



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

Ministers: All the Congregation
 Pastor: Dr. Robert Walker
 Secretary: Detra Pennington
 Director of Music: Almond Ponge
 Trustee: Wade Wiles, III
 Greeter: Volunteer Needed
 PPRC Rep: Jerry Turnipseed
 Reader/Announcer: Marilyn Biernaski
 Nursery: Volunteer Needed

OUR PRESENCE

**Attendance on 8/27/2017
Worship.....25**

**OUR GIFTS
From 8/27/2017
Budget receipts last week
\$ 575.00**

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	Percy McNeill
Christi S. Corley	Temmy McLendon	Mark Connell	Merita S. Koenig	Bobby Price
Glenn Higgins	Daniel Briquet	Irina Briquet	Susie Funchess	Bill Anderson
Jill Slapnik	Kevin Rawlinson	Diane McDougall	Jane Anderson	

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, September 3, 2017**

9:00 am—Worship Service
10:00 am—Choir Practice
10:00 am—Sunday School

Tuesday, September 5, 2017

6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard's on Forest Dr.

Wednesday, September 6, 2017

12:10-12:50 pm—Bible Study @ Main St. UMC

Thursday, September 7, 2017

7:00 am—Bible Study @ Lizard's in Irmo

Saturday, September 9, 2017

9:00 am—Work Day

OUR WITNESS

Next Week at Greene Street

Sunday, September 10, 2017

9:00 am—Worship Service
10:00 am—Choir Practice
10:00 am—Sunday School

Tuesday, September 12, 2017

6:30 am—Bible Study@ Lizard's on Forest Dr.

Wednesday, September 13, 2017

12:10-12:50 pm—Bible Study @ Main St. UMC

Thursday, September 14, 2017

7:00 am—Bible Study @ Lizard's in Irmo

OFFICE INFORMATION

1106 Greene Street
Columbia, SC 29201
Office Hours—Tuesday-Thursday 7am-12pm
Closed on Fridays
Pastor's Cell 719-0868
Church 799-6268
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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.

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 3, 2017

Prelude

Bell Tolls for Worship

Welcome

Dr. Robert H. Walker

Centering Prayer

*Hymns of Fellowship and Praise "Be Still, My Soul" v.1 UMH 534
"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" v. 1,3,4 UMH 64

Psalter Lesson Psalm 105:1-6 UMH 828 Marilyn Biernaski

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.**

Prayers of the People

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us Pray.

People: (lift up names to be prayed for)

Leader: Lord in your Mercy

People: Hear our prayer

Leader: (Offers pastoral prayer)

People: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Hymn of Illumination "Sanctuary" TFWS 2164

Lord, prepare me, to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.

With thanksgiving, I'll be a living, sanctuary, for you.

Old Testament Lesson Exodus 3:1-15 Marilyn Biernaski

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 3, 2017

*Hymn of Preparation	“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”	v. 1,2	UMH 297
*Gospel Lesson	Matthew 16:21-28		Dr. Walker
Choir Anthem			Chancel Choir
Morning Message	“Catching Fire”	Romans 12:9-21	Dr. Walker
Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles’ Creed		No. 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Invitation	UMH p.7
Confession and Pardon	UMH p. 8
The Great Thanksgiving	UMH p. 9
Breaking the Bread	UMH p. 11
Giving the Bread and Cup	UMH p. 11

*Hymn of Dedication	“Living for Jesus”	v. 1,2,3	TFWS 2149
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Offering God Our Tithes, Our Service, 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>	

Opportunities and Announcements

*Musical Benediction:	“Seek Ye First”	(all verses)	UMH 405
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*Benediction	Dr. Walker
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*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.



Our sympathy and prayers are extended to Lee Thraikill and family in the death of her husband, Mr. Guy Thraikill who died on August 22, 2017. We pray for God’s Grace and peace for the family.

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 ✧



Dr. Walker leads a Bible study Every Wednesday from 12:10 to 12:50 pm at the Main St UMC in the fellowship hall. All are invited to bring a lunch and learn the background and theological implications of each of the four lectionary texts that will be the focus of worship on the following Sunday. People from all churches and faiths are welcome.

Happy Birthday!

September 4—April McNeill
September 4—Katie Rhodes
September 7—Michael Slapnik



Our sympathy and prayers are extended to The Wiles’ and McNeill family in the loss of their father, Mr. Wade Wiles who died on Saturday, August 26, 2017. Jesus said, “Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.” John 14:1-2

The September –October Upper Rooms are out and ready to be picked up. They are located in the narthex.



Thanks to everyone who helped with our USC Student Day last Thursday. It was a great success! We gave out over 2100 water bottles along with 1300 apples and bananas to our students.

Imagine No Malaria

Please help collect money for this worthy cause. A jar for your loose change is located in the narthex on the table.

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MALARIA
Our Faith In Action!
The people of The United Methodist Church