



Greene Street United Methodist Church



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Serving God By Our Service, Our Prayers, Our Presence, Our Gifts, And Our Witness.

OUR SERVICE

Ministers: All the Congregation
 Pastor: Rev. David Anderson
 Secretary: Detra Pennington
 Director of Music: Almond Ponge
 Trustee: Ginny Herring
 Greeter: Henry Heise and Marilyn Biernaski
 PPRC Rep: Donna West
 Reader: Donna West
 Nursery: Melissa McNeill

OUR PRESENCE

**Attendance on 4/23/2017
Worship.....28**

**OUR GIFTS
From 4/23/2017
Budget receipts last week
\$1,650.00**

BY OUR PRAYERS

Craig Norton	Mallory Lucas	Mac McLendon	Kim Gordon	Dylan Wood
Katie Rhodes	Flora Price	Benjamin Schooler	Kimberly Price	Sara Duncan
Marilyn Biernaski	Bradley Hughes	Lyndsey West	Kay Strickland	Percy McNeill
Christi S. Corley	Temmy McLendon	Mark Connell	Merita S. Koenig	Bobby Price
Glenn Higgins	Daniel Briquet	Irina Briquet	Susie Funchess	
Jill Slapnik	Kevin Rawlinson	Wade Wiles	Diane McDougall	

The Nursing Home & Rehab & Hospital

Jerry Kittrell—Robin's Residential Care-1216 Hyatt Avenue, Cola., SC 29203
 John Hayes—NHC 7601 Parklane Road, Room 204, Cola., SC 29223
 Katie Rhodes -LMC

OUR WITNESS

This Week at Greene Street

Sunday, April 30, 2017

9:30 am—Choir Practice
 9:45 am—Sunday School
 11:00 am—Worship Service

Tuesday, May 2, 2017

6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard's on Forest Dr.

Thursday, May 4, 2017

7:00 am— Bible Study @Lizard's in Irmo

OUR WITNESS

Next Week at Greene Street

Sunday, May 7, 2017

9:30 am—Choir Practice
 9:45 am—Sunday School
 11:00 am—Worship Service

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard's on Forest Dr.

Thursday, May 11, 2017

7:00 am— Bible Study @Lizard's in Irmo

OFFICE INFORMATION

1106 Greene Street Pastor's Cell 960-3882
 Columbia, SC 29201 Church 799-6268
 Office Hours—Tuesday-Thursday 7am-12pm
 Closed on Fridays



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The mission of Greene Street United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ in the University community and beyond spreading the joy of Christianity and the love of Jesus by worship, example, study and fellowship for the transformation of the world.

Third Sunday of Easter

April 30, 2017

Liturgical Color: White

Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship

“I Love the Lord”
 After Singing Greet Those around You

WS 3142

Centering Prayer

*Hymn of Praise

“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” v.1,2,5,6

UMH 302

Prayers of the People

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us Pray.

Congregational Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

During our prayer time, the worship leader will allow a few moments so that names may be lifted from the congregation. After the name is lifted, the leader will say, “Lord, in your mercy,” and you are invited to respond by saying, “Hear our prayer”.

Congregational Prayer Chorus

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place;
 Lord, listen to your children praying, send us love, send us power, send us grace.*

Anthem

Chancel Choir

Third Sunday of Easter

April 30, 2017

Time with the Children		Rev. Anderson
Prayer of Illumination	“Sanctuary”	TFWS 2164
First Testament Lesson		Acts 2:14a, 36-4
Psalter Lesson	Psalms 116:1-4, 12-19	UMH 837
Epistle Lesson:		I Peter 1:17-23
*Hymn of Preparation	“More Precious than Silver” twice	TFWS 2065
Gospel Lesson:		Luke 24:13-35
Morning Message	“Encounter of The Risen Kind”	Rev. Anderson
Affirmation of Faith	“Apostles’ Creed”	No. 881
Offering God’s tithes, Ourselves and our Gifts		
*The Doxology		No. 94
	<i>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise him, all creatures here below, Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost</i>	
*Hymn of Dedication	“Victory in Jesus”	UMH 370
Musical Benediction Response:	“Now the Green Blade Riseth” v.1	UMH 311
	<i>Christ beside me, Christ before me, Christ behind me, King of my heart Christ within me, Christ below me, Christ above me, never to part</i>	
*Postlude		
*You are invited to stand if you are able.		
** (The altar is always available for you to come and to spend some time in prayer with God during the closing song.)		

From David’s Desk:

As we move from Easter I have been thinking about moving forward. I found this essay by Dorothy Johnson entitled:

Called Forward.

“When circumstances move me from one situation to another, what is my focus?”
“Am I excited about the new, letting go of the old without one backward glance? Or do I long for what was in the past? Sometimes I don’t have a choice about how I will proceed. But when I do, the key to making the right decision lies in knowing the voice of the One calling me forward. If it is God, the Holy One will lead me faithfully as I step into the divine plans. When I go off on my own, I pray God will call me home from my wanderings.” - Dorothy Johnson.

This is good advice for all of us as we discern God’s desire for our lives and indeed the life of His church here at Greene Street United Methodist Church. With all the development around this church, I see nothing but good things ahead for ministry at this location. We should all pray and look for new and innovative ministries to be a beacon of God’s love at this location.

Remember that God moves in the most mysterious ways. You can find God around any corner, even when you least expect Him.

In the grip of God’s Grace,
Pastor David+

Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you are a first time visitor please see one of our greeters or usher to receive a gift from us. Also, please fill out a visitors form located in the back of the pew.

Welcome

April 27—Sheila McCormick
April 27—Pam Fogle
April 29—JM Briquet
April 29—Jeremy Slapnik
April 30—Caleb Barrett
May 4—Jason Herring

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Upper Rooms for
May– June are out and on the
Narthex table.

Greene Street Church has received a gift to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Mrs. Patty Stack by Mrs. Marie Hollis, Mrs. Fran Jackson, Kathryn Masewicz and Dennis, Detra & Gage Pennington to the Capital Improvement funds and the General Operating Fund account.

