



 **Main Street**
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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211 North Main Street
Greenwood, South Carolina 29646
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February 25, 2018

Our Mission: "Following Christ from City Center"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Second Sunday in Lent

Purple

Welcome Visitors, Register Attendance, Church Concerns, Announcements

ENTRANCE

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude

The Old Rugged Cross
Emily Wallace, pianist

arr. Wolaver

*Call to Worship

Mary Lynn Polk, Lay Reader

Leader: From generation to generation, God calls to us.

People: Christ names us as God's own people.

Leader: In hope and faith, God walks before us.

People: Christ calls us to pick up our cross and follow.

Leader: In covenant and love, God promises us grace.

People: Christ carries us forward into life anew.

*Hymn No. 359

Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed
Crucifer: Bennett Charles
Acolyte: Campbell Driver

*The Apostles' Creed No. 881

*Glory Be to the Father No. 70

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

Scripture Reading

Mark 8:31-38

Mary Lynn Polk

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

Anthem

How Deep the Father's Love for Us
Chancel Choir

arr. Larson

Children's Message

Shell Dula

Hymn No. 172

My Jesus I Love Thee

Sermon

Symbols of the Season: The Cross

Pastor James McCoy-Bruce

RESPONSES TO THE WORD

***Hymn No. 338**

Where He Leads Me

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory

Lift High the Cross
Emily Wallace, organist

arr. Leavitt

***Doxology**

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 95

SENDING FORTH

***Hymn No. 424**

Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone

***Dismissal with Blessing**

***Benediction Response**

Postlude

Fugue in D Minor
Emily Wallace, organist

J.S. Bach

**Please stand if you are able*

Chancel Flowers

The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Linda Nelson Patterson by her family.

Lenten Pilgrimage continues this week at Episcopal Church of the Resurrection on South Main Street. Service is at 12:25 with lunch being served at 12:00 and at 1:00.

Disciple III – Remember Who You Are

Consider becoming a part of this Bible Study. Must have completed Disciple I. There is an orientation meeting on **February 27, 2018 at 6 pm** in the Genesis to Revelation classroom.

Online giving and video recording of the 11:00 service are available on our website, **www.msumc1.org**.

Serving This Sunday, February 25

Prayer Sentinel: Glenn Williams
Sound System Operator: Brian Andrews
Acolyte Parent Volunteer: Julie Driver
Extended Session Worker: Cindy Logan
Nursery Volunteer: Josie Shirley

Stewardship Report as of 02/18/2018

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME:	\$ 101,573	\$ 111,085
YTD EXPENSES:	\$ 88,854	\$ 111,085
YTD SURPLUS		
OR (DEFICIT):	\$ 12,719	

Attendance 02/18/2018

8:30 am Service.....	55
Sunday School.....	125
11:00 am Service.....	177

Elevate Youth

The Youth are continuing to accept donations for: toiletries, paper towels, socks, underwear, and pajamas for teenagers as their on-going project focusing on the Bowers Rogers children's home! You may drop off your donations in bins located in the Fellowship Hall and by the sanctuary.

Church Council Meeting

The next **Church Council** meeting will be held on today, **February 25th at 4:00 pm** in the Drake Sunday School classroom.

Member Concern Board

As a courtesy regarding the privacy of our members, the Member Concern Board has been relocated to the hallway inside the Church Office. Feel free to stop by the office to check the board.

Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

Rev James McCoy-Bruce, Senior Pastor
John McFadden, Director of Music Ministries
Emily Wallace, Organist
Kathy Kelly, Adult Program Coordinator
Lee Robirds, RN, Congregational Nurse
Sharon Britz, Director of Youth and Student Ministries
Lisa Smith, Children's Program Coordinator

Linda Miller, Financial Secretary
Jo Patterson, Office Assistant
Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Assistant
Scott Parham, Building Superintendent
Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Director
Michael Fisher, Building Caretaker
Melvin Boyd, Building Caretaker

THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

Monday, February 26

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies & Book Fair
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Girl Scouts-Asbury 2nd floor
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Christian Believer-Gen to Rev

Tuesday, February 27

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies & Book Fair
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm Praise Band Practice-FH
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm Mud Pies Open House-Asbury
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Disciple 3-Gen. to Rev. Class
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm Student Ministries-Youth Room

Wednesday, February 28

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies & Book Fair
4:00 pm – 7:00 pm ELEVATE Youth
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm ENGAGE-Supper & Program
7:15 pm – 8:30 pm Pick-up BB-Asbury Gym
7:15 pm – 8:45 pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, March 1

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies & Book Fair
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Prayer and Share-Library
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm Girl Scouts 1389-FH
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm GS Brownies/Jrs. Asbury 2nd flr
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm BSA Long Cane Dist. Mtg.-Lib.
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting-Chapel

Friday, March 2

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies & Book Fair
6:00 pm – Celebrate Recovery-Fellowship Hall

Saturday, March 3

8:30 am – 4:00 pm Kairos Team #30-FH

Sunday, March 4

8:30 am Early Service – Fellowship Hall
9:30 am Breakfast Served – Fellowship Hall
8:30 am – 12:15 pm Mud Pies Book Fair
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Service – Sanctuary
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm Life Hurts, God Heals-Youth Rm
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm Youth and dinner
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm Pick-up BB-Asbury Gym