

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

ENTRANCE

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*OPENING PRAYER Barry Anderson

O God, send your Spirit upon us and light our path,
that we may travel the road you have prepared for us.

**Enable our hearts and minds
to more fully understand
your goodness and your grace.**

Help us break free from ideas that no longer bring life,
**that we may embrace
the life-giving work of your Spirit.**

Challenge us to forsake paths that ask little of us,
**and help us resist
the evils and temptations of this world,
in order that
we may truly follow the way of kingdom living.
Amen.**

Based on a prayer from Ministry Matters website. <http://www.ministrymatters.com>.
Reposted: https://re-worship.blogspot.com/2014/01/prayer-epiphany-6a_31.html

*HYMN 172 UMH "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Barry Anderson

OLD TESTAMENT READING Deuteronomy 30:15-20

GOSPEL READING Matthew 5:21-37

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pastor Jan

ANTHEM "The Love of Christ"
Regi Stone arr. Sterling

SERMON *But I Say* Jan Nicholson Angle

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY 95 UMH

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 643 UMH "When Love is Found"

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

****Congregation invited to stand as you are able.***

Prayer Request

Please provide information below:

Person placing the request:

Prayer Requested for:

Name:

*Their Need :*_____

*Are they family, friend,
co-worker or neighbor?*

YES or NO

*May we share your prayer
request in our bulletins and
newsletters?*

YES or NO

*Email:*_____

*Phone:*_____

To GROVE

We Are Glad You Are Here!

Today you will experience Christ-centered worship and fellowship. Want to know more about our ministries and opportunities? Your ushers, members and pastor are here to assist you. Welcome to Grovet

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| Chris Dunn | Christina Wall |
| Bob Surber | Sterling Tyndall |
| David Powell | Carolee Bondurant |
| Shannon Nelson | Geneta Kidd |
| Daniel Lambert | Barbara Mundy |
| Pattie Crawford | Nahid Mojarad |
| Amy Black | Jim Radford |
| Jim & Sonya Nicely | Those homebound & in assisted living |
| Diane Pryor | Peace for Ukraine |
| Renie Price | Syria & Turkey Earthquake Victims |
| Mildred Wall | United Methodist Church |
| Doug Fitzpatrick | |
| Becky Ritter | |

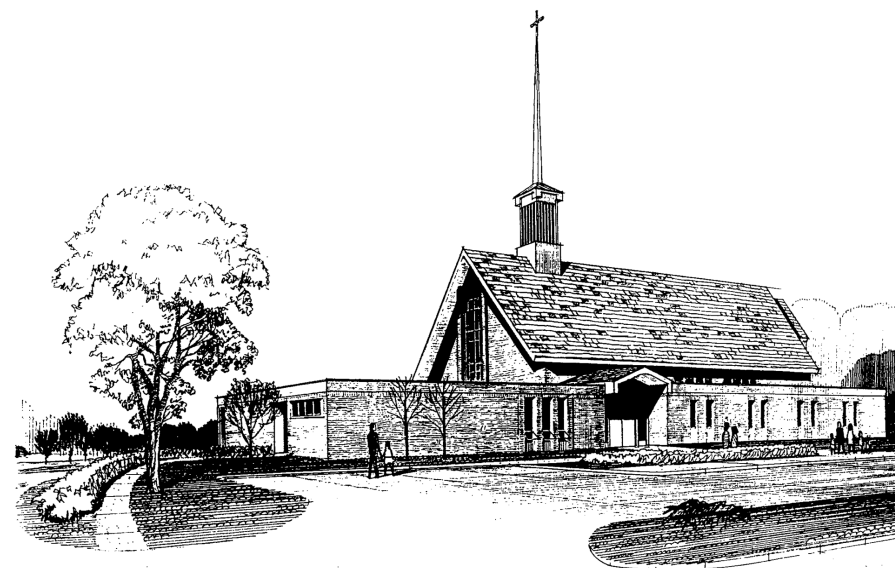
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| USHERS..... | Bob Boggess & Frank Herzog |
| LITURGIST..... | Barry Anderson |
| SOUND TECHNICIAN..... | Dave Winston |
| ALTAR GUILD..... | Libby Watts & Olivia Carchia |
| COUNTERS..... | Betsy Hagan, Linda Clifford & Susan Boggess |
| NURSERY..... | Emily Wheeler, Tori Pate & Ashley Verburg |

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February 12, 2023

6th Sunday after the Epiphany

10:00 am



Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle

Minister

Cell 540-589-9118

Pat Brown
Organist

Rev. Dr. Joe Borden
Chancel Choir Director

Libby Watts
Handbell Choir Director

Joanna Corvin
Comptroller

Lynn Wright
Custodian

Dana E. Watson
Administrative Assistant

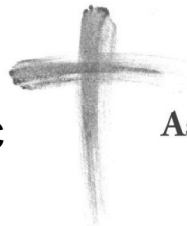
Jim Harrison
Pianist

Ila Schepisi
Deacon in Residence

Confirmation



Confirmation Class (12–18 years old) begins Sunday, February 19th. We will gather in the youth room on the lower level of Grove. We will meet 4:00 pm–5:30 pm. Interested? Need information? Pastor Jan at (540) 639-2807 ext. 2 or groveumcpastor@gmail.com.



February 22nd at Grove UMC

Ash Wednesday
— Lent Begins



Wesley hosts a pancake dinner at 5:30 pm, followed by the service at 6:30 pm.

COLLECTING FOR FOOD BANK

Supporting Radford Food Bank is one of the many wonderful ministries of Grove UMC. Bring your non-perishable canned goods and drop them in the collection boxes in the narthex.



OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW & SERVE

NURSERY: Children are welcome in worship. If you prefer, a nursery is available for those birth through 4 years.

METHODISM STUDY AFTER WORSHIP TODAY 11:30 am—1:00 pm: Join us after worship in the Fellowship Hall for soup and finger sandwiches as we begin our study on “What Being United Methodist Means.” This five-week study will cover United Methodist history, doctrine, and polity in the context of discipleship.

MINISTRIES BOARD: Will meet Thursday, Feb. 16th at 7:00 pm in person at Grove. All are welcome.

BOOK GROUP: Meets Monday evenings at 6:30 pm on Zoom. If you would like to join us, please contact Terica Fisher at (540) 357-1016 or tericafisher@msn.com.

CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER GROUP: Interested? Contact Barry Anderson at (540) 639-1018 or cbarry8@verizon.net.

THE O'DONNELL CLASS: This adult class meets Sundays at 9:15 am on the upper level of the education wing.

RADFORD CLOTHING BANK: Would you consider a new avenue of service for the new year? The Radford Clothing Bank needs computer volunteers to work in the store. For more information, contact Dee Dee Alderman at (540) 633-5050, or stop by the Clothing Bank Monday –Wednesday between 10 am and 12 noon or send a message on the RCB Facebook page.