



 **Main Street**
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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211 North Main Street
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May 6, 2018

Our Mission: "Following Christ from City Center"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Sixth Sunday of Easter

White

Welcome Visitors, Register Attendance, Church Concerns, Announcements

ENTRANCE

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude

***Call to Worship**

Glenn Williams, Lay Reader

Leader: Shout for joy, sing songs of praise,

People: for God reigns over all the earth!

Leader: God has gone up with a shout!

People: Sound the trumpets and sing songs of praise!

***Hymn No. 571**

Go, Make of All Disciples
Crucifer: Vivi Joy Pinckney
Acolyte: Richie Pinckney

***Affirmation from I Corinthians 15:1-6 and Colossians 1:15-20**

No. 888

***Glory Be to the Father No. 71**

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

Scripture Reading

Acts 8:26-40

Glenn Williams

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Anthem

Send Us, Lord, to Every Nation
Chancel Choir

Martin

Children's Message

Pastor McCoy-Bruce

Hymn No. 536

Precious Name

Sermon

The Most Difficult Conversation

Pastor McCoy-Bruce

RESPONSES TO THE WORD

Service of Word and Table

No. 12

Morning Prayer

Offering

Offertory

***Doxology** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* No. 94

Holy Communion: The Great Thanksgiving No. 15

Giving The Bread and Cup

Communion Servers:

Kit Adkins and Carol Harley, Suzanne Nicholson and Belva Few,
Joey and Lindsay Burns, and David and Jeanie Patterson

SENDING FORTH

***Hymn No. 572** *Pass It On*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Postlude

**Please stand if you are able*

Chancel Flowers

The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of Wygenia Moore's 86th birthday today from her children.

DON'T FORGET YOUR MOTHERS OR EPWORTH CHILDREN'S HOME NEXT SUNDAY

Next week is Mother's Day. We will buy flowers, call the mothers in our lives and remember those mothers who have impacted our lives. Most of the children at Epworth Children's Home will not be celebrating Mother's Day with their mothers. Instead, they will be surrounded by loving staff and volunteers who walk with them daily to provide spiritual, educational, emotional and physical support. Consider what God is calling you to give to support our church's ministry to children. Your generous contribution enables transformation to happen for the children who call Epworth home. Epworth does not receive apportionments from the United Methodist Conference. For more information visit online at www.epworthchildrenshome.org.

A video recording of today's 11:00 service is available on our website, www.msumc1.org. You may also make on-line donations there, too!

Serving This Sunday, May 6

Prayer Sentinel: Allie Williams

Sound System Operator: Jim Kelly

Acolyte Parent Volunteer: Lisa Smith

Extended Session Worker: Ben Harley and
Josie Shirley

Nursery Volunteer: Lindsay Burns

Stewardship Report as of 04/29/2018

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME:	\$ 234,933	\$ 269,705
YTD EXPENSES:	\$ 256,694	\$ 269,705
YTD SURPLUS OR (DEFICIT):	\$ (21,761)	

Attendance 04/29/2018

8:30 am Service.....	58
Sunday School.....	133
11:00 am Service.....	192

May Missions Collections

The Missions Committee is collecting **one-pound bags of dried beans** for the food bank. Carts are outside the sanctuary & the Fellowship Hall. You may also drop off donations by the church office.

Remember **ICE CREAM SOCIAL** is today at 3:00 for infants thru 5th grade families at the D'Alessandros.

MESSY Church on the 9th!

Wednesday is the last ENGAGE for the school year. Please join us for Messy activities and dinner, a Youth Fundraiser. Fill out reservation cards in pews, email or contact the church office for reservations!

Calling all graduates!

If you or someone in your family will be a graduate this year, please contact the church office with your information by May 15th!

THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

Monday, May 7

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies Preschool
10:00 am – 11:00 am NA Meeting-Library
11:00 am – 12:30 am Hearts & Hands-FH
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Christian Believer-Gen to Rev

Tuesday, May 8

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies Preschool
10:00 am – 11:00 am NA Meeting-Library
5:30 pm – 8:00 pm AAU Basketball-Gym
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Disciple III-Gen to Rev
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm Student Ministries

Wednesday, May 9

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies Preschool
4:00 pm – 7:00 pm ELEVATE Youth
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm ENGAGE-MESSY Church
7:15 pm – 8:30 pm Chancel Choir Practice
7:15 pm – 8:30 pm Pick-up Basketball

Thursday, May 10

6:00 am – 8:00 am Toastmasters-FH
9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies Preschool
10:00 am – 11:00 am NA Meeting-FH
10:00 am – 11:30 am Drug Coalition-Library
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Prayer and Share-Library
5:30 pm – 8:00 pm AAU Basketball-Gym
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting-Chapel

Friday, May 11

9:00 am – 12 noon Mud Pies Preschool
10:00 am – 11:00 am NA Meeting-Library
6:00 pm – Celebrate Recovery-FH

Sunday, May 13-Mother's Day

8:30 am Early Service – Fellowship Hall
9:30 am Breakfast Served – Fellowship Hall
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Service – Sanctuary
4:00 pm – 5:30 pm Life Hurts, God Heals- Youth Room
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm Youth and dinner
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm Pick-up Basketball-Gym

Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

Pastor 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

Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Assistant

Jo Patterson, Office Assistant

Linda Miller, Financial Secretary

Scott Parham, Building Superintendent

Michael Fisher, Building Caretaker

Melvin Boyd, Building Caretaker

Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Director