



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.

First Sunday in Lent

March 5, 2017

Liturgical Color: White

Opening Music

Welcome and Announcements (10 Minutes before the hour)

Chimes (on the Hour)

Hymn of Fellowship

“Grace Greater than Our Sin” vs. 1
After Singing Greet Those around You

UMH 365

Centering Prayer

*Hymn of Praise

“O Worship the King” vs. 1,2,4

UMH 73

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

Chancel Choir

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: Almond Ponge
Trustee: Wade Wiles, III
Greeter: Henry Heise
PPRC Rep: Jackie McLendon
Reader: Ginny Herring

OUR PRESENCE

Attendance on 02/26/2017
Worship.....41
Sunday School8
OUR GIFTS
From 02/26/2017
Budget receipts last week
\$1,707.00

BY OUR PRAYERS

Craig Norton	Mallory Lucas	Mac McLendon	Kim Gordon	Dylan Wood
Katie Rhodes	Flora Price	Benjamin Schooler	Kimberly Price	Sara Duncan
Marilyn Biernaski	Bradley Hughes	Lyndsey West	Kay Strickland	Diane McDougall
Christi S. Corley	Temmy McLendon	Mark Connell	Merita S. Koenig	Bobby Price
Glenn Higgins	Daniel Briquet	Irina Briquet	Susie Funchess	Percy McNeill
Jill Slapnik	Kevin Rawlinson	Detra Pennington	Wade Wiles	

The Nursing Home & Rehab & Hospital

Jerry Kittrell—Robin’s Residential Care-1216 Hyatt Avenue, Cola., SC 29203
John Hayes—NHC 7601 Parklane Road, Room 204, Cola., SC 29223

OUR WITNESS This Week at Greene Street

Sunday, March 5, 2017
First Sunday in Advent
9:15 am—Gathering
9:30 am—Choir Practice
9:45 am—Sunday School
11:00 am—Worship Service
Tuesday, March 7, 2017
6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard’s on Forest Dr.
Wednesday, March 8, 2017
6:00 pm - Bible Study
Thursday, March 9, 2017
7:00 am— Bible Study @Lizard’s in Irmo

OUR WITNESS Next Week at Greene Street

Sunday, March 12, 2017
Second Sunday in Advent
9:30 am –Choir Practice
9:45 am—Sunday School
11:00 am—Worship Service
Tuesday, March 14, 2017
6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard’s on Forest Dr.
Wednesday, March 15, 2017
6:00 pm - Bible Study
Thursday, March 16, 2017
7:00 am— Bible Study @Lizard’s in Irmo

OFFICE INFORMATION

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Closed on Fridays



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First Sunday in Lent

March 5, 2017

Time with the Children		Rev. Anderson
Prayer of Illumination	“Sanctuary”	
Old Testament Lesson		Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7
Psalter Lesson	Psalm 32	UMH 766
Epistle Lesson:		Romans 5:12-19
*Hymn of Preparation	“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”	UMH 298
Gospel Lesson:		Matthew 4:1-11
Morning Message	“The Shady Side of Wisdom”	Rev. Anderson
Affirmation of Faith	“Apostles’ Creed”	No. 881
Invitation		No. 7
Confession and Pardon		No. 8
Offering God’s tithes, Ourselves and our Gifts		
*The Doxology		No. 95
	<i>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise him, all creatures here below, Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost</i>	
The Great Thanksgiving		See Insert
Breaking the Bread		No. 11
Giving the Bread and Cup		No. 11
Prayer and Receiving		No. 11
*Hymn of Dedication	“Be Still, My Soul”	UMH 534
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.		
**(The altar is always available for you to come and to spend some time in prayer with God during the closing song.)		

From David’s Desk:

This is the first of a two part column on ways to have a more meaningful Lenten Season

This is the beginning of Lent, a season of preparation for the celebration of Easter.

We need to do some specific things:

Serve – in Lent, we remember that we are part of the entire human family, making it a great time to serve others. See if you can serve a meal during your lunch hour, or take a personal day to volunteer with a local Habitat for Humanity project. Your service, however, doesn’t have to be with an organized group. You might instead choose to use your lunch hour to hand out sandwiches and sports drinks to the homeless in your city. You could also mow a neighbor’s lawn, or shovel the snow from their driveway.

Give - I encourage you to give to your congregation, the United Methodist Committee on Relief, and other organizations that serve others. Your generosity can also be creative. When eating out, leave your server an above-and-beyond tip—maybe a 100% gratuity. Buy the coffee of the person behind you in line. Put money in the instrument case of a street musician. Purchase a paper from the homeless woman on the corner. Find ways to bless others with that which God entrusts to you. Watch next week for more ways to enrich your Lenten experience.

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.

Welcome

Our Bible Study will resume on Ash Wednesday at 6:00 pm.. Please join us. 3/1/17



March 7—Donny Barkhoff
March 7—Marie Hollis
March 7—Lee Thrailkill
March 8—Steve Marlow
March 10—Randy DeLoach

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The new Upper Rooms for March-April are out and ready to be picked up.

Daylight Savings time begins on Sunday, March 12, 2017

Thank you for all your prayers during my illness. All the cards and phone calls were so appreciated. I am very thankful for Greene Street an its members.
In Christ, Detra