

Grace Happenings

FINANCE, TRUSTEES' CAMPAIGN UPDATE, AND NOTES FROM ROBERT MEADORS, Treasurer
9/18/26 Trustees Repairs 2026 Campaign contributions received: \$15,640.00
NOTE 1: Monthly Apportionments' Payments of \$5,994.00 have been suspended.
NOTE 2: Please mark contributions to Trustees Repairs for the 2026 Campaign.
Online Givers: Please email Karen Mays at karenb@gotgraceumc.org and Robert Meadors at Treasurer@gotgraceumc.org to ensure proper distribution. Thank You!

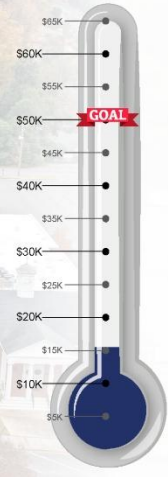
TOGETHER
FOR GRACE

Trustees Repairs 2026 Campaign

Help us reach our \$50,000 goal



Give what you can,
every gift adds up.
Please identify your gift as
"Trustees Repairs 2026 Campaign".



GRACE
STUDENT
MINISTRY

DEADLINE IS:
THIS MONDAY
September 21

COST:
\$240/Student

REGISTER NOW!



CALLED
ONE WORD, MANY WAYS

Student Ministry Fall Retreat
Grades 6 - 12
Friday, October 9 - Sunday, October 11
Ridge Haven Retreat Center

TRUNK OR TREAT
&
Chili
COOK OFF



OCT. 24
GRACE UMC @
JACK-O-LANTERN JUBILEE!



Flowers for September 20



The beautiful flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Art Moseley given by Cathy Moseley and family.



Disclaimer: Please be advised we video/photograph our services.

Living Our Vows

We promise to uphold Grace with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witnesses.

OUR PRAYERS

Piedmont Hosp. Sue Estes
Wellstar MCG Beth Ann Young
Prisma Richland (Columbia) Damon Haley
Discharged MaryAnn Rose, Ricky Waters
Grand River Health (Rehab, Painesville, Ohio) Pam Rawlinson
Brookdale Janet McDonald, Jean Gambill
Hammond Square Verna Garrison, Ginny Stewart
NHC NA..... Billy Watson
Claiborne, Martinez Hope Williams
Prayer Needs Marilyn Adams, Bill Anderson, Sara Anderson, Jim Benton, Nancy & Don Childers, *Vicki Edwards, Rose & Philip Grabowskii, Barbara & Rob Graybill, **Damon Haley, Faye Jowers, Julie Kerr (mother of Kelsey Shull), Shirley Lankford, Andy Maxwell, Judy Murphy, Mark Napper, Bobby Oliver, Galan Potter, Marianna Simmons, Dave Varn, Ed Vincent, Tori Weathersby, daughter of Gayle Foster, Mary Ann Wilson, Pam Windley, **Beth Ann Young

As of 09/18/2026
*New prayer need
**Hospital

OUR PRESENCE

Sept. 13 Worship at Grace: 8:30: 17; 8:45: 70; 11:00: 147

OUR GIFTS

Year to Date Revenues and Expenses through 9/16/2026

	Year to Date		Giving Options
Revenues	\$818,357.34	Includes \$40K Reserves transfers to date to support Infrastructure Repairs	
Expenses	\$845,852.44	Includes \$120,563.27 Mortgage Principal Reduction	
Net	(\$27,495.10)		

FINANCE NOTES from Robert Meadors: See under GRACE HAPPENINGS

OUR SERVICE

Sept. 20 Count Team .. Phyllis Clark, John Clark

Sunday Greeters (11:00 AM)

September 20 Cindy Fuller, Horace Sweat, Billy Usry
September 27 Wanda and Buddy Oldfield
October 4 Scott & Glenda Buchanan and Bob Pettit

OUR WITNESS

How will you be a witness in the world this week?

Welcome to Grace United Methodist Church

We are blessed by your presence today and encourage you to please sign the attendance pad. We invite you to all activities, which you may find on our website and Facebook. We offer new member classes for those interested in learning more about Christian faith, baptism, and becoming a part of our faith community.

- For more information, scan the QR code or visit gotgraceumc.org.
- Need help today? Text VISITOR to 833-235-9706.
- For questions about joining our church, please contact Rev. Terry Fleming at terry@gotgraceumc.org or (803) 279-7525, ext. 203.

