

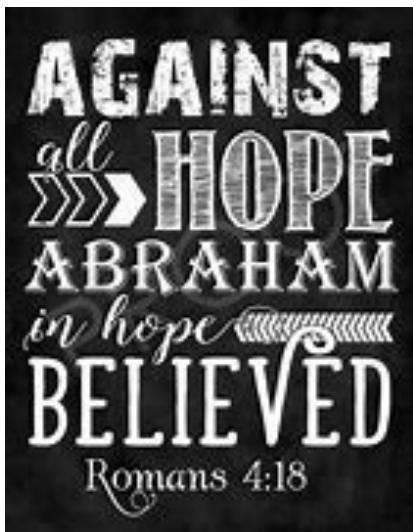
# Main Street United Methodist Church

211 MAIN STREET N ~ GREENWOOD, SC ~ 29646 ~ 864-229-7551

*2nd Sunday after Pentecost*

*June 11, 2023*

**“Making a Difference”**



**Main Street United Methodist Church**

**9AM - Worship in the Fellowship Hall**

**10AM - Sunday School**

**11AM - Worship in the Sanctuary**

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday

9:00am-1:00pm

Email Address:

[churchoffice@mainstreetgreenwood.org](mailto:churchoffice@mainstreetgreenwood.org)

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**Our Mission is: “Following Christ  
from City Center”**

**WELCOME VISITORS!**

May God richly bless you in this Service today and bring you back to be with us again. If you would like to learn more about Main Street ministries, get connected to a Bible Study or request prayer, please visit our website [mainstreetgreenwood.org/connection-card/](http://mainstreetgreenwood.org/connection-card/) or call our Church Office at 864-229-7551. Thank you for worshipping with us today!

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

White

### **Prelude**

*Prière à Notre-Dame*  
Will Thomas, Organ

L. Boëllmann

### **Welcome and Announcements**

Rev. Keck

### **Annual Conference Summary**

Glenn Williams

### **Chiming of the Trinity**

### **Introit**

*You Alone Are Holy*  
Chancel Choir

### **\*Opening Prayer**

Shirley Pate, Lay Reader

Lord Jesus Christ, your name above every other name, we praise you. We pray that your name is blessed now and forever, in good times and in bad, from east to west. Your name is worthy of praise. Your name is powerful. Your name rules over the nations. Your glory is higher than the heavens. Your name is beautiful. Let us praise the name of the Lord together. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

### **\*Hymn of Praise**

*To God Be the Glory*  
Crucifer: Mary Margaret Skinner  
Acolyte: Rosemary Skinner

#98

### **\*Apostles Creed**

#881

### **\*Glory Be to the Father**

#70

### **Children's Message with Rev. Steve and Charlie**

*Following the Children's Message, 3-year-olds through Kindergartners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.*

### **\*Hymn of Preparation**

*Standing on The Promises*

#374

### **Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer**

### **Anthem**

*How Firm A Foundation*  
Chancel Choir

Emma Lous Diemer

### **\*Scripture Reading**

Romans 4:13-25

Shirley Pate

### **Sermon**

*Hope Against Hope*

Rev. Keck

### **Giving of Tithes & Offering**

### **Offertory**

*Lord, I Want to be a Christian in My Heart*

D. Bish

### **\*Doxology**

#95

### **\*Hymn of Dedication**

*My Hope is Built*

#368

### **Salkehatchie Send-Off**

Rev. Keck

### **\*Closing Prayer**

### **\*Congregational Response**

*He is Lord*

#177

He is Lord, he is Lord! He is risen from the dead and he is Lord!  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

### **Postlude**

*Come Thou Almighty King*

A. L. Page

\*All who are able, please stand.

## 2023 Stewardship Report as of 06/04/2023

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD Income:	\$307,288	\$335,524
YTD Expenses:	\$294,727	\$335,524
YTD Surplus or (Deficit):	\$ 12,561	

### Attendance 06/04/2023

9:00 Service	50
Sunday School	111
11:00 Service	170
On-line	9

\*Just a reminder that if you are going to make a legacy gift to the Foundation, the separate check needs to be written to Main Street Church Foundation. We thank you in advance for your contributions!

### Church Council Meeting - is TODAY June 11th at 4:00 pm

If you would like to know more about what is going on in your church, please join the Administrative Council for this meeting. All Church members are invited and encouraged to attend.

### Bible Study Opportunities

The **Men's Bible Study Lunch** is on Wednesdays at 12 noon in the Library. Come whenever you can!

