



# Greene Street United Methodist Church



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

<b>OUR SERVICE</b>		<b>OUR PRESENCE</b>	
Ministers:	All the Congregation	<b>Attendance on 6/14/15</b>	
Pastor:	Rev. David Anderson	<b>Sunday school...17</b>	
Secretary:	Detra Pennington	<b>Worship....40</b>	
Director of Music:	Julie Dinkins	<b>OUR GIFTS</b>	
Trustee:	Mae Blume	<b>From 6/14/15</b>	
Greeter:	Volunteer Needed	<b>Budget receipts last week</b>	
PPRC Rep:	Jerry Turnipseed	<b>\$1,230.00</b>	
Nursery:	Volunteer Needed		
Reader:	Maria Anderson		

*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.*

**Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

**June 21, 2015**

**Liturgical Color: Red**

<b>BY OUR PRAYERS</b>				
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
<b>The Nursing Home &amp; Rehab &amp; Hospital</b>				
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 Richland Room 608		

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

<b>OUR WITNESS</b> <b>Next Week at Greene Street</b>
<b>Sunday, June 28, 2016</b> 9:15 am—Gathering 9:45 am—Sunday School 11:00 am—Worship Service Admin. Council Meeting after morning service
<b>Wednesday, June 1, 2015</b> 6:00 pm—Bible Study 7:00 pm—Choir Practice

<b>OFFICE INFORMATION</b>
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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Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship "What A Mighty God We Serve" No. 2021

After Singing Greet Those around You

Centering Prayer

\*Hymn of Praise: "Eternal Father, Strong To Save" No. 2191

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

## Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

June 21, 2015

Old Testament Lesson:	I Samuel 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49	
Psalter Lesson:	Psalm 9:11-20	No. 744
Epistle Lesson	2 Corinthians 6:1-13	
*Hymn of Preparation	“Lift Every Voice and Sing”	No. 519
Gospel Lesson	Mark 4:35-41	
Morning Message	“Against the Odds”	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	“It Is Well With My Soul”	No. 377
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 after we had completed the bulletin. I am horrified at the events of the Wednesday evening in Charleston. A young minister who also served as a State Senator and 8 of his parishioners were brutally gunned down by a Midlands area man.

This event reminds of how far we are from bringing to a realization of living out the what Jesus Christ called the greatest commandment of all. “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.”, (Luke 10:27)

I attended a Leadership Seminar Thursday and during a break, I checked Facebook. What I saw was heart breaking. A childhood friend of mine, who professes to be a follower of Christ, put a blatantly racist picture on his status. I was moved to tears when I saw what he had done. Where had he been.

Then I realized that in order to combat this atmosphere of hate, we cannot just ignore the occasional joke or off hand remark. We must hold each other accountable when we see behavior that fosters hate. This alleged killer, Dylann Roof, was not born hating others but the environment bred the hate that eventually grew and ended in tragedy.

Pray with me that all of us work together in peace to learn to be more Christ-like. Walk together to love everyone not just the lovable and not just in times like now but at all times.

In the Grip of His Grace,  
David+



### Birthdays this Week

Amanda McLemore June 27

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the Glory of God honoring Fathers in our congregation. They were given by the Virginia Lever Circle of the Greene Street United Methodist Women



### Bible Study



Bible Study will meet on Wednesday, at 6:00 pm Continuing our Study of *The Way* by Adam Hamilton.