

Fourth Sunday After the Epiphany
THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
ENTRANCE

GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP
This is the day the Lord has made!
We will rejoice and be glad in it!
Barry Anderson

*HYMN 662 UMH Stand Up and Bless the Lord

*PSALTER 859 UMH *Psalms 147*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE
Pastor Jan

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING
Isaiah 40:21-31

*HYMN 262 UMH Heal Me, Hands of Jesus

*GOSPEL READING
Mark 1:29-39

ANTHEM “Be Thou My Vision” Traditional Irish Melody
arr. Woodard

SERMON “WAIT!”
Jan C. Nicholson Angle

RECEPTION INTO MEMBERSHIP

INVITATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY 95 UMH

TAKING THE BREAD AND CUP

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD’S PRAYER 895 UMH

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 671 UMH Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

AN ORDER OF FAREWELL (see insert)

*OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE
*** Congregation 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 Grove!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

To add someone or update please contact Linda Fasnacht

Amy Black	Ali Schepisi
Renie Price	Sonya Nicely
Corene Simms	Wayne and Nancy Pridgen
Jim Keffer	Tony Lambert
Sam Belcher	Ashley Fasnacht
The family of Lee Cook	Those homebound
Greg Stokley	Those in assisted living
	The Middle East



SERVING TODAY

Piano.....	Flo Bishop
Organ.....	Libby Watts
Ushers.....	Betsy Hagen/Bill Williamson
Acolyte.....	Natalie Schepisi
Liturgist.....	Barry Anderson
Sound Technician.....	Corey Schepisi
Altar Guild.....	Susan Lesko/Donna Sepers
Sunday Counters.....	Barry Anderson/Delores Smith
Monday Counters....	Linda Fasnacht/Laura Tompkins
Nursery Staff.....	Chloe Mullins/Danielle Mason

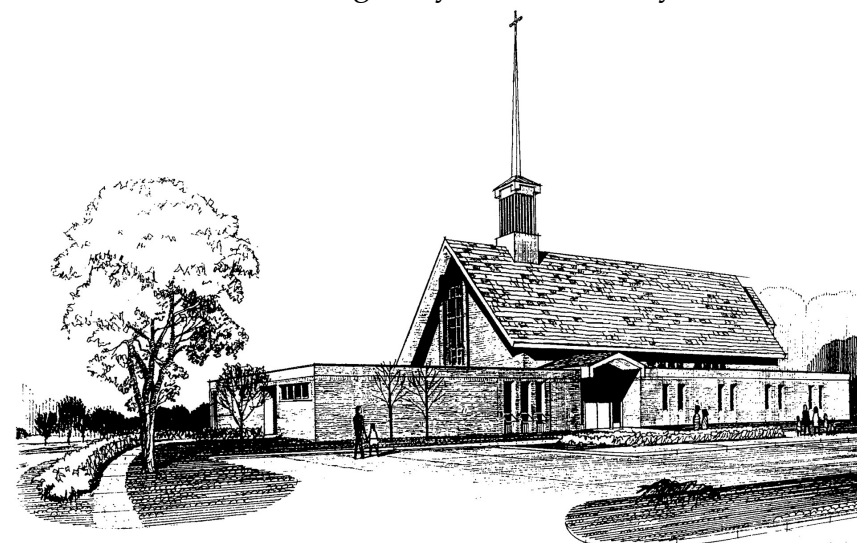
Grove United Methodist Church

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February 4, 2024
Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany

10:00 am

Grove UMC Sesquicentennial
Celebrating 150 years in Ministry



Rev. Dr. Jan Nicholson Angle
Minister

Cell 540-589-9118

Rev. Ila Schepisi
Deacon in Residence

Rev. Dr. Joseph Borden
Chancel Choir Director

Libby Watts
Handbell Choir Director

Donna Alley
Finance Assistant

Lynn Wright
Custodian

Linda Fasnacht
Administrative Assistant

Dana Watson
Videographer

Jim Harrison
Pianist



This Week at Grove UMC

TODAY 02/04/24

9:00 am Young Adult Sunday School
9:00 am O'Donnell Sunday School
9:30 am Nursery
11:30 am SPRC, Library
11:30 am Families First, Fellowship Hall
4:30 pm Hand Bells practice

Wednesday 2/07/24

7:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday 2/8/24

7:00 pm Centering Prayer, O'Donnell Room

Next Sunday 2/11/24

10:00 am Worship
11:30 am Genesis Bible Study
4:30 pm Hand Bell Practice

Grove UMC Statistics for January 2024

Average Attendance:
In Person—48; Virtual—17
Revenue: \$23,483
Expenditures: \$14,100

AN ORDER OF FAREWELL

Congregation:

**We feel sorrow in your leaving,
yet we rejoice with you
in anticipation of this new phase in your life.**

**We will miss your love and support,
yet we know
you will add much to the lives of those who
will be in your new community and church family,
as you have added much to our lives.**

Congregation and Pastor:

**We will pray for you
and for the whole family of God.**

Prayer

Did you know???

Grove Book Group meets via Zoom each Monday at 6:30 pm. If you are interested in participating in the Book Group, contact Terica Fisher for details at 540-357-1016 or tericafisher@msn.com

Centering Prayer (formally known as Contemplative Prayer) convenes every Thursday at 7:00 pm in the Grove Parlor. At times, this is adjusted to late afternoon and around holidays we may skip a Thursday. For more information, contact Barry Anderson at 540-639-3953.

Altar Flowers - Interested in providing flowers for the Altar? Please contact Linda Clifford or Linda Fasnacht.

Ash Wednesday Service

February 14th marks the beginning of Lent with our church family. We will gather for an imposition of ashes service at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary.

Pancake Supper at 5:30 pm on February 14th our Wesley students will be flipping pancakes for a Pancake Supper in our Fellowship Hall. This is a free meal but there will be a donation basket with all the proceeds going to support ministries at our Wesley Foundation at Radford University.

Families First meets the first Sunday of each month. This ministry is designed for children and youth of all ages and their families. Join Families First as they share a meal, fellowship, support and learning. Meet on the lower level education wing.

Be a part of Grove's music ministry.

Choir Rehearsal in the Choir room every Wednesday at 7:00 pm. and Sunday at 9:30 am for practice.

Handbells practice Sundays from 4:30-6:00 pm in the Choir Room. Handbells play once a month for worship. Anyone interested is welcome to join.