



 **Main Street**
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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211 North Main Street
Greenwood, South Carolina 29646
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October 24, 2021

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

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost

Green

ENTRANCE

Prelude

Fugue in D Minor
Rodney Cleveland, organist

Bach

Welcome Visitors, Church Concerns and Announcements

Pastor Gray

Chiming of the Trinity

Introit

Sanctuary
Chancel Choir

Thompson/Scruggs

***Call to Worship**

Marilyn Murphy, Lay Reader

Leader: In Christ Jesus you are welcome here.

People: In Christ Jesus all are welcome here.

Leader: Welcome, prophets and little children, in Christ's name.

People: Welcome, people of God.

***Hymn No. 110**

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Crucifer: Olivia Sprouse
Acolytes: Mary Margaret and Rosemary Skinner

***Apostles' Creed No. 881**

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

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

Scripture Reading

Mark 10:46-52

Marilyn Murphy

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

People: Thanks be to God!

Third Grade Bible Presentation

Leena Fields, Ben Funderburk, Emma Grace Scott, and Rosemary Skinner

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

Anthem

The Gift of Love
Chancel Choir

Hal Hopson

Sermon

The Not So Blind Beggar

Pastor Gray

RESPONSES TO THE WORD

***Hymn No. 348** *Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory *Healer of Our Every Ill*
Rodney Cleveland, organist

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

SENDING FORTH

***Hymn No. 368** *My Hope Is Built*

Reception of New Members No. 48 David and Cathy Painter
and Joey Plyler

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response Hymn No. 368**

On Christ the solid rock I stand, all other ground is sinking sand;
all other ground is sinking sand.

***Postlude** *A Mighty Fortress is Our God* Walcha
Rodney Cleveland, organist

**Please stand as you are able*

Chancel Flowers

The chancel arrangement today is to glorify God and to rejoice and be glad that all who come to the Lord, labored and burdened, He gives us rest.

Sanctuary Flowers – To place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of loved ones on **Sunday, November 14th**, please call Debbie Tarpe 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/.
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.

After Hour Emergencies – 864-939-8437

Serving This Sunday, October 24

Sound System Operator: Jim Kelly

Media Team: Susan Albon

Welcome Center: Mary Dula

Prayer Sentinel: Ann West

Acolyte Parent Volunteer: Caroline Chappell

Extended Session: Melissa Funderburk & Hannah Crooks

Sanctuary Stewards: Ann & Charlie West

2021 Stewardship Report as of 10/17/2021

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD INCOME:	\$498,404	\$731,569
YTD EXPENSES:	\$528,508	\$731,569
YTD SURPLUS OR (DEFICIT):	\$ (30,104)	

Apportionments Report as of 10/17/2021

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

Attendance 10/17/2021

9:00 am Prayer Service	29
Sunday School	76
11:00 am Service	137

Consecration Sunday-October 31st

We are observing Consecration Sunday next week where we will dedicate our time, talents, temples, and treasures to the Lord who has graciously given us all we have. Our 2022 ministry opportunities will be designed on the pledges we receive. Please prayerfully search your hearts and participate with us as God leads you. We thank you in advance and hope to see you next Sunday, on Consecration Sunday.

Farewell Ugly Green Curtain Auction & Showcase

Come one, come all! We will have a showcase of talent & lots of auction items to bid on in the upcoming Talent Showcase/Auction/Fundraiser on Nov. 7th. Auction items can be previewed after 11:00 service. Doors open at 4:00 pm for bidding and hotdog dinner at 5:00 pm.

Children's Ministry

Come join the fun on Wednesday evenings, 6-7 pm, for Children's Choir with Gina Jolly, as well as bible study/activity time with Melissa Scott. We have two groups: 3 year olds - 1st grade and 2nd - 5th graders.

THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET

Monday, October 25

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool-Asbury Building
4:30 pm Worship Committee Meeting
7:00 pm Young Adult Ministry Meeting-FH
7:00 pm Engage Monday Night Essentials-Zoom
7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911-Scout Room

Tuesday, October 26

7:00 am College Bible Study-Howard's on Main
7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool-Asbury Building
6:30 pm Greenwood Wesley Fellowship-SWB

Wednesday, October 27

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool-Asbury Building
5:15 pm Adult Handbells-Upstairs Bell Room/Loft
6:00 pm Engage Wednesday Thrive-G2R Class
6:00 pm Engage Women of Christmas-DrakeClass
6:00 pm Childrens' Ministries-Asbury Building
6:00 pm Elevate Youth-Youth Room
6:15 pm Childrens' Choir-Upstairs Bell Room
6:45 pm Elevate After Party-Youth Room & Gym
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 28

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool-Asbury Building
10:00 am Engage Thursday Half-Truths-DrakeClass
12:00 pm Engage Men's Essentials-G2RClass
7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Gym

Friday, October 29

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool-Asbury Building
Sunday, October 31 Consecration Sunday
9:00 am Prayer Service-Sanctuary
10:00 am Sunday School Classes
11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary
5:30 pm Elevate Youth-Youth Room/Asbury Gym
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.

Sunday Childcare

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

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