

We welcome you to worship the Living and Triune God. Christ is alive and with us in the power of the Spirit. Prayer and counsel are available after the service. You are called to be a follower of the Lord Jesus, a member of his people, and a participant in his mission to spread his kingdom and all its benefits. It's our main business as we serve the world from the center of Greenwood, SC.

Sunday, May 18, 2014

Services at 8:30/11:00am

www.msumc1.org and 92.9FM (WZLA) Sundays at noon

Our Mission: "Following Christ from City Center"

THE SUNDAY SERVICE

11:00am **5th Sunday of Easter/ Youth Day** **Color: White**

*Stand as able

A nursery is provided

Large print hymnals, bulletins, and hearing devices are available from the ushers.

“Let no one despise your youth, but set the believers an example
in speech and conduct, in love, in faith, in purity. “

I Timothy 4:12

ENTRANCE

GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE Pray as you enter; assume silence at the chiming

TRINITY CHIME

Lucas Bassett

PRELUDE

Just As I Am, Without One Plea

Josh Harrington: Organist

WELCOME AND SILENCE

Phil Saunders: Youth Minister

Glenn Williams: Prayer Sentinel

***CALL TO WORSHIP, No. 162**

Alleluia, Alleluia

Stanzas 1, 4

***GREETING**

Trinitarian Greeting, Easter Shout!

Herin Warner

As the friends of God, let us bless the Lord.

Blessed be God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever! Amen.

Christ is risen!

The Lord is risen indeed!

Blessing and honor, dominion and power,

be to God for ever and ever!

Christ is risen! Alleluia!

***PROCESSION HYMN, No. 159**

Lift High the Cross

(Crucifer: Hampton Warner, Acolytes: Andrew Driver, Libby Hartung)

***COMMON PRAYER**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray:

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father:

You watch as your children grow up in an unsteady world.

You know the troubles and hardships our youth face each day.

By your Holy Spirit give us direction:

to see that your ways offer more life than those of the world,

to believe following you provides more than our selfish goals.

Help us to take failure, not as a statement of our worth,

but as a chance to start anew with your smile upon us.

Give us strength to stand strong in the midst of temptation.

Forgive us for when we wander away and pursue self-seeking desires.

Guide us in the ways of Jesus Christ

that we may live with courage, determination and trust,

and love and serve you with youthful zeal.

And because your mercy and welcome are always near at hand,

may we never stop pursuing a deeper relationship with you.

In the midst of an ever-changing world, guide and preserve us.

Amen. (All pray in silence.)

***ACT OF PRAISE FOR THE EASTER SEASON**

Ancient of Days

Hallelujah, sing to the Lord songs of praise.

We bless you, Lord, we give to you glory due to your holy name.

We stretch out our hands, we stretch out our hands unto you Lord.

We lift up our voice, we lift up our voice inviting you into this place.

Hear us, O God, as one we bring our praise.

A pleasing sacrifice to you, oh Ancient of Days, Ancient of Days.

**WELCOME VISITORS, REGISTER ATTENDANCE, CHURCH CONCERNS
CHAD WITHERED SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATION**

Pastor Phil
Brandon Smith

PROCLAMATION AND PRAISE

FIRST LESSON

Paul To His Student Timothy

2 Timothy 1:1-14

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

(Schuyler McGinnis: Lay Reader)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Julia Baker

SPECIAL MUSIC

Behold, the Lamb

Josh Harrington: Piano

**SERMON LESSON
SERMON**

*David and Goliath
Watch This!*

1 Samuel 17:4-50
Phil Saunders: Youth Minister

RESPONSES TO THE WORD

SILENCE AND REFLECTION ON THE WORD OF GOD READ AND PREACHED

***HYMN, No. 514**

Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Phil Thrailkill: Pastor

OFFERTORY

Lord, I Want To Be A Christian

Josh Harrington: Organ

***DOXOLOGY, NO. 95**

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

***A LITANY ON YOUTH SUNDAY, LORD'S PRAYER**

Phil Saunders: Youth Minister

Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our 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

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

Phil Saunders: Youth Minister

***HYMN No. 338**

Where He Leads Me

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

Phil Thrailkill: Pastor

***RESPONSE, No. 666**

Shalom to You

TIME TO GREET A VISITOR AND OUR GRADUATES

CHAPEL PRAYER TEAM

Glenn Williams, Kit Adkins

The flowers are given to God's glory and in memory of Joan Holy by her family.

Sunday, May 25

Jesus On Fire

Luke 12:29-49