

## Grace United Methodist Ministers & Program Staff

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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

SUN., Nov. 16	8:45am - Kids BLAST & BLAST, Jr, Asbury Bldg., Children's Wing 9:45am - Sunday School for all ages, Church Campus 11:00am - Kids BLAST & BLAST, Jr, Asbury Bldg., Children's Wing 5:00pm - Kindermusik, Asbury Bldg, room 206
MON., Nov. 17	8:30am - CDC (Mon—Fri), Child Dev. Center Wing 9:15am - Jazercise (M, W, F, Sa); 6:15pm (Tu, Th) Curly's Court Gym 10:00am - Women of Grace, Florrie Derrick Circle, Youth Wing 11:00am - Wisdom of the Ages, Conference room 1:30pm - Women of Grace, Knox-Wilhelm Circle, Journey SS class 6:30pm - Grace Happy Ukes, Conference room
TUES., Nov. 18	9:30am - 12:30pm Pickleball, (T, Th) Curly's Court gym 9:30am - Staff Mtg., Conference room 9:30am - Ladies Bible Study, Journey SS class 10:00am - Women of Grace, Sunshine Circle, