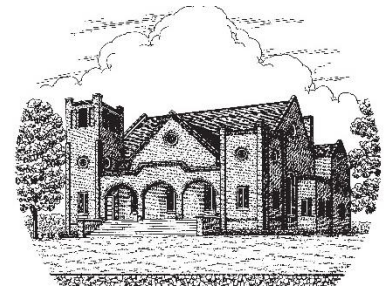


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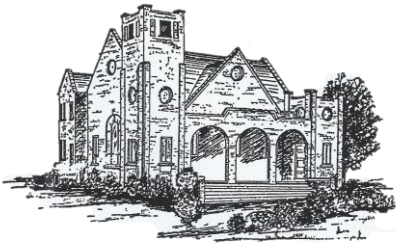
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## NEWS AROUND THE GROVE

April 2025

Hedrick's Grove Reformed  
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Join us Sunday morning

at

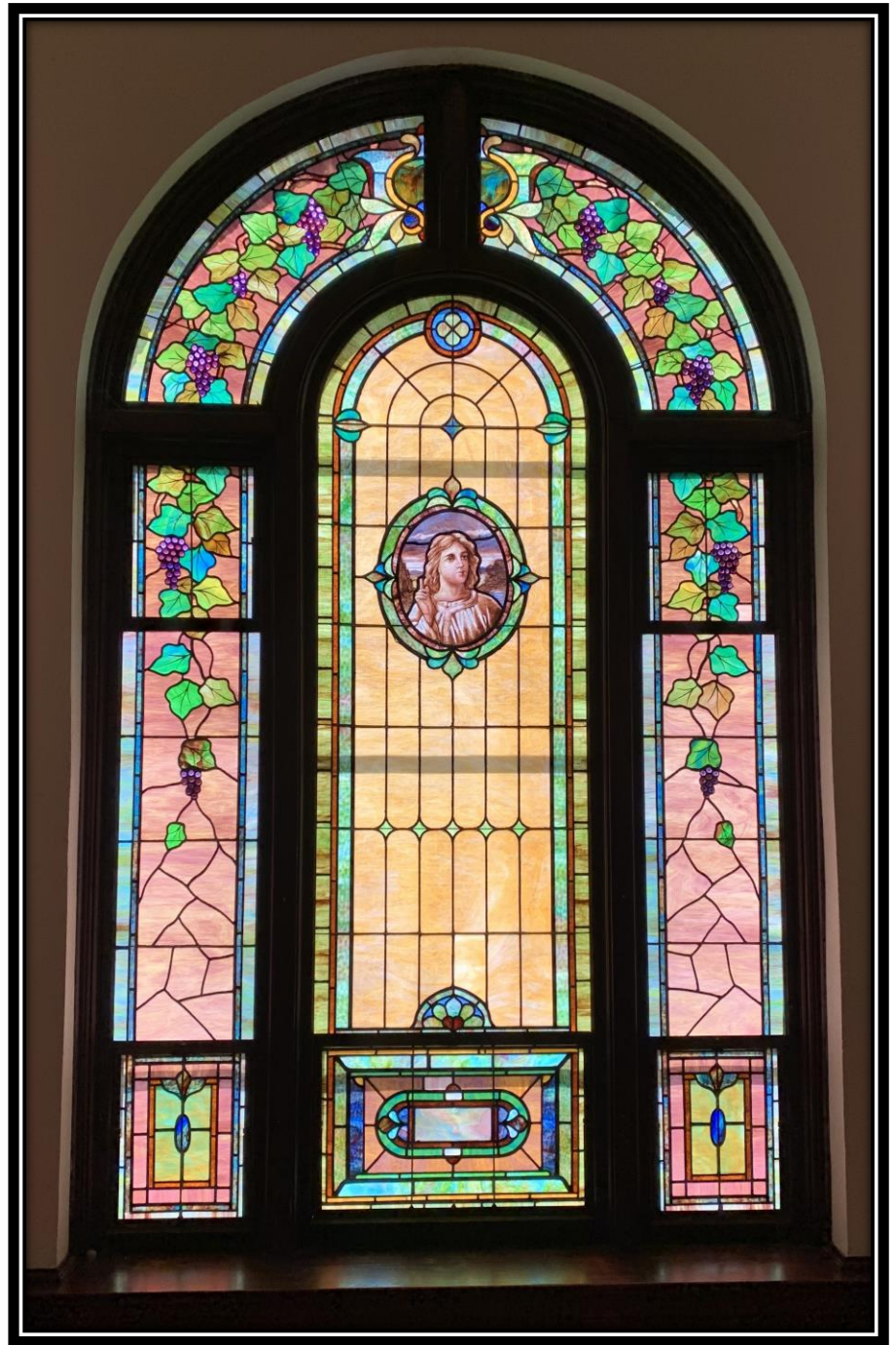
9:45 for Sunday School

10:45 for Worship Service

or

any day online

[www.hgrucc.org](http://www.hgrucc.org)





# Flower Calendar

## Altar Flowers

- Apr. 6: Shane & Gwen Barnes  
 Apr. 13: Lucy Beck  
 Apr. 20: Paula Farmer  
 Apr. 27: **Needed**

A sign-up sheet to provide Altar Flowers is posted on the bulletin board by the mailboxes.



## Guest Pastors/Speakers

- Apr. 6: Rev. Ray Nance Howell IV  
 Apr. 13: Rev. Chris Thore  
 Apr. 18: Rev. Alex Nance  
 Rev. Robin Keating  
 Apr. 20: Duane Williams – Sunrise  
 Rev. David Crook – Worship  
 Apr. 27: Rev. Joel Smith

# Pastoral CARE

For anyone who is in need of setting up  
for Pastoral Care, please contact

**Dwayne Hedrick**  
(336) 250-5406

or

**Lucy Beck**  
(336) 596-0569.

JOIN US FOR

**FAMILY**

**FUN**

**NIGHT**

**April 13, 4 – 7 PM**

Bingo with prizes, board games, rook  
and outdoor games if interested.

Pizza, cookies and drinks will be provided  
along with good fellowship.

**ATTENTION  
KINDERGARTEN TO  
5<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS**

**NOT OLD ENOUGH FOR YOUTH  
YET? BUT WANT TO BE  
INVOLVED. COME JOIN US!**

**GROVE  
FRIENDS**

**APRIL 16TH | 6:30 PM**

**MAY 21ST | 6:30 PM**

**FOOD | FAITH | FELLOWSHIP**

*Save  
the  
Date*

*Homecoming*

*May 4, 2025*

