

+ Main Street









WELCOMING

WORSHIPPING SERVING BUILDIN

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

April 25, 2021

Welcome to Main Street United Methodist Church. Our Mission is: "Following Christ from City Center" 11:00 am

Fourth Sunday of Easter

White

ENTRANCE

Welcome Visitors, Church Concerns and Announcements

Pastor James

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude If You But Trust in God to Guide You

Bach

Rodney Cleveland, organist

Call to Worship

Mary Lynn Polk, Lay Reader

Leader: Bless the Lord, O people sing!

People: Let the sound of praise ring out.

Leader: Come and hear what the Lord has done,

People: the Lord who has made everything!

Call to Praise Jesus Calls Us

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

Scripture Reading 1 Kings 21:1-4, 7-11, 14; James 1:12-18 Mary Lynn Polk

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 Sacred Waters

The Re-Opening Revue

Sermon Jezreel: Ruined Garden 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.

Offering

Offertory If You But Trust in God to Guide You Manz

Rodney Cleveland, organist

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

SENDING FORTH

*Hymn No. 359 Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed Stanzas 1 & 5

*Benediction

Postlude God Has Spoken By His Prophets Manz

Chancel Flowers

The chancel flowers today are given to the Glory of God.

May 2nd, 23rd, and 30th 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!

^{*}Please stand if you are able

Serving This Sunday, April 25

Sound System Operator: Toby Chappell Media Team: Susan Albon

Prayer Sentinel: Allie Williams
Acolyte: Mary Margaret Skinner
Extended Session: Susan Thompson

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2021 Stewardship Report as of 04/18/2021Actual Budgeted

YTD INCOME: \$191,604 \$283,017 YTD EXPENSES: \$185,918 \$283,017

YTD SURPLUS

OR (DEFICIT): \$ 5,686

Apportionments Report as of 04/18/2021 \$99.646 Apportionments due by 12/31/21

\$8,304 Apportionments Paid to Date Balance of Apportionments due

Attendance 04/18/2021

8:30 am Service 29

Acolyte & Crucifer Training Today @ 12:05pm

Interested 2nd-12th graders and parents, meet at the ramp beside the Sanctuary today.

Transform A Child's Future

Each year Epworth provides care to children in our own communities who have experienced abuse, neglect, and loss. On Sunday, May 9th, our congregation will support Epworth, benefitting the children who call Epworth home. Please be in prayerful consideration to give to this valuable and life changing ministry this year.

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 26

Facebook Group Bible Study 9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool 6:00 pm Essentials Sermon Study 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911

Tuesday, April 27

7:00 am College Bible Study-Howard's on Main 9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

9:30 am Staff Meetina

6:30 pm Wesley Fellowship-SWB

Wednesday, April 28

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

5:45 pm Confirmation Class

6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

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

7:15 pm Elevate After-Party

Thursday, April 29

7:00 am Men's Essentials-Howard's on Main

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

<u>Friday, April 30</u>

9:00 am Mud Pies Preschool

Sunday, May 2

8:30 am Early Service-Fellowship Hall

10:00 am Sunday School Classes

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary

12:05 pm Acolyte/Crucifer Training

5:00 pm Confirmation Interviews-Youth Room

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.

Main Street United Methodist Church Staff

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

Gray Stallworth, Pastor of Discipleship Jo Patterson, Office Assistant

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