



Greene Street United Methodist Church



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Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 8, 2015

Liturgical Color: Green

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Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship

"I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me"

No. 2151

After Singing Greet Those around You

Centering Prayer

*Hymn of Praise:

"I'm Goin' a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing"

No. 333

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

Prayer of Illumination

"Open Our Ears"

No. 2086

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: Julie Dinkins
Trustee: Stuart West
Greeters: Billy and Julia Long
PPRC Rep: Don Sullivan
Nursery: Pam Fogle
Reader: Ervin West

OUR PRESENCE

Attendance on 2/1/15
Sunday school...21
Worship....48

OUR GIFTS

From 2/1/15
Budget receipts last week
\$1,434.00

BY OUR PRAYERS

Craig Norton	Mallory Lucas	Margaret Latimer	Curtis Drake	Mac McLendon
Kim Gordon	Dylan Wood	Ginny Herring	Katie Rhodes	David Baker
Randy Broach	Kimberly Price	Sara Duncan	Marilyn Biernaski	Phyllis Knowles
Kay Strickland	Diane McDougall	Christi S. Corley	Pam Fogle	Temmy McLendon
Merita Sexton Koenig	Bobby Price, Sr	Bobby Price, Jr.	Glenn Higgins	Mae Blume
Mabel Norton				

The Nursing Home & Rehab

Jerry Kittrell@Robin's Residential Care Sara Jane Hoffmann@Uni Health Post Acute Care- PH # 382-2385

OUR WITNESS

This Week at Greene Street

Sunday, February 8, 2015

9:15 am—Gathering

9:45 am—Sunday School

11:00 am—Worship Service

Wednesday, February 11, 2015

6:00 pm—Bible Study

7:00 pm—Choir Practice

Saturday, February 14, 2015

9:00 am—Work Day & UMM meeting

OUR WITNESS

Next Week at Greene Street

Sunday, February 15, 2015

9:15 am—Gathering

9:45 am—Sunday School

11:00 am—Worship Service

Admin. Council Meeting after morning service

Tuesday, February 17, 2015

4-7:00 pm—Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Wednesday, February 18, 2015

8:00-12:00 pm—Ash's To Go

5:30 pm—Ash Wednesday Service @Whaley

OFFICE INFORMATION

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Closed on Fridays



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Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 8, 2015

Old Testament Lesson:	Isaiah 40:21-31
Psalter Lesson:	Psalm 147:1-11, 20c UM859
Epistle Lesson	I Corinthians 9:16-23
*Hymn of Preparation	“O Lord, You’re Beautiful” No. 2064
Gospel Lesson	Mark 1:29-39
Morning Message	“I Will Raise You Up!” Rev. Anderson
*Affirmation of Faith	“Apostle’s Creed” No. 881
Offering God’s Tithes, Ourselves’ and our Gifts	
*The Doxology	No. 94 <i>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise God, all creatures here below, Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ Whose Power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!</i>
*Hymn of Dedication	“He Touched Me” No. 367
Benediction:	
<i>Musical Benediction Response:</i>	“Shalom to You” No. 666 <i>Shalom to you now, shalom my friends May God’s full mercies, bless you my friends In all your living and through your loving Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.</i>
“*Postlude	
*You are invited to stand if you are able.	
** <i>(The altar is always available for you to come and to spend some time in prayer with God during the closing song.)</i>	

From David’s Desk:
I am sitting writing this column on Wednesday, February 4th. This is what I just heard a radio announcer call a holiday in the South. It is NCAA Football National Letter of Intent signing day. Many sports fans are anxiously awaiting to see what high school athletes are signing to play football for their respective schools.

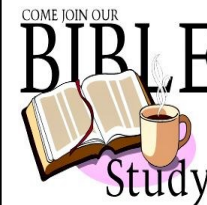
It has been especially interesting this year as many of the previously committed athletes have flipped and changed schools at the last minute. This year a school flipped and withdrew a scholarship offer to the State of South Carolina’s Mr. Football two days prior to signing day.

With all this changing back and forth I find great comfort that we serve a God that will give us what we need to do what he has called us to do. When I answered the call to ministry I had a lot of doubts about how I would care for my families future but God provided a way. Every step of our life, God will provide. God will provide in every way and will never withdraw his offer to bring close to Him. This reminds me of the expression that I have heard all my life, “God is good, all the time. All the time, God is good. In the Grip of God’s Grace,
Pastor David+

Ash’s To Go.
Wednesday, February 18, 2015
Refreshments and coffee.



February 9—Julia Long
February 11—Ricky Jackson



COME JOIN OUR
BIBLE Bible Study every Wednesday at 6:00 pm.
“Revelation and the End Times: Unraveling God’s Message of Hope”
Study by Ben Witherington.

The 2015 Directories are out and on the table in the Narthex.

If you are interested in attending the 2015 Men’s Spiritual Weekend, February 20-22, 2015, at Christ Church in Myrtle Beach SC . Please contact Pastor David.

