# THE ORDER OF WORSHIP ENTRANCE

GATHERING

**PRELUDE** 

WELCOME

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Genesis 32)

Leader: When Jacob wrestled at Jabbok, he would not give up until he gained a blessing.

People: Sometimes we find ourselves wrestling with God, yearning for a blessing.

Leader: May this hour of worship open the door for each of us, and all of us, to pursue the gifts God willingly provides.

People: Today we continue our search for the face of God.

Leader: knowing in God's presence we'll find our peace.

People: Let us worship the Lord our God!

\*HYMN #2087 TFWS

"We Will Glorify the King of Kings"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYERS OF CELEBRATION AND CONCERN

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895 UMH

#### PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

ANTHEM "Rock Me, Lord"

Andy Beck

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Genesis 32:22-31 Matthew 14:13-21

SERMON Joseph Borden

Wrestling in the Night

**OFFERTORY** 

\*DOXOLOGY 95 UMH

**SENDING FORTH** 

\*HYMN #569

"We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"

**OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE** 

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

\*Congregation please stand as you are able.

Prayer Request
Please provide information below:

*Person placing the request:* 

Prayer Requested for:

Name:

Their Need:

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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:* \_\_\_\_\_\_

# ushers, members and pastor are here Want to know more about our ministries and opportunities? **%**e Today you will experience **GROVE** Are Glad You Are **Here!** Christ-centered worship and fellowship Welcome to Grovel

Your

#### PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Chris Dunn Sam Belcher **Bob Surber** Frankie Cook Shannon Nelson Jeff Broadwell Pattie Crawford Liz Baxter Amy Black Jimmy Foster Diane Pryor Sonya Nicely Renie Price Rhonda Howell Lee Plummer Mildred Wall Doug Fitzpatrick Sands Woody **Becky Ritter** Tina Bembry Carolee Bondurant Wayne and Nancy Pridgen Corene Simms Vivian Ellis Jim Keffer Those homebound

#### **SERVING TODAY**

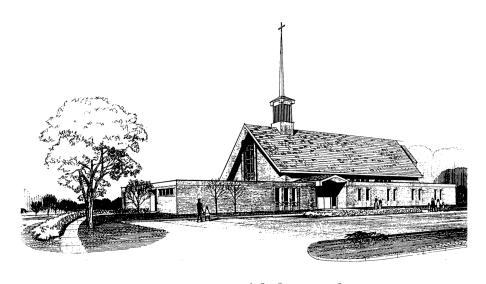
Those in assisted living

USHERS	Clay Carson, Delores Smith
LITURGIST	Ila Schepisi
SOUND TECHNICIAN	Dave Winston
ALTAR GUILD	Anna Frye & Linda Clifford
SUNDAY COUNTERSB	arry Anderson, Bob Boggess
MONDAY COUNTERS.Bet	th McDaniel, Laura Tompkins
NURSERY	Chloe Mullins,Susan Lesko

### Grove United Methodist Church

1020 Tyler Avenue, Radford, Virginia 24141 (540) 639-2807 email: radfordgroveumc@gmail.com

> August 6, 2023 10th Sunday After Pentecost 10:00 am



#### Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle Minister

Cell 540-589-9118

Pat Brown Organist

Libby Watts Handbell Choir Director

Donna Alley Finance Assistant Rev. Dr. Joseph Borden Chancel Choir Director

Linda Fasnacht Administrative Assistant

Lynn Wright Custodian

Jim Harrison Pianist

Ila Schepisi Deacon in Residence

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