The Women's Fellowship is collecting supplies for Hospice of Davidson County for the month of April. A box is by the mailboxes for donations. Please help support this worthy cause.

- Breakfast bars
- Individual wrapped granola bars
- Individual wrapped snacks
- Individual packs of cocoa
- Individual pudding cups
- Individual wrapped cookies
- Individual wrapped packs of crackers
- Individual juices
- Jell-O Cups
- Pop tarts
- Small (hotel size) toiletries
- Sodas (small size cans)



# Palm Sunday

## Children to process on Palm Sunday, April 13:

If your child wants to process in and wave palms, please escort him or her to the Educational Building so they may process into the sanctuary with the choir. After processing in, your child will then join you in the pews.



## Easter Sunday – Decorating the Cross in the Sanctuary:

You are invited to bring stemmed flowers and place them on the cross any time after the Sunrise Service and before the start of Worship. We will have flowers available if you forgot to bring your own.

JOIN US FOR OUR



# EASTER EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 2025 AT 10:00 AM

EGG HUNT • GAMES • PRIZES • SNACKS

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**RAIN OR SHINE!**



# Holy Week Worship Schedule

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Sunday, April 13	10:45 AM	Palm Sunday Service
Thursday, April 17	7:00 PM	Maundy Thursday Service <i>Joint Service at New Friendship UCC</i>
Friday, April 18	7:00 PM	Good Friday Service <i>Joint Service at HGRUCC</i>
Sunday, April 20	6:30 AM	Easter Sunrise Service <i>HGRUCC Columbarium*</i> (You are welcome to bring a chair.)
Sunday, April 20	10:45 AM	Easter Service; Holy Communion