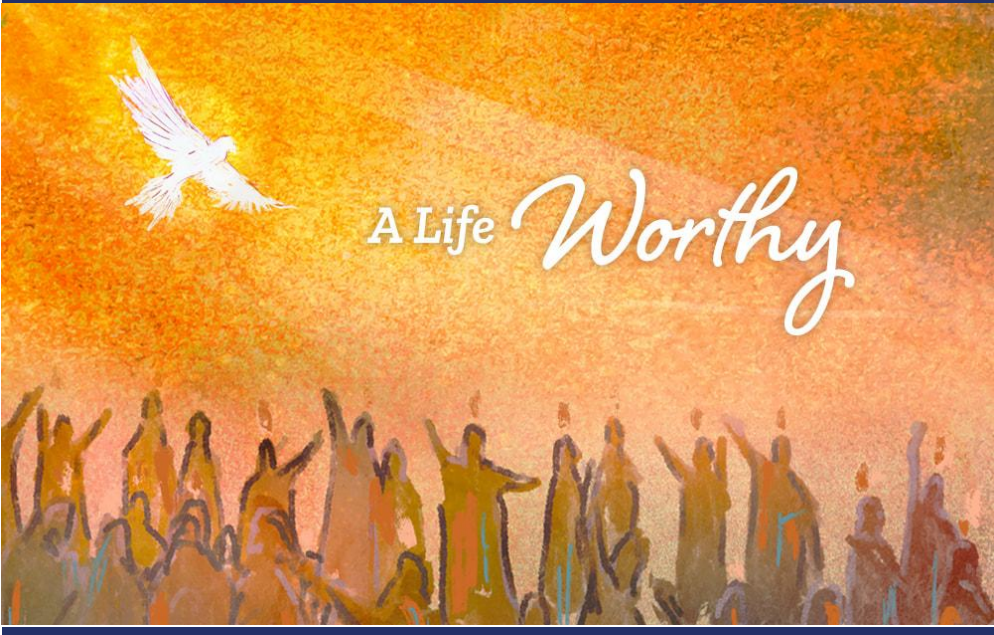


Do you have children?

- A nursery for infants through 3-year-olds is in the Child Development Center,
- A mother's room is available inside the Sanctuary Bride's room/Mother's room off the main Narthex/foyer and inside the Wesley Center, across from the parlor.
- BLAST (1st-5th grades) and BLAST Jr (3K-5K). Classes are in the Asbury Building, Children's Wing, 1st and 2nd Grade SS classrooms. Children are dismissed to BLAST/BLAST Jr. following the Children's Moment during worship.

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September 20, 2026



Celebrating Worship



United Methodist Church

Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.

UNITED METHODIST
MEN

New UMM President: Steve Banks
sabanks8@hotmail.com or (803)341-8070

TUES. *SEPT. 22, 6:30 PM

*Please NOTE Date change

Please join us and learn all about Pastor Terry and a little about his wife, Carla, too!



Let us know you are coming!
Register Online (www.gotgraceumc.org/calendar), scan QR code, call the Church Office, or Email Steve Banks: sabanks8@hotmail.com

Speaker:
Rev. Terry Fleming



GRACE UMC
SENIOR PASTOR

Meal Choice:
Steak or Pork
Cost: \$12

"To Know Christ and Make His Love Known"

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service

ENTRANCE		
Welcome and Announcement	Rev. Terry Fleming	
Passing of the Peace	Rev. Terry Fleming	
Leader:	The peace of the Lord be with you.	
People:	And also with you.	
Prelude	Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus, arr Cindy Berry	
	Carla Fleming, piano	
♦ Chiming of the Trinity	(please stand when chiming begins)	
♦ Call to Worship	Rev. Terry Fleming	
Leader:	In times of busyness and stress when we feel surrounded by challenges on all sides...	
People:	We gather to learn to strive side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel.	
Leader:	In times of joy and rest when we feel the goodness of God’s provision and abundance deep in our bones...	
People:	We gather to learn to strive side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel.	
Leader:	In times of conflict and distress when we feel just how hard it is to live in unity together...	
People:	We gather to learn to strive side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel.	
Leader:	Disciples of Christ, come, let us worship God who empowers us to press on...	
People:	As we learn to strive side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel	
♦ Processional Hymn	The Church’s One Foundation	UMH 545
Children’s Moment	3 rd Grade Bible Presentation	
	Rev. Terry Fleming and Yolanda McCabe	
	(Children may come forward if comfortable, then be dismissed to go to BLAST [3k-4th gr.])	
Scripture Reading	Exodus 16:2-15	Rev. Terry Fleming
	(Pew Bible OT p. 48)	

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

♦ Affirmation of Faith	Apostles’ Creed (UMH 881)	Rev. Terry Fleming
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.		
♦ Gloria Patri		UMH 71
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost:		
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.		
Amen. Amen.		

