# *5th Sunday after Pentecost July 2, 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

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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/

or call our Church Office at 864-229-7551. Thank you for worshipping with us today!

	SERVICE OF WORSHIP	
11:00 am	02.KV102 01 110.K01.III	Green
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Prelude	Prelude on Finlandia Will Thomas, Organ	F. Ritter
Welcome and Announcements		Rev. Keck
Chiming of the Trinity		
Introit	Make Me a Servant Chancel Choir	
*Opening Prayer  Mighty God, everything you do reveals your glory and majesty.  Open our eyes to see what you are doing in our lives. Let us marvel at your good gifts and your wise provision. Your acts are amazing Lord. We cannot comprehend the number of blessings you pour out on us from day to day. As we gather today around your name, we pray that you would fill our hearts, our minds and our souls. Transform us Lord and make us more like you. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.		
*Hymn of Praise	To God Be the Glory Crucifer: Peyton Larkins Acolyte: Ryder Larkins	#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.		
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer		
Anthem	How Can I Keep From Singing Chancel Choir	Burkhardt
Scripture Reading	Philippians 4:10-23	Jon Bassett
Sermon	Serenity	Rev. Keck
Giving of Tithes & Offering		
Offertory	Jesus, Lead Thou On	P. Manz
*Doxology		#95
	12 Communion Servers: and David Patterson, Mary Lynn Pol Staples, & Susan and John Thompsor	
*Hymn of Dedicatio	<b>n</b> Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart	#160
*Closing Prayer		
*Congregational Response Here I am Lord #593 (refrain) Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.		
Postlude Fanfare, Medit	ation, and Toccata on My Country, 1 M. C. Bradshaw	īs of Thee

\*All who are able, please stand.



## **Chancel Flowers**

The chancel flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor and memory of the men and women who put themselves in harm's way to protect our freedom.

# 2023 Stewardship Report as of 06/25/2023

<u>Actual</u> <u>Budgeted</u>

YTD Income: \$348,176 \$379,288

YTD Expenses: \$328,348 \$379,288

YTD Surplus or (Deficit): \$19,828

# Attendance 06/25/2023

 9:00 Service
 42

 Sunday School
 100

 11:00 Service
 124

 On-line
 16

### **Happy Independence Day!**

The church will be closed on Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, to observe our nation's holiday, Independence Day. Please keep hydrated, stay safe and have a wonderful Fourth of July!



# Main Street's First Service Looking for Some Help

We are in need of additional voices and someone who can play guitar that would be willing to assist with leading singing and music. If you know someone or God is calling you, please let the church office know.

### **Bible Study Opportunities**

The next **Men's Bible Study Lunch** is Wednesday, July 5, @ 12 noon. Then we'll take July off. Come back in August 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, July 5th.

# **Upcoming in July:**

Member Care Team Meeting: July 3 at 11:00 am Prayer Ministry Team Meeting: July 10 at 10:00 am Board of Trustees Meeting: July 10 at 5:30 pm Finance Committee Meeting: July 11 at 5:00 pm Leadership Team Meeting: July 12 at 6:00 pm Foundation Board Meeting: July 13 at 5:00 pm

Membership & Evangelism Committee Meeting: July 17 at 10:00 am

Blessing of the Backpacks: July 23

Family Ministries Ice Cream Social: July 30

# Announcement from the Membership and Evangelism Team

To have your picture in the church directory send one in to Debbie Tharpe via email @ debbie.tharpe@mainstreetgreenwood.org.

Also let's make sure your contact information is current for the directory. Log into our Church Directory to review your info and update it as needed. Go to Realm Connect & log in. Or if you have not created your account in Realm (the church's on-line directory) please contact Debbie so she can send you an invitation to create an account. It's a handy dandy tool to have it at your fingertips!

# Serving This Sunday, July 2

Sound System Operator: Toby Chappell Media Boot/Camera: Jean Griffin Prayer Sentinel: Ann and Charlie West Acolyte Parent Volunteer: Jennifer Larkins Sanctuary Stewards: Ann and Charlie West

# Children's Pool & Pizza Party July 13th at 5:30-7:30 pm

Meet at the Maxwell Springs Pool.

Parents, you are asked to stay with your children through the duration of the party please.





Upcoming Youth Activities

July 6th at 11:00 am Free Movie Day

Meet at the Theater by Fusion

July 13th at 6:00 pm Movie Outing

Meet in the Youth Room

# July 16-17 Youth Lock-In

7:00 pm on July 16th until 7:00 am on July 17th

# July 25th Carowinds Trip

Purchase your tickets on-line for \$45. Bring your own lunch and dinner cost on the way home will be provided.

# The next Joyful Flock is...July 11th

The Flock is taking a July 4th break. We will gather at Marilyn Murphy's house from 6-7:30 pm on the 11th. Join our summer devotions & fellowship. Drinks & dessert are served. Bring your own supper to eat if you would like to.

# Main Street's Monthly Food Ministry

Our next Food Ministry is the second Thursday of July, July 13th. We are in need of peanut butter and canned vegetables. Please drop off your donations on the Food Ministry table in the Fellowship Hall Foyer. We know it is summer time and everyone is taking some time to enjoy the beautiful weather, but we are in need of food for our food ministry. Please consider stopping by the store or picking up a couple items while you are there to help out. Thank you for your donations and all you do!!

# **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, July 2

Serenity Philippians 4:10-23

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

# Monday, July 3

11:00 am Member Care Team Meeting-Library

5:00 pm Girls Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym

7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911-Scout Room

# Tuesday, July 4 Happy 4th of July

# Church is closed to observe July 4th holiday

# Wednesday, July 5

10:00 am Wednesday Morning Small Group-Howard's on Main

12:00 pm Men's Bible Study-Library

4:00 pm Girls Basketball-Asbury Outreach Gym

# Thursday, July 6

11:00 am Youth Movie Day-meet at the theater

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

# Friday, July 7

6:00 pm Celebrate Recovery-Fellowship Hall

# Sunday, July 9

Come! John 7:37-39

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

Pastor - Rev. Steve Keck

Gina Jolly, Director of Music Ministry

Debbie Tharpe, Administrative Asst.

Dr. Will Thomas, Organist

Lo Patterson, Office Asst.

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Preston Goforth, Youth & Young Adult Director Linda Miller, Financial Sec.

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Allison Wooten, Mud Pies Creative Learning Director