*\* Denotes an outside service, weather permitting; otherwise, the service will take place in the Sanctuary.*



**Maundy**  
*Thursday*  
 Thursday, April 17, 2025  
 7:00 PM  
 New Friendship UCC  
 The Reverend Alex Nance

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**Good**  
*Friday*  
 Friday, April 18, 2025  
 7:00 PM  
 Hedrick's Grove RUCC  
 The Reverends Alex Nance & Robin Keating

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*Easter*  
*Sunrise Service*  
 Duane Williams, Speaker  
**Sunday, April 20, 2025**  
 6:30 AM  
 HGRUCC Columbarium  
 \*Breakfast following in Fellowship Hall

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*Easter*  
*Sunday*  
**Sunday, April 20, 2025**  
 Sunrise Service: 6:30 AM  
 Sunday School: 9:45 AM  
 Worship: 10:45 AM

# Pickleball T-Shirt Fundraiser Order Form

## Shirt Design:



**Prices: S – XL \$15.00, 2X \$18.00, 3X – 5X \$22.00**

Please list the **quantity** beside the **size** of the shirts that you would like to order:

<u>Size</u>	<u>QTY</u>
Small	_____
Medium	_____
Large	_____
XL	_____
2X	_____
3X	_____
4X	_____
5X	_____
<b>Total Paid</b>	<b>\$_____</b>

**Ordered by** \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this form and place it in Donna Harrington's mailbox along with your payment of cash or check made out to "HGRUCC".

Please do NOT put it in the offering plate.

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**TIME TO ORDER  
EASTER FLOWERS  
TO DECORATE THE SANCTUARY  
TO HONOR AND REMEMBER LOVED ONES**

Please reserve the following for me:

QTY

\_\_\_\_\_ \$9/each Easter Lilies



\_\_\_\_\_ \$9/each Geraniums



Total QTY
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X \$9 = \_\_\_\_\_ Total Paid

1=\$9
2=\$18
3=\$27
4=\$36
5=\$45

Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

**Given by** \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this form and give it along with your payment of cash or check made out to "Church Women's Fellowship" to Lucy Beck by APRIL 6.

Do NOT put it in the offering plate.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_



# Scholarship 2025

## Upcoming Dates:

March 30 – Application Packets available

May 4 – Applications Due

May 6 – 6pm Scholarship Committee Meeting to review and approve applications

June 1 – Scholarship/Graduate Sunday

If you are a member of Hedrick's Grove and are planning to attend an accredited college, you are eligible to apply for our scholarship. Application packets will be available in the sanctuary on the information table beginning March 30, 2025. Please pick up an application packet, fill it out and return it along with a picture of yourself to Tammy Beck or Duane Williams. Also, applications are available electronically, please contact Pixie Philemon, Tammy Beck or Duane Williams for a copy. Applications are due no later than May 4, 2025.

The first Sunday in June, June 1<sup>st</sup>, has been designated as Scholarship/Graduate Sunday. In addition to being the Sunday to honor all our graduates, a special offering will be received to help build the Scholarship Fund. Please look for a special envelope in your bulletin on June 1<sup>st</sup> and make a donation.

The Scholarship Committee is dedicated to our young people at Hedrick's Grove. The Scholarship Fund was established in 2000 with a generous memorial of \$10,000. The Fund has continued to grow with your support. The first scholarship of \$500 was awarded in July 2005. Since then, we have continued to award scholarships to any member who is attending an accredited college or university. Due to your faithful and generous support of this fund the endowment has increased considerably over the ensuing years and now provides a one-time scholarship award of \$1,500 for each individual. THANK YOU!

The Scholarship Committee members support each HGRUCC student attending college through our College Outreach program. Students receive a care package at the end of the semester during exam time.

