Let's connect and have fun with the families of Neabsco Elementary! Our partner school is hosting its biggest event of the year on Thursday, August 14th, from 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm. Enthusiastic youth and adults are needed as we lead a carnival-style game featuring prizes and share information about our church. Whether you're great with games, warm smiles, or simply showing up with a helping heart, we'd love for you to be part of it. Interested? Reach out to Ms. Janae at outreach@gsumc.net to join the team and get all the details. Let's show up, connect with families, and bring attention to our fun church family!

Name Tags

Let's be a place where everyone knows your name! Preprinted name tags for regular worshippers are in the Gathering Space. Guests are invited to create one. If you can't find your printed name tag or need a new one, please indicate on the Connection Card.

Are You Getting Our E-Newsletter?

One of the best ways to stay informed on all our ministries and activities is through our weekly email. If you do not receive the GSUMC weekly newsletter by email, please visit our website: <u>www.gsumc.net</u> and subscribe today.

Church Council minutes for July are available on the bulletin board or in the weekly newsletter.

Good Shepherd in Ministry

Monthly Prayer for our Church

Join us by including this in your daily prayer time and at all church gatherings.

Creator God, we thank you for the gift of the community we call Good Shepherd. You have knitted us together in love and called us to be a place of welcome for all your children. May we not only know your love but live it. Shape us into people who grow deeply in faith, grace, and understanding so that we might share these things with others. Teach us to pray with honesty, listen with humility, and serve with joy. Renew our desire to follow you through worship, study, prayer, and service. Make us more like Christ, that in us and through us, others might see a glimpse of your kingdom come. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Blessing of Backpacks and Educators on August 17th

All students, educators, faculty, and school staff are invited to bring their backpacks, work bags, etc, for a special time of blessing and to receive a tag to display all year. Invite a friend!

Snowie Bus is Coming to GSUMC! August 17th

Free snow cones for all ages after worship! Head out front and grab your favorite flavor of icy goodness. Enjoy and fellowship before departing or heading to Sunday School.

Give Input For An Upcoming Sermon Series



As children, many of us were taught bible stories that became the foundations of our faith. In an upcoming sermon series, we will explore some of these stories and how they apply to our faith today. Our most named stories will be featured by our pastors later this year! **You can share up to three stories by emailing Pastor Lisa or completing the form via the QR code or your weekly e-news.**