



 **Main Street**  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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WELCOMING

211 North Main Street  
Greenwood, South Carolina 29646  
Office: (864) 229-7551 After Hour Emergencies: (864) 939-8437  
[www.mainstreetgreenwood.org](http://www.mainstreetgreenwood.org)

**September 19, 2021**

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

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

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## ENTRANCE

**Prelude**

*Prelude in C Minor*  
Rodney Cleveland, organist

Bach

**Welcome Visitors, Church Concerns and Announcements**

Pastor James

**Chiming of the Trinity**

**Introit**

*Surely the Presence of the Lord*  
Chancel Choir

Lanny Wolfe

**\*Call to Worship**

Ann Landis, Lay Reader

Leader: Praise God for wisdom and truth!

**People: Praise God for wisdom and truth!**

Leader: Praise God for strength and love!

**People: Praise God for strength and love!**

**\*Hymn No. 89**

*Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*  
Crucifer: Coleson Marino  
Acolyte: Quinn Marino

## PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

**Scripture Reading**

Luke 11:5-13

Ann Landis

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

**People: Thanks be to God!**

**Children's Moments**

Pastor James

*All children are invited to the front of the Sanctuary for a special message. Following Children's Time, 3-year-olds through 1<sup>st</sup> Graders may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.*

**Anthem**

*O Lord, Hear Me*  
Chancel Choir

Hal Hopson

**Sermon**

*40 Days: Beginner's Guide to Prayer*

Pastor James

## RESPONSES TO THE WORD

**\*Hymn No. 480**                      *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go*

**Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer**

**Offering**

**Offertory**                              *Children of the Heavenly Father*                              Bish  
   Rodney Cleveland, organist

**\*Doxology**                      *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*                              No. 95

## SENDING FORTH

**\*Hymn No. 405**                              *Seek Ye First*

**\*Benediction**

**\*Congregational Response Hymn No. 405**

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness,  
And all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

**\*Postlude**

Rodney Cleveland, organist

*\*Please stand as you are able*

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## Chancel Flowers

The chancel flowers today are for the glory of God.  
This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

**Sanctuary Flowers** – To place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of loved ones on **Sunday, September 26<sup>th</sup>, October 10<sup>th</sup>, or 17<sup>th</sup>**, please call Debbie Tharpe at 229-7551.

**WELCOME VISITORS!** We are so glad you are worshipping with us. If you would like to learn more about Main Street ministries, get connected to a Bible Study, or request prayer, please visit [mainstreetgreenwood.org/connection-card/](http://mainstreetgreenwood.org/connection-card/).  
Or call the Church Office at 864-229-7551 and speak with one of our staff members.

A video recording of today's service is available on  
our website, [www.mainstreetgreenwood.org](http://www.mainstreetgreenwood.org).

**After Hour Emergencies – 864-939-8437**

## Serving This Sunday, September 19

**Sound System Operator:** Stuart Driver

**Media Team:** Asa Stallworth

**Welcome Center:** Zella Williams

**Prayer Sentinel:** Glenn Williams

**Acolyte Parent Volunteer:** Rebecca Marino

**Sanctuary Stewards:** Ann and Charlie West

## 2021 Stewardship Report as of 09/12/2021

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME:	\$432,585	\$645,309
YTD EXPENSES:	\$448,890	\$645,309
YTD SURPLUS		
OR (DEFICIT):	(16,305)	

## Apportionments Report as of 09/12/2021

\$99,646	Apportionments due by 12/31/21
<u>\$24,912</u>	Apportionments Paid to Date
\$74,734	Balance of Apportionments due

## Attendance 09/12/2021

9:00 am Prayer Service	28
Sunday School	84
11:00 am Service	127

## Music Ministry

Are you musically talented? Share your gifts by singing in the choir or playing hand bells. Please contact Gina Jolly to sign up. Call the Church Office or email her at [gina.jolly@mainstreetgreenwood.org](mailto:gina.jolly@mainstreetgreenwood.org).

## Music Ministry News

What a blessing to have Zoe Moore and Logan Robinson join the Chancel Choir. Please give our Lander University Music Scholars a warm Main Street welcome!

## Sunday Childcare

for infants through two-year olds from 9:00 am – 12:15 pm, in the Asbury Building. Children must be signed in and out. Contact Melissa Scott to sign up to be a much needed volunteer!!

## THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

### Monday, September 20

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool

7:00 pm 40 Days Small Group-Zoom

7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911-Scout Room

### Tuesday, September 21

7:00 am College Bible Study-Howard's on Main

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool

9:30 am Staff Meeting

10:00 am 40 Days Small Group-Drake Class

5:30 pm – Board of Trustees - Library

6:30 pm Greenwood Wesley Fellowship-SWB

### Wednesday, September 22

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool

6:00 pm 40 Days Small Groups: Fellowship Hall, G2R Classroom, and Tom & Pam Goeden's home

6:00 pm Childrens' Ministries-Asbury Building

6:00 pm Elevate Youth-Youth Room

7:15 pm Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, September 23

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool

Bible Class Mountain Trip- 9:30 am

\*Meet in the church parking lot

12:00 pm 40 Days Small Group- G2R Classroom

4:00 pm 40 Days Small Group- Wesley Commons

7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Gym

### Sunday, September 26

9:00 am Prayer Service-Sanctuary

10:00 am Sunday School Classes

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary

2:00 pm **Safe Sanctuary Training-FH**

5:30 pm Elevate Youth-Youth Room

5:30 pm Floor Send Off – Fellowship Hall

7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Gym

*To learn more about future events planned at Main Street, visit us on our website at*

[www.mainstreetgreenwood.org](http://www.mainstreetgreenwood.org).

### Stay Connected with our Children's Ministry

Register on your phone to receive messages via the Remind App by texting @4gkcee to 81010.

## Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

James McCoy-Bruce, Senior Pastor

Gray Stallworth, Pastor of Discipleship

Gina Jolly, Director of Music Ministries

Rodney Cleveland, Organist

Preston Goforth, Director of Youth & Student Ministries

Melissa Scott, Children's Ministries Coordinator

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