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: Jackie McLendon

Greeter: Sheila McCormick and Pam Fogle

PPRC Rep: Jackie McLendon Nursery: Volunteer Needed Reader: Ginny Herring

OUR PRESENCE

Attendance on 7/12/15 Sunday school...16 Worship....34

OUR GIFTS From 7/12/15

Budget receipts last week

\$2,209.86

BY OUR PRAYERS

Craig Norton Mallory Lucas Margaret Latimer Mac McLendon Kim Gordon Dvlan Wood Ginny Herring Katie Rhodes David Baker Mae Blume Allison Williams Kimberly Price Sara Duncan Marilyn Biernaski Melissa McNeill Kay Strickland Diane McDougall Christi S. Corley Mable Norton Temmy McLendon Merita S. Koening Bobby Price, Sr Bobby Price, Jr. Glenn Higgins Gary Phillips

The Nursing Home & Rehab & Hospital

Jerry Kittrell@Robin's Residential Care Sara Jane Hoffmann@Uni Health Post Acute Care—PH # 382-2385 Louise Hallman—National Health Care—Room 331 Frank Hollis -NHC Parklane Room 114-A

OUR WITNESS This Week at Greene Street Sunday, July 19, 2015

9:15 am—Gathering
9:45 am—Sunday School
11:00am—Worship Service
Called Church Conference after worship
Administrative Council meeting after morning
worship service

Wednesday, July 22, 2015

6:00 pm -Bible Study 7:00 pm -Choir Practice

OUR WITNESS Next Week at Greene Street

Sunday, July 26, 2015

9:15 am—Gathering 9:45 am—Sunday School 11:00 am—Worship Service

Wednesday, July 29, 2015

6:00 pm—Bible Study 7:00 pm—Choir Practice

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.

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 19, 2015

Liturgical Color: Red

Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship "Praise the Name of Jesus" No. 2066

After Singing Greet Those around You

Centering Prayer

*Hymn of Praise: "God of Wonders"

No. 3034

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 your 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

Time with the Children

Prayer of Illumination "Open Our Ears" No. 2086

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July 19, 2015

Old Testament Lesson: 2 Samuel 7:1-14a

Psalter Lesson: Psalm 89:20-37 UM807

Epistle Lesson Ephesians 2:11-22

*Hymn of Preparation "Fill My Cup Lord" No. 3093

Gospel Lesson Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Morning Message Rev. David Anderson

*Affirmation of Faith "Apostles' Creed" No. 881

Offering God's tithes, Ourselves and our Gifts

*The Doxology No. 94

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!

*Hymn of Dedication "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" No. 381

Benediction:

Musical Benediction Response: "As A Fire Is Meant for Burning" vs. 3 No. 2237

As a green bud in the springtime is a sign of life renewed, So may we be signs of oneness 'mid earth's peoples many hued. As a rainbow lights the heavens when a storm is past and gone, May our lives reflect the radiance of God's new and glorious dawn.

From David's Desk:

I was trying to come up with a topic for this column today and I thought of the great needs of our church. We have a leaky roof, stained ceilings, an unusable fellowship hall due to water and mildew issues, carpet and flooring that are in desperate need of replacing. How can we get all this done?

Wade Wiles at a recent Administrative Council meeting said that the church has stepped out on faith before and we could do it again. I have thought about those words a lot this week. Faith is one of the greatest gifts God has given us but as the Book of James tells us, "Faith without works is dead."

Stewardship of our resources, especially our time is of utmost importance. What are your priorities? How does the church place in that pecking order. I have heard many here at this church say with almost a pride, "We move at glacial speed". But that is the way to extinction and not to new life.

We have to remember that all we have comes from God and we have to give him his share first. Not just our leftovers. Set your priorities in order.

There is a quote from C.S Lewis that says this much better than I ever could, "Every faculty you have, your power of thinking or of moving your limbs from moment to moment, is given you by God. If you devoted every moment of your whole life exclusively to His service, you could not give Him anything that was not in a sense His own already." This quote from his book, Mere Christianity, tells us how we should order our lives. How do you order yours?

In the Grip of His Grace, Pastor David+

NO BIRTHDAYS FOR THIS WEEK



Bible Study will meet this week. Join us Wednesday, at 6:00 pm. As we continue our study of *The Way* by Adam Hamilton.

I want to thank all of you for your phone calls, cards and especially your prayers as Frank and I are confronting his illness. Words can never express how much each of you is appreciated. We feel truly blessed to have our Greene Street Family and it is comforting to know we have your loving support. I hope to be with you soon. God blessings on each of you.

Love Marie Hollis



Save the Date! Homecoming is October 25, 2015



We are accepting donations to help with the cost of Homecoming. If you would like to donate please earmark your donations "Homecoming".

^{*}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.)