



 **Main Street**
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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March 21, 2021

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

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Fifth Sunday in Lent

Purple

ENTRANCE

Welcome Visitors, Church Concerns and Announcements

Pastor James

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude

Lenten Meditation

Callahan

Jarvernique Tinsley, violinist and Rodney Cleveland, organist

Call to Worship

Glenn Williams, Lay Reader

Leader: Come! Cry out with the psalmist:

People: “Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.”

Leader: Write your laws upon our hearts, O Lord, and we will be your people.

People: “Do not cast me away from your presence, and do not take your Holy Spirit from me.”

Leader: Be our God, and we will be your people.

People: “Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and sustain in me a willing spirit.”

Call to Praise

Maker, in Whom We Live

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

Scripture Reading

Exodus 20:15-17

Glenn Williams

¹⁵You shall not steal. ¹⁶You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. ¹⁷You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

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 Kindergartners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.

Anthem

Hope of the World

Joey Plyler and John McFadden

Sermon

Striking Gold

Pastor James

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

Pass It On

It only takes a spark to get a fire going,
And soon all those around can warm up in its glowing.
That's how it is with God's love once you've experience it;
You spread his love to everyone; you want to pass it on.

I wish for you, my friend, this happiness that I've found;
You can depend on him, it matters not where you're bound.
I'll shout it from the mountain top; I want my world to know;
The Lord of love has come to me, I want to pass it on.

Benediction

Postlude

In the Cross of Christ, I Glory

Cherwein

Chancel Flowers

The chancel flowers today are given to the Glory of God and with praise and thanksgiving for the Lenten season and the first day of spring.

Please join us at Main Street for services throughout Holy Week!

Maunder Thursday Service

April 1, 6:00 pm

Good Friday Tenebrae Service

April 2, 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday Services

April 4, 8:30 am and 11:00 am

April 18th, 25th, May 2nd and 9th 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, www.mainstreetgreenwood.org.
There is a link to make on-line donations there, also!

Serving This Sunday, March 21

Sound System Operator: Toby Chappell

Media Team: Preston Goforth

Prayer Sentinel: Allie Williams

Extended Session: Zella Moore

Children's Nursery Volunteer: Melissa Funderburk

2021 Stewardship Report as of 03/14/2021

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME:	\$134,269	\$196,757
YTD EXPENSES:	\$116,663	\$196,757
YTD SURPLUS		
OR (DEFICIT):	\$ 17,626	

Apportionments Report as of 03/14/2021

\$99,646	Apportionments due by 12/31/21
\$ 0	Apportionments Paid to Date
\$99,646	Balance of Apportionments due

Attendance 03/14/2021

8:30 am Service	27
11:00 am Service	78

March 24th Lenten Pilgrimage On-line Service

The Lenten Pilgrimage continues by St. Mark UMC.

Click on Lenten Pilgrimage under the Videos tab on Main Street's webpage. You can also find it at:

<https://mainstreetgreenwood.org/lenten-pilgrimage>

These are posted by noon each Wednesday.

Chad Withered Scholarship Deadline

Applications for the 2021 Chad Withered Scholarship will be accepted until March 28, 2020. If there are any questions, please contact Preston Goforth or the Church Office.

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!

Extended Session Children ages 3-5 leave before the 11:00 am sermon and return to the sanctuary before time to leave.

THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

Monday, March 22

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

Tuesday, March 23

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

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

9:30 am Staff Meeting

6:30 pm Wesley Fellowship-SWB

Wednesday, March 24

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

12:00 pm Lenten Pilgrimage On-line Service

4:30 pm Membership Committee Meeting

5:45 pm Confirmation Class-Youth Room

6:30 pm Words of Life Study-Zoom

6:30 pm Words of Life Study-Bells Room

6:30 pm Words of Life Study-Drake Class

6:30 pm Elevate Youth-Youth Room

Thursday, March 25

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

Friday, March 26

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

Sunday, March 28 – Palm Sunday

8:30 am Early Service-Fellowship Hall

10:00 am Sunday School Classes-Reserve your class with Gray

Is Jesus Calling-in person

Cornerstone-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

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 www.mainstreetgreenwood.org.

Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

James McCoy-Bruce, Senior Pastor

Gray Stallworth, Pastor of Discipleship

John McFadden, Director of Music Ministries

Rodney Cleveland, Organist

Preston Goforth, Director of Youth & Student Ministries

Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Director

Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Assistant

Jo Patterson, Office Assistant

Linda Miller, Financial Secretary

David Weathers, Building Superintendent

Michael Fisher, Building Caretaker