



 **Main Street**
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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January 5, 2020

Welcome to Main Street United Methodist Church.
Our Mission is: "Following Christ from City Center"

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Epiphany Sunday

White

Welcome Visitors, Register Attendance, Church Concerns, Announcements

ENTRANCE

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude

Rodney Cleveland, organist

***Call to Worship**

Rhonda McGinnis, Lay Reader

Leader: The darkness is gone...

People: Rejoice in the light!

Leader: The star shines brightly

People: Follow the star!

Leader: A child is born.

People: Bring your gifts!

***Hymn No. 238**

Angels We Have Heard on High

Crucifer: Vivi Joy Pinckney

Acolyte: Tyler Andrews

*** The Apostles' Creed No. 881**

***Glory Be to the Father No. 70**

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

Scripture Reading

Matthew 2:1-12

Rhonda McGinnis

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Anthem

Christmas Day in the Morning

arr. Shackley

Chancel Choir

Children's Message

Pastor James

All children are invited to the front of the Sanctuary for a special message. Following Children's Time, 3-year-olds through Kindergartners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.

Hymn No. 254

We Three Kings

Sermon

Thinking Things Through

Pastor James

RESPONSES TO THE WORD

Service of Word and Table No. 12

Morning Prayer

Offering

Offertory

Rodney Cleveland, organist

***Doxology**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 95

The Great Thanksgiving No. 15

Communion Servers:

Susan and Richard Pinckney, Amy and John Young
Pam Faulkner, Toby Chappell, Rhonda and Lincoln McGinnis

SENDING FORTH

***Hymn No. 246**

Joy to the World

***Benediction**

***Congregational Benediction**

Shalom to You

No. 666

Postlude

Rodney Cleveland, organist

**Please stand if you are able*

Church Council Meeting

Our **Church Council Meeting is today**, Sunday, January 5th, 2020, at 4:00 pm in the Drake Sunday School Classroom. All officers, chairs, and staff are urged to attend!

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

Flower calendar for 2020 is available. Please see insert or call the Church Office.

Serving This Sunday, January 5

Prayer Sentinels: Kit Adkins

Sound System Operator: Brian Andrews

Acolyte Parent Volunteer: Chrissy Andrews

Extended Session Worker: Tara Smith

Children's Nursery Volunteer: Kayla Titus

MSUMC's nursery depends on church member volunteers to assist during each service. Call Church Office to help.

Stewardship Report as of 12/29/2019

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME:	\$ 699,494	\$ 920,405
YTD EXPENSES:	\$ 712,330	\$ 920,405
YTD SURPLUS OR (DEFICIT):	(\$12,836)	

Attendance 12/29/2019

8:30 am Service	48
Sunday School	104
11:00 am Service	141

ENGAGE is Small Group Ministry!

Come this Wednesday, January 8th, to Family Night Supper and learn about all the Small Groups for the Winter session and hear about the Lent Study that will be from February 26th-April 1st.

UMM Resumes Men's Study January 9

The stated purpose of the United Methodist Men is "To Help Men Grow in Christ, So Others May Know Christ." A group of men will gather on Thursdays for fellowship and study at 7am at Fat Daddy's. Come join us and strengthen your walk with Christ.

Honduras Missions Needs

We are collecting 75 used colored t-shirts (adult medium, large & x-large) to make jump ropes for Honduras!

Childcare is available on Sundays

for infants through two-year old children from 8:30 am – 12:15 pm, first floor in the Asbury Building. Must sign your child in and out.

THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

Monday, January 6

6:30 pm–9:00 pm Companions in Christ-G2R

Tuesday, January 7

9:00 am–12:00 noon Mud Pies Preschool

9:30 am–11:00 am Staff Meeting

10:00 am Susanna Circle-Wesley Commons

11:00 am–2:00 pm SAR Chapter Mtg-SWB Conf. Rm.

1:00 pm–2:00 pm Sweet Hour of Prayer-Library

7:30 pm–Greenwood Wesley Fellowship-SWB

Wednesday, January 8

9:00 am–12:00 noon Mud Pies Preschool

4:30 pm–5:00 pm Main Streeters Planning Mtg-Lib.

5:00 pm–7:00 pm Engage Dinner-Fellowship Hall

7:00 pm–8:15 pm Choir Practice-Choir Room

7:00 pm–8:30 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Gym

Thursday, January 9

9:00 am–12:00 noon Mud Pies Preschool

Friday, January 10

9:00 am–12:00 noon Mud Pies Preschool

6:30 pm–7:45 pm Celebrate Recovery-FH

Saturday, January 11

9:15 am Greenwood UMW Officer's Training-FH

Sunday, January 12

8:30 am Early Service-Fellowship Hall

9:00 am–11:00 am Missions Fair-Asbury Gym

9:30 am Breakfast Served-Fellowship Hall

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary

12:00 pm Missions Lunch-Fellowship Hall

2:30 pm–3:45 pm "What's Your Next?"-Library

7:00 pm–8:30 pm Pick-up BB-Asbury Gym

Undecorating the Church

We are taking all the Advent decorations down today immediately after the 11:00 am service.

So please stay and help us take wreaths, greenery, and candles down.

We appreciate your help and thank you very much!

Mission Sunday January 12th!

Everyone is invited to gather in the Asbury Gym Sunday, January 12th, from 9:30 am-11:00 am for the Missions Fair. Mission opportunities and community agencies will be here. And lunch will be served in the Fellowship Hall after the 11:00 service. Tickets are on sale in the Church Office, \$8 for adults and \$5 for children.

Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

Pastor James McCoy-Bruce, Senior Pastor

Gray Stallworth, Pastor of Discipleship

John McFadden, Director of Music Ministries

Rodney Cleveland, Organist

Josie Shirley, Children's Program Coordinator

Preston Goforth, Director of Youth & Student Ministries

Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Assistant

Jo Patterson, Office Assistant

Linda Miller, Financial Secretary

David Weathers, Building Superintendent

Michael Fisher, Building Caretaker

Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Director