



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		OUR PRESENCE	
Ministers:	All the Congregation	Attendance on 6/7/15	
Pastor:	Rev. David Anderson	Sunday school...21	
Secretary:	Detra Pennington	Worship....42	
Director of Music:	Julie Dinkins	OUR GIFTS	
Trustee:	Mae Blume	From 6/7/15	
Greeter:	Mae Blume and Marilyn Biernaski	Budget receipts last week	
PPRC Rep:	Jerry Turnipseed	\$2,217.00	
Nursery:	Sheila McCormick		
Reader:	Matt Figger		

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 after Pentecost

June 14, 2015

Liturgical Color: White

BY OUR PRAYERS				
Craig Norton	Mallory Lucas	Margaret Latimer	Curtis Drake	Mac McLendon
Kim Gordon	Dylan Wood	Ginny Herring	Katie Rhodes	David Baker
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	Mae Blume
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—Palmetto Health Richland Hospital		

OUR WITNESS
This Week at Greene Street
Sunday, June 14, 2015
9:15 am—Gathering
9:45 am—Sunday School
11:00 am—Worship Service
Wednesday, June 17, 2015
11:30 am—Sparkplugs at Happy China
6:00 pm—Bible Study
7:00 pm—Choir Practice
Thursday, June 18, 2015
6:30 pm—Vision Committee Meeting

OUR WITNESS
Next Week at Greene Street
Sunday, June 21, 2015
Happy Father's Day!!
9:15 am—Gathering
9:45 am—Sunday School
11:00 am—Worship Service
Wednesday, June 24, 2015
6:00 pm—Bible Study
7:00 pm—Choir Practice

OFFICE INFORMATION
1106 Greene Street
Columbia, SC 29201
Office Hours—Tuesday-Thursday 7am-12pm
Closed on Fridays



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Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship	"I'll Fly Away"	No. 2282
	After Singing Greet Those around You	

Centering Prayer

*Hymn of Praise:	"The Trees of the Field"	No. 2279
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

Time with the Children

Prayer of Illumination	"Open Our Ears"	No. 2086
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Old Testament Lesson:	1 Samuel 15:34 -16:13	
Psalter Lesson:	Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15	No. 811
Epistle Lesson	2 Corinthians 5:6-17	
*Hymn of Preparation	“Hymn of Promise”	No. 707
Gospel Lesson	Mark 4:26-34	
Morning Message	“Beginnings and the Life of Faith”	Pastor David 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	“Sanctuary”	No. 2164
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.	
*Postlude		
	<i>*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.)</i>	

From David’s Desk:

I am writing this column early as I am preparing to go to Annual Conference. We will be addressing some very serious issues for the church this year and electing delegates for Jurisdictional and General Conference. We often use the term “Holy Conferencing” when talking about our meeting together as Annual Conference.

What that means is this: “*Holy or Christian conferencing is a practice John Wesley included, along with prayer, Scripture reading, fasting and the Lord’s Supper, as a way of experiencing God’s grace. The roots are biblical. Leaders assert that every Christian should practice it, within and beyond the walls of the church.*” As far as we know John Wesley never used the term “Holy Conferencing”. But he certainly practiced what we now call by that name.

While at Annual Conference we will include prayer, Scripture reading, fasting, and the Lord’s Supper. These are what we call “Means of Grace”. I pray that the Holy Spirit will fill us and the Love of God will go through us as we deal with issues that tend to bring out the worst in us as we agree and disagree in matters of inclusion, diversity, and theology. We should be in prayer for our Bishop and all the leaders of our church, supporting them in love.

Also, pray for all pastors that are moving and all churches that will be losing pastors and receiving new pastors.

In the Grip of His Grace,
Pastor David+



June 14—Robert Smith
June 16—Sharon Gadsden

Today we will be honoring all of our graduates.



Bible Study will meet
Wednesday, at 6:00 pm.
We begin our study of
The Way by Adam Hamilton.

Vision Committee Meeting on Thursday,
June 18th at 6:30 pm in the church office.
Purpose of meeting: Develop a Budget for
homecoming.

Save the Date!
Homecoming is October 25, 2015

Sparkplugs will meet at Happy China on
Wednesday, June 17th at 11:30 am. For
more info please call Mae Blume
at 787-2871.

Happy China is located at 2250 Sunset
Blvd. in West Columbia.