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer	Rev. Terry Fleming
<i>Our Father who 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.</i>	

The Offering	Rev. Terry Fleming	
Offertory	Let It Be Jesus	Carla Fleming, keys
	Michael Keltz and Beverly Blevins, soloists	
Doxology	UMH 95	
	Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;	
	praise Him, all creatures here below;	
	praise Him above, ye heavenly host;	
	praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.	
Scripture Reading	Philippians 1:21-30	Rev. Amber Forrest
	(Pew Bible NT p. 152)	
Sermon	“Worthy of the Gospel”	Rev. Amber Forrest
Invitation to Christian Discipleship	Rev. Amber Forrest	

SENDING FORTH		
♦ Closing Hymn	Take Up Thy Cross	UMH 415
♦ The Benediction		Rev. Amber Forrest
♦ Congregational Response	Irish Blessing	
	May the road rise to meet you.	
	May the wind be at your back.	
	May the sun shine warm upon your face.	
	May the rains fall soft upon your fields.	
	And until we meet again,	
	May God hold you in the palm of His hand.	
Postlude	Reprise on Tis So Sweet to Trust In Jesus	
	Carla Fleming, piano	

Legend:
♦ Please stand if you are able.
BOW: Book of Worship • TFWS: The Faith We Sing • UMH: United Methodist Hymnal
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Sermon Notes:

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Grace has an **after-hours "On-Call" number for our Grace Pastoral Staff**. Anyone with a pastoral care crisis can call this number and get a pastor. The number is **803-376-9310**.

Week at-a-Glance at Grace	
Date	Time/Event
Sun., Sept. 20	8:30 & 11:00 am—Traditional Worship, Wesley Center 8:45 am—LifeSong Contemporary Worship, Wesley Center 8:45 & 11:00 am—Kids BLAST & BLAST, Jr, Asbury Bldg., Children’s 9:45 am—Sunday School for all ages, Church Campus 2:00pm—Grace Kids “Let’s Bowl,” Northside Bowling 4:30pm—Youth Ministry Council, Gym (this week only) 5:00pm—Kindermusik, Asbury room 206 6:00pm—Student Ministry Gathering, (this week only)
Throughout the week	M–F: 9:00 am—Grace Child Development Center (CDC), CDC Wing M/W/F/Sa: 9:15am; Tu/Th: 6:15 pm—Jazzercise, Curly’s Court Gym
Mon., Sept. 21	10am—Florrie Derrick Circle, *Asbury Mtg. room (*location change) 11:00am—Wisdom of the Ages, Conference room 1:30pm—Knox-Wilhelm Circle, Asbury Mtg. room 6:15pm—Grace Happy Ukes, Conference room
Tues., Sept. 22	9:30 am–12:30pm (Tu/Th)—Pickleball, Curly’s Court gym 1:00 pm—Shuffle & Deal Small Group, Youth Wing Annex room 6:00pm—Bradley Childbirth Method Class, Kindermusik room 6:30pm—UMM Meal & Program, Wesley Center
Wed., Sept. 23	8:30 am—Wednesday Morning Breakfast Crew, Sunrise Grill 10:00 & 11:00 am— Kindermusik, Asbury Office Bldg., room 206
WINGS Meal	10:00am—Women’s Upper Room Encouragers, Asbury Mtg. room
5:15 pm	10:00am—Men’s Upper Fellowship, Conference room
Programs	12:30 pm—Wednesday Prime Time Bridge, Wesley Center Parlor
6:15 pm	6:00 pm—Praise Band Rehearsal, Wesley Center 6:30 pm—Chancel Choir practice, Sanctuary Choir room
Thurs., Sept. 24	9:30 am—Thursday Prime Time Bridge, Youth Wing Annex 10:00am—Kindermusik, Asbury Kindermusik room 206 6:00pm—NAHS Choir Concert, Wesley Center

