

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

ENTRANCE

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME

\*CALL TO WORSHIP UMH 329 Barry Anderson

\*HYMN UMH 347 “Spirit Song”

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH 881 The Apostles’ Creed

\*GLORIA PATRI UMH 70

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Ila Schepisi

PRAYERS OF CELEBRATION AND CONCERN

THE LORD’S PRAYER UMH895

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING Jeremiah 24:1-7

EPISTLE READING Romans 5:1-5

ANTHEM “Sweet Hour of Prayer William Bl Bradbury  
Arr. Schrader

SERMON

Warm Hearts

Ila Schepisi

\*HYMN UMH 395

“Take Time to Be Holy”

OFFERTORY

OFFERING

\*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

SENDING FORTH

\*HYMN UMH 404 “Every Time I Feel the Spirit”


OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

\*GOING FORTH

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

 Today’s altar flowers are given by Kelly McCoy, Austin Kinder and Morgan Kinder in memory of Fred and Kitty McCoy and Doug McCoy.

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 Grove! Welcome home!

**First Time at Grove?**

Let us help you connect

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Tear off and place in  
offering plate or give to  
an usher

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Bob Surber  
Shannon Nelson  
Pattie Crawford  
Amy Black  
Diane Pryor  
Renie Price  
Mildred Wall  
Doug Fitzpatrick  
Becky Ritter  
Carolee Bondurant  
Corene Simms  
Jim Keffer  
Sam Belcher  
Alice Gallimore

Frankie Cook  
Jeff Broadwell  
Liz Baxter  
Jimmy Foster  
Sonya Nicely  
Rhonda Howell  
Tina Bembry  
Wayne and Nancy Pridgen  
Vivian Ellis  
Tony Lambert  
The Family of Bernie Rafferty  
Those homebound  
Those in assisted living

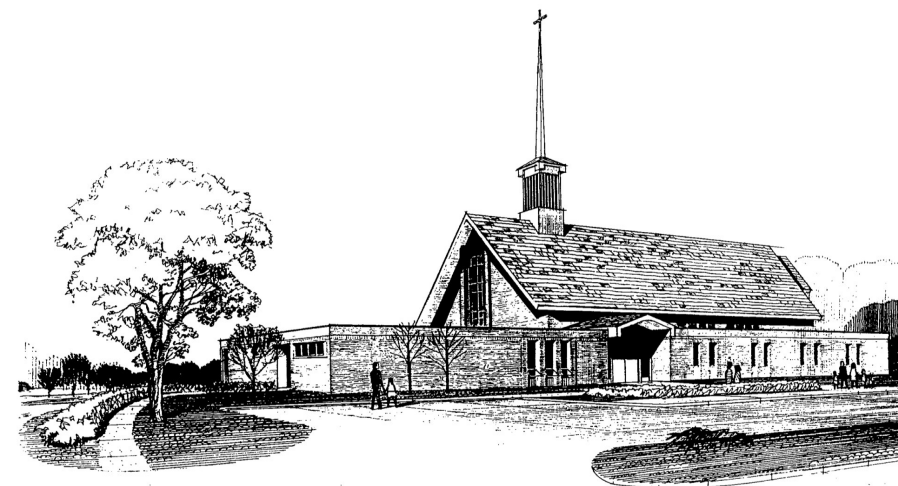
**SERVING TODAY**

Ushers.....Bob Boggess, Frank Herzog  
Liturgist.....Barry Anderson  
Sound Technician.....Dave Winston  
Altar Guild.....Libby Watts  
Sunday Counters.....Jean Carson, Linda Clifford  
Monday Counters.....Laura Tompkins, Susan Boggess  
Nursery.....Linda Fasnacht

***Grove United Methodist Church***

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

October 8, 2023  
19th 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*



**Opportunities to connect at  
Grove—SUNDAYS**

9:15 O'Donnell Adult Sunday  
School Class  
**THURSDAYS**  
Contemplative Prayer Meeting,  
7:00 pm



**Food Bank**

Donate to our Food Bank  
collection box in the Narthex



**We Are Hiring**

Sunday morning Nursery Staff –  
must be 21 years of age. Back-  
ground Check required.  
Send resume and cover letter  
to:

Grove UMC, Attn SPRC  
1020 Tyler Ave. Radford VA  
24141



**Be a Choir Disciple.**

You are invited to sing with the choir.  
We meet Wednesdays at 7:00 pm or  
practice and Sunday mornings at  
9:30 am in the choir room to warm up  
our voices for worship.



**Handbells**

Practice Sundays  
Celebration 4:30-5:00  
New Spirit 4:45-6:00

**District Day with**  
Bishop Debra Wallace-  
Padgett  
Monday, October 30, 2023 at  
6:30 pm  
St. Paul UMC, Wytheville VA  
Churches in the New River  
District are invited to District  
Day.



## Upcoming Events

**District Conference**

October 8, 2023 at 3:00 pm  
St. Paul UMC Wytheville VA

**Ministries Board Meeting**

Thursday, 10/12/2023  
at 6:30 pm  
in the Library

**United Methodist Men's Dinner**

October 9, 2023 at 6:00 pm  
Sal's Restaurant, Radford  
Rear Dining Room  
ALL MEN INVITED!



**Sesquicentennial Anniversary Celebration**

Coming soon to Grove UMC

**Save the Dates for the  
150th Celebration Worship**

12/03/2023

4/7/ 2024

7/14/2024

More information to come

If you know of any former members, please  
send info to Martee



If you are planning a meeting and want it listed  
in the Bulletin, please let Linda know.