDY: “A Disciple’s Path” by James A. Harnish and Justin LaRosa. A hybrid (in-person and Zoom) six-week study that focuses on stewardship and spiritual gifts. Facilitated by Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle. Begins Wed. February 17th at 6 pm. Call the church to register.

FREE WEBINAR SERIES: Holston Conference presents "Conversations on Race – TN Valley Sessions" every Tuesday in February from 7 pm to 8:30 pm via Zoom. All are welcome. To access, please register at [Conversations on Race - Tennessee Valley Sessions \(brtapp.com\)](https://brtapp.com)

BOOK CLUB: “America’s Original Sin” by Jim Wallis meets Monday nights at 6:30 pm via Zoom. Facilitated by Adam McAllister. Let us know you are joining by emailing Adam at groveumchoir@gmail.com.

VIRTUAL LAY SERVANT TRAINING:

Holston Conference's Lay Servant Training will be offered online through Zoom meetings in 2021. See the Grove Greeter newsletter or call the church office for more information.

GROVE WEBSITE: Please check our website at groveumcradford.com for information and updates on what is happening in the Grove!

HYMN 3142

I Love the Lord

*Words: Psalm 116:1-2, Isaac Watts
Music: African American Spiritual
arranged by Richard Smallwood*

I love the Lord.
He heard my cry
And pitied every groan
Long as I live and troubles rise,
I'll hasten to his throne.

I love the Lord.
He heard my cry
And chased my grief away.
O let my heart no more despair
While I have breath to pray.

HYMN 140

Great is Thy Faithfulness

*Words: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923
Music: William M. Runyan. 1923*

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with thee.
Thou changest not.
Thy compassions, they fail not,
As thou hast been forever wilt be.

CHORUS

Great is thy faithfulness!
Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning new mercies I see.
All I have needed thy hand hath provided.
Great is thy faithfulness,
Lord unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses
Above join with all nature in manifold
Witness to thy great faithfulness,
Mercy and love.

REPEAT CHORUS

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth.
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide.
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow.
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!