To help build our Scholarship fund we have special opportunities on Mother's Day, Father's Day, and Grandparent's Day where special bulletins are prepared to recognize and honor your loved ones through your donations to the Scholarship Fund. Also, remember the Scholarship Fund anytime during the year when you want to lift up someone special with an honorarium or memorial gift. Gifts of \$1,000 or more will be recognized on the plaque in the Educational Building. As our church continues to grow and the cost of education continues to rise, we realize the need continues for our Scholarship Fund so we may support educational opportunities for all of our wonderful young people at Hedrick's Grove.

The Committee would like to THANK YOU, our church family, for supporting us and the young people of Hedrick's Grove for many years. Please continue to remember this fund on the special Sundays we have designated and throughout the year.

In His Service,  
Tammy Beck, Chairman  
Duane Williams, Fund Manager

# APRIL 2025 CALENDAR



Wednesday	Apr	2	6:30 PM		Combined Choir Practice
Wednesday	Apr	2	6:30 PM		Youth Fellowship Meal & Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	2	7 PM		Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday	Apr	3	7 PM		Board of Christian Education Meeting
Saturday	Apr	5	TBD		Bell Choir Practice in the Sanctuary
Sunday	Apr	6	9:45 AM		Sunday School
Sunday	Apr	6	10:45 AM		Worship
Sunday	Apr	6	2 PM		Pickleball
Sunday	Apr	6	4 PM		Bell Choir Practice
Monday	Apr	7	6 PM		Cub Scout Meeting
Monday	Apr	7	7 PM		Boy Scout Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	9	6:30 PM		Combined Choir Practice
Wednesday	Apr	9	6:30 PM		Youth Fellowship Meal & Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	9	7 PM		Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday	Apr	10	7 PM		Consistory
Thursday	Apr	10	7 PM		Women's Fellowship Meeting
Saturday	Apr	12	TBD		Bell Choir Practice in the Sanctuary
Sunday	Apr	13	9:45 AM		Sunday School
Sunday	Apr	13	10:45 AM		Worship – Palm Sunday
Sunday	Apr	13	2 PM		Pickleball
Sunday	Apr	13	4 – 7 PM		Family Fun Night
Monday	Apr	14	6 PM		Cub Scout Meeting
Monday	Apr	14	7 PM		Boy Scout Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	16	6:30 PM		Combined Choir Practice
Wednesday	Apr	16	6:30 PM		Grove Friends Meal & Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	16	6:30 PM		Youth Fellowship Meal & Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	16	7 PM		Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday	Apr	17	7 PM		Maundy Thursday Service, New Friendship Church
Friday	Apr	18	7 PM		Good Friday Service
Saturday	Apr	19	10 PM		Easter Egg Hunt
Sunday	Apr	20			Newsletter Articles Due
Sunday	Apr	20	6:30 AM		Easter Sunrise Service with Breakfast Following
Sunday	Apr	20	9:45 AM		Sunday School
Sunday	Apr	20	10:45 AM		Easter Worship, Holy Communion
Wednesday	Apr	23	7 PM		Chancel Choir Practice
Sunday	Apr	27	9:45 AM		Sunday School
Sunday	Apr	27	10:45 AM		Worship
Sunday	Apr	27	2 PM		Pickleball
Sunday	Apr	27	6 PM		Men's Brotherhood Meal & Meeting
Monday	Apr	28	6 PM		Cub Scout Meeting
Monday	Apr	28	7 PM		Boy Scout Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	30	6:30 PM		Youth Fellowship Meal & Meeting
Wednesday	Apr	30	7 PM		Chancel Choir Practice



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### **News for Next Month**

Please electronically submit  
information, by April 20,  
for May's newsletter to  
the office email address:  
[hedricksgroveucc@gmail.com](mailto:hedricksgroveucc@gmail.com)

## Hedrick's Grove Reformed UCC Staff

Pastor Emeritus:  
The Reverend David L. Crook

Director of Music:  
Patty Hedrick

Organist & Handbell Director:  
Trudy Vossburg-Keating

Administrative Assistant:  
Pixie Philemon

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### *final thoughts...*

“Fear not, for I *am* with you; Be  
not dismayed, for I *am* your God.  
I will strengthen you, Yes, I will  
help you, I will uphold you with  
My righteous right hand.”

~Isaiah 41:10

