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WELCOMING

211 North Main Street Greenwood, South Carolina 29646 (864) 229-7551 www.mainstreetgreenwood.org

April 11, 2021

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

White

# **ENTRANCE**

Welcome Visitors, Church Concerns and Announcements

Pastor Gray

Chiming of the Trinity

**Prelude** A Trumpet Minuet

Hollins

Rodney Cleveland, organist

Call to Worship

Toby Chappell, Lay Reader

Leader: Followers of Jesus, by his cross we are redeemed from the futility of sin.

People: Alleluia!

Leader: By his rising we are free from the fear of death.

People: Alleluia!

Leader: By his love we are made new in the living and enduring.

People: Alleluia! Thanks be to God!

**Call to Praise**Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

# **PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE**

**Scripture Reading**Romans 3:23-26
Toby Chappell <sup>23</sup> since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; <sup>24</sup> they are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, <sup>25</sup> whom God put forward as a sacrifice of

atonement by his blood, effective through faith. He did this to show his righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over the sins previously committed; <sup>26</sup> it was to prove at the present time that he himself is righteous and that he justifies the one who has faith in Jesus.

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Children's Moments Pastor Gray

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.

**Anthem** I Am Thine, O Lord

Brab Crooks and John McFadden

## **RESPONSES TO THE WORD**

### **Sermon Response**

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

# **SENDING FORTH**

**Hymn** Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heav'n, to earth come down, Fix in us Thy humble dwelling, all Thy faithful mercies crown.

Jesus, Thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love Thou art.

Visit us with Thy salvation; enter ev'ry trembling heart.

**Benediction** 

**Postlude** Sinfonia Handel

# **Chancel Flowers**

The chancel flowers today are given to the Glory of God by The Mason Sunday School Class and in loving memory of our ten members who went on to their eternal glory February 2020-January 2021. Sara Callison, Evelyn Irwin, Rev. Jim Medley, Wygenia Moore, Hennie Cox, Ruby Minor, Lib Gambrell, Evelyn Rambo, Chuck Drake and Lois Nisonger.

**April 25<sup>th</sup>, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, and 30<sup>th</sup>** are available to provide flowers for our worship services. Contact the church office at 229-7551 to sign up!

A video recording of today's service is available on our website, <u>www.mainstreetgreenwood.org</u>.

There is a link to make on-line donations there, also!

#### Serving This Sunday, April 11

Sound System Operator: Brian Andrews Media Team: Asa Stallworth Prayer Sentinel: Ann and Charlie West

Acolyte: Annabelle Chappell
Extended Session: Susan Thompson
Children's Nursery Volunteer: Jo Patterson

# 2021 Stewardship Report as of 04/04/2021

Actual <u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME: \$165,961 \$248,513
YTD EXPENSES: \$162,470 \$248,513

YTD SURPLUS

OR (DEFICIT): \$ 3,491

#### Apportionments Report as of 04/04/2021

\$99,646 Apportionments due by 12/31/21 \$8,304 Apportionments Paid to Date \$91,342 Balance of Apportionments due

#### Attendance 04/04/2021

8:30 am Service 44 11:00 am Service 189

#### **Mud Pies Book Fair**

April 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> in the Asbury Gym Mud Pies is having a "Bookies & Cookies + Book Fair"! Stop by the gym to browse all of the book selections anytime between 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Great ideas for newborns, birthday gifts or even early Christmas gifts!

# Save the Dates!

Graduate Sunday – May 16 Confirmation Sunday – May 23 Vacation Bible School – June 27

# 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. Also, we need volunteers! Contact Gray Stallworth to sign up!

#### THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

# Monday, April 12 Mud Pies Book Fair

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool 6:00 pm Essentials Sermon Study

7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911

Facebook Group Bible Study

<u>Tuesday, April 13 Mud Pies Book Fair</u> 7:00 am College Bible Study-Howard's on Main

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

5:00 pm Pandemic Response Team Meeting 6:00 pm Celebration Circle-Drake Class

6:30 pm Wesley Fellowship-SWB Wednesday, April 14 Mud Pies Book Fair

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

5:45 pm Confirmation Class 6:30 pm Elevate Youth

6:30 pm Bible Study with Pastor James

6:30 pm Ladies Book Study 6:30 pm Men's Bible Study

Thursday, April 15 Mud Pies Book Fair

7:00 am Men's Essentials-Howard's on Main 9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

<u>Friday, April 16 Mud Pies Book Fair</u>

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

Sunday, April 18

8:30 am Early Service-Fellowship Hall 10:00 am Sunday School Classes-Reserve your class with Gray

Is Jesus Calling-in person

Bible Class-in person Cornerstone-in person

Mason Class-in person

Paul Frey-in person

Genesis to Revelation-Zoom

Dula Class-Harley Family Center & Zoom

Drake Class-in person & Zoom

Preschool-in person Children 1st-5th in person

Children 1si-5in in perso

Youth-Youth room

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary

To learn more about future events planned at Main Street, visit us on our website at <a href="https://www.mainstreetgreenwood.org">www.mainstreetgreenwood.org</a>.

#### Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

James McCoy-Bruce, Senior Pastor Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Assistant

Gray Stallworth, Pastor of Discipleship Jo Patterson, Office Assistant

John McFadden, Director of Music Ministries Linda Miller, Financial Secretary

Rodney Cleveland, Organist David Weathers, Building Superintendent

Preston Goforth, Director of Youth & Student Ministries Michael Fisher, Building Caretaker

Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Director