

**Main Street United Methodist Church**

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*Easter Sunday*  
*April 9, 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)

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

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am		Purple
<b>Prelude</b>	The Handbell Choir	
<b>Welcome and Announcements</b>		Rev. Keck
<b>Chiming of the Trinity</b>		
<b>Introit</b>	<i>Christ is Risen! Christ is Alive!</i> Chancel Choir	Lloyd Larson
<b>*Call to Worship</b>	Glenn Williams, Lay Reader	
Leader: Christ is risen, <b>People: Christ is risen indeed. Hallelujah!</b>		
<b>*Hymn of Praise</b>	<i>Christ the Lord Is Risen Today</i> Crucifer: Mary Margaret Skinner Acolyte: Rosemary Skinner	#302
<b>*Apostles Creed</b>		#881
<b>*Glory Be to the Father</b>		#70
<b>Children's Message with Rev. Steve and Charlie</b>	<i>Following the Children's Message, 3-year-olds through Kindergartners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.</i>	
<b>Hymn of Preparation</b>	<i>The Day of Resurrection</i>	#303
<b>Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer</b>		
<b>Giving of Tithes &amp; Offering</b>		
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>The Lord's Prayer</i>	A. H. Malotte
<b>*Doxology</b>		#95
<b>Anthem</b>	<i>Lift High the Cross</i> Chancel Choir	arr. Richard Nichols
<b>*Gospel Reading</b>	Corinthians 15:12-14	Glenn Williams
<b>Sermon</b>	<i>Resurrection</i>	Rev. Keck
<b>*Hymn of Dedication</b>	<i>Thine Be the Glory</i>	#308
<b>*Closing Prayer</b>		
<b>*Congregational Response</b>	<i>He Is Lord</i>	#177
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>Toccata in G Major</i>	T. Dubois

\*All who are able, please stand.

### Chancel Flowers

The chancel flowers today are Easter Lilies given to the glory of God and in honor or memory of loved ones. If you ordered and paid for a lily, you may take it home with you as you leave worship services today.



### **2023 Stewardship Report as of 04/02/2023**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>
YTD Income:	\$181,148	\$204,232
YTD Expenses:	\$181,797	\$204,232
YTD Surplus or (Deficit):	(\$ 649)	

### **Attendance 04/02/2023**

9:00 Service	43
Sunday School	96
11:00 Service	192
On-line	17

### Easter Living Cross



Thank you everyone for bringing flowers this morning for our living cross out on the front lawn. All are reminded to stay after worship and take your traditional family Easter picture at the cross.

### Loose Change

The Children take up loose change the last Sunday of the month. Last month you provided \$171.00! That will be used towards several mission/outreach type projects during the month of April. Our next Loose Change opportunity will be on Sunday, April 30th.

### Vacation Bible School

June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>

Melissa Scott needs volunteers! Please contact her.

Registration is on-line on our website at:

[www.mainstreetgreenwood.org/vbs-2023/](http://www.mainstreetgreenwood.org/vbs-2023/)

### Youth Dodgeball Tournament

April 23rd from 6:00 to 8:00 pm in the Asbury Outreach Gym

### Salkehatchie Summer Service

June 17<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> Calling all Youth 14 years and older.

Sign up for the blessing of a lifetime!

## **Serving This Sunday, April 9**

**Sound System Operator:** Toby Chappell

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

**Prayer Sentinel:** Peggy Ackerman

**Acolyte Parent Volunteer:** Mary Kate Skinner

**Extended Session:** Melissa Scott

**Sanctuary Stewards:** Margaret and Larry Gearhart

## **WEDNESDAY ENGAGE DINNER 5:15 pm on April 12**

The Genesis to Revelation Class is serving a baked potato and salad bar to raise funds for the Kairos program!

\$7 per Youth & adult, \$4/child 5<sup>th</sup> grade & younger, \$20 family max. And at 6:00 pm The Engage program for that evening will be Steve and Laura Keck sharing their Holy Land trip. Come if you can. **RSVP** by Mondays @ 1:00 to reserve your dinner on our website: [www.mainstreetgreenwood.org](http://www.mainstreetgreenwood.org) under 'Calendar and Sign-Ups' dropdown menu.

The next three Wednesday Engage programs will be a book study, 'I Am A Church Member'. You will come away with a renewed attitude about our church. Get your book, no charge, and sign up at the April 12th Engage.

## **Food Ministry every Monday afternoon**

In April we are collecting donations of any and all non-perishables for our 1-3 pm Monday afternoon Food Ministry. Please send to the church or drop by with your donations.

We thank you for your support in helping make this a successful ministry!!



## **Fifth Sunday Cover Dish Luncheon**

The Family Ministries team is preparing for a cover dish lunch after the 11:00 am Worship Service on April 30th in the Fellowship Hall. Come and bring your favorite vegetable dish, rice casserole, salad or dessert! We're looking forward to another fun time to fellowship and get to know one another!

## **NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER 2023**

The National Day of Prayer that we know today was founded in 1952, and was co-founded between the United States Congress and President Harry S. Truman.

President Truman signed it into law and every president since has signed a proclamation encouraging Americans to pray on and celebrate this day. It has always been the first Thursday of May since founded in 1952.

Take time to pray on this special day coming up on Thursday, May 4th.



## **THIS WEEK at MAIN STREET**

### **Sunday, April 9 Easter Sunday**

7:00 am Easter Morning Sunrise Service-Courtyard  
9:00 am Early Worship Service-Fellowship Hall  
10:00 am Easter Family Breakfast-Asbury Outreach Gym  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary  
7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym

### **Monday, April 10 Church Closed**

1:00 pm Food Ministry-Fellowship Hall  
5:00 pm Girls Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym  
5:30 pm Board of Trustees Meeting-SWB Conference Room  
6:00 pm Monday Men's Group-Library  
7:00 pm Girls Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym  
7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911-Scout Room

### **Tuesday, April 11**

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool  
9:30 am Staff Meeting-Drake Class  
6:30 pm Greenwood Wesley Fellowship-SWB

### **Wednesday, April 12**

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool  
10:30 pm Celebration Circle-Fellowship Hall  
12:00 pm Men's Bible Study-Library  
4:00 pm Girls Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym  
4:30 pm Adult Handbells-Bell Loft  
5:15 pm Engage Dinner-Fellowship Hall  
6:00 pm Children's Ministries  
6:00 pm Elevate Wednesday Youth-Youth Room  
6:00 pm Holy Land Slideshow-Fellowship Hall  
6:45 pm Elevate Youth After-Party-Youth Room  
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal-Choir Room

### **Thursday, April 13**

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool  
10:00 am Thursday Morning Bible Study-Drake Class  
5:30 pm Girls Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym  
7:00 pm Pick-up Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym

### **Friday, April 14**

7:30 am Mud Pies Preschool  
6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery-Fellowship Hall

### **Saturday, April 15**

9:00 am Soup Kitchen-Team #1

### **Sunday, April 16**

9:00 am Early Worship Service-Fellowship Hall  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary  
5:30 pm Elevate Youth-Youth Room  
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, Music Ministry Director*

*Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Asst.*

*Dr. Will Thomas, Organist*

*Jo Patterson, Office Asst.*

*Preston Goforth, Youth & Young Adult Director*

*Linda Miller, Financial Sec.*

*Melissa Scott, Childrens Coordinator*

*David Weathers, Building Superintendent*

*Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Director*

*Michael Fisher, Custodian*