The **Wednesday Morning Small Group** meets every two weeks at Howard's on Main, downtown Greenwood, at 10:00 am. The next meeting is Wednesday, June 21st.

The next **Thursday Morning Bible Study** is on June 22 at 10:00 am. We're studying the Book of James. Bring your Bible and meet in the Drake Classroom.

### Upcoming Meetings in June:

Church Council Meeting: June 11 at 4:00 pm

Board of Trustees: June 12 at 5:30 pm

Soup Kitchen Team #3: June 17 at 9:00 am

Salkehatchie Team Departure Send-off: June 17

Prayer Ministry Team Meeting: June 19 at 10:00 am

### Announcement from the Membership and Evangelism Team

If you have not had your picture made for the church directory, please send a picture in to Debbie Tharpe via email. [debbie.tharpe@mainstreetgreenwood.org](mailto:debbie.tharpe@mainstreetgreenwood.org)

In addition to sending your picture, please make sure we have your current contact information to put in the directory. Log into our Church Directory to review your information and update it as needed. Go to **Realm Connect** to log in.

Or if you have not established your account in **Realm** (the church's database) please contact Debbie so she can send you an invitation to create an account. It's a handy dandy tool to see the church's directory at your fingertips!

**Serving This Sunday, June 11**

**Sound System Operator:** Josh Skinner

**Media Boot/Camera:** Tommy Chalmers/Preston Goforth

**Prayer Sentinel:** Allie Williams

**Acolyte Parent Volunteer:** Mary Kate Skinner

**Extended Session:** Kit Adkins

**Sanctuary Stewards:** Marla Stewart & Ruth Breazeale



**Vacation Bible School June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>**

Thank you to everyone who purchased items from the wish list for VBS - your support is appreciated more than you realize. Please pray for the children and volunteers that are going to be here this week!

**Youth News**

**Salkehatchie Summer Service June 17<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>**

Please pray for our Salkehatchie Team leaving this Saturday, where they will be going to make a difference in so many lives.



Here are a few supplies we will need to take with us. Bottled water, work gloves, protective goggles, hammers, paint brushes, tape measures, first aid items and snacks.

Please drop off all donations at the Church Office.

Thank you in advance for your contributions!

**The next Joyful Flock is...June 20<sup>th</sup>**

The Flock is gathering again at Jennifer Larkins' on Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>. Join our summer devotions & fellowship. We meet from 6:00-7:30 pm. You may even bring your own supper to eat if you would like to. Looking forward to a devotion from Susan Rush.



**Main Street's Monthly Food Ministry**

Our next Food Ministry is the second Thursday of July, July 13<sup>th</sup>. We are out of ready to eat soup and crackers. And we are low on pasta (either Mac N Cheese or Instant Noodle Soup).

Please drop off your donations on the Food Ministry table in the Fellowship Hall Foyer. We thank you in advance for your donations!!

**Sunday School Classes**

Sunday School is one of the most important opportunities for a person to be nurtured in their faith. We have children's, Youth, and 6 Adult classes. If you are interested in a class, please contact the church office or visit a class. Find one to nurture you!

**THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET**

**Sunday, June 11 Hope Against Hope** Romans 4:13-25

9:00 am Early Worship Service-Fellowship Hall

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary

2:00 pm VBS Set-up and Decorating

**4:00 pm Church Council Meeting-Drake Classroom**

7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym

**Monday, June 12**

**Vacation Bible School**

5:30 pm Board of Trustees Meeting-SWB

7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911-Scout Room

**Tuesday, June 13**

**Vacation Bible School**

5:15 pm SPRC Meeting-Library

**Wednesday, June 14**

**Vacation Bible School**

**Thursday, June 15**

**Vacation Bible School**

No Thursday Morning Bible Study this week due to VBS.

**Friday, June 16**

**Vacation Bible School**

6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery-Fellowship Hall

**Saturday, June 17**

Youth Leaving for Salkehatchie

9:00 am Team #3 Soup Kitchen

**Sunday, June 18 Father's Day**

**Changes All That** Matthew 6:9-13

9:00 am Early Worship Service-Fellowship Hall

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary

7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym

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

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

*Pastor - Rev. Steve Keck*

*Gina Jolly, Director of Music Ministry*

*Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Asst.*

*Dr. Will Thomas, Organist*

*Jo Patterson, Office Asst.*

*Preston Goforth, Youth & Young Adult Director*

*Linda Miller, Financial Sec.*

*Melissa Scott, Children's Ministry Coordinator*

*Michael Fisher, Custodian*

*Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Creative Learning Director*