



Greene Street United Methodist Church



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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.

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

July 24, 2016

Liturgical Color: Red

Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship "Seek Ye First" UMH 405
After Singing Greet Those around You

Centering Prayer

*Hymn of Praise "You Are My All In All" WS 3040
(Verse 1 and 2, Sing Refrain Twice)

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
Time with the Children
Prayer of Illumination

"Sanctuary"

Chancel Choir
Rev. Anderson
TFWS 2164

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

OUR SERVICE		OUR PRESENCE	
Ministers:	All the Congregation	Attendance on 7/17/16	
Pastor:	Rev. David Anderson	Sunday school...17	
Secretary:	Detra Pennington	Worship....38	
Director of Music:	Almond Ponge	OUR GIFTS	
Trustee:	Kathryn Macewicz	From 7/17/16	
Greeter:	Melissa McNeill & Ervin West	Budget receipts last week	
PPRC Rep:	Maggie Cole	\$ 1,787.00	
Nursery:	Allison Rice		
Reader:	Maria Anderson		

BY OUR PRAYERS				
Craig Norton	Mallory Lucas	The Latimer Family	Mac McLendon	Kim Gordon
Dylan Wood	Ginny Herring	Katie Rhodes	Mendle Hoffman	Benjamin Schooler
Allison Williams	Kimberly Price	Sara Duncan	Marilyn Biernaski	Bradley Hughes
Kay Strickland	Diane McDougall	Christi S. Corley	Temmy McLendon	Wade Wiles
Merita S. Koenig	Bobby Price, Sr	Bobby Price, Jr.	Glenn Higgins	Daniel Briquet
Irina Briquet	The Nursing Home & Rehab & Hospital			
	Frank Hollis-NHC 7601 Parklane Road, Room 114-A, Cola., SC 29223			
	Jerry Kittrell—Robin's Residential Care-1216 Hyatt Avenue, Columbia, SC 29203			
	John Hayes—NHC 7601 Parklane Road, Room 204, Cola., SC 29223			
	Temmy McLendon - PHB			

OUR WITNESS This Week at Greene Street
Sunday, July 24, 2016 9:15 am—Gathering 9:30 am—Choir Practice 9:45 am—Sunday School 11:00 am—Worship Service
Tuesday, July 26, 2016 6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard's on Forest Dr.
Wednesday, July 27, 2016 7:00 am—Bible Study @Lizard's on Bush River

OUR WITNESS Next Week at Greene Street
Sunday, July 31, 2016 9:15 am—Gathering 9:30 am—Choir Practice 9:45 am—Sunday School 11:00 am—Worship Service
Tuesday, August 2, 2016 6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard's on Forest Dr.
Wednesday, August 3, 2016 7:00 am—Bible Study @Lizard's on Bush River

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

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Old Testament Lesson		Hosea 1:2-10
Psalter Lesson	Psalm 85	UMH 806
Epistle Lesson:		Colossians 2:6-19
*Hymn of Preparation	“Send Your Word” <i>(Verses 1 and 3)</i>	UMH 195
Gospel Lesson:		Luke 11:1-13
Morning Message	“The Way of Prayer”	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 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	“The Church’s One Foundation” <i>(Verses 1, 4, and 5)</i>	UMH 546
Benediction		
Musical Benediction Response:	“As A Fire Is Meant for Burning” vs. 3	TFWS 2237
	<i>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.</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:

The events of the past few weeks have been very troubling. A friend of mind put a lot of thoughts down and I would like to share a few: Injustice and oppression anywhere is intolerable to the Lord and incompatible with the gospel. If you don't believe this, I encourage you to read the Bible this week. During this time of heightened emotions, we need to remember that people are going to say some really dumb things. Things that make us angry. Things that actually do more damage than good. But we cannot allow ourselves to get sucked into that. Instead, Christians should remember that we are called by our Lord to rise above; to be on the front lines of forgiveness; of seeking peace and reconciliation. We should "put on love" since that is how the world will know we belong to Christ. And we should remember that the best way to defeat an enemy is to turn them into a friend. By saying that any effort by Christians to combat racism doesn't begin with human sin. That doesn't acknowledge that sin infects every human heart. And then points to Jesus Christ as the ONLY remedy for such a sin-sick infection actually betrays the faith we claim to have. And exposes us as either hypocrites, heretics, or completely without understanding of what the Christian faith is all about: that Jesus Christ came into the world and gave his own life to save sinners. And with the salvation that he alone brings comes a whole new life, filled with infinite possibilities. Even the possibility (and dare I say promise) of every redeemed sinner turning away from and overcoming the grievous sin of racism. I agree with Mike and call all of us to reflect and pray. 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.



Michelle Higgins July 27
Maggie Cole July 30
Billy Long July 31



Please keep Irina Briquet and family in your prayers.

Cookie Day

Our annual Cookie Day will be in August. We are accepting donations for water or if you would like to purchase some water, just leave it in the office kitchen.



Please keep Temmy McLendon and family in your prayers

In Loving Memory
Margaret Latimer
1918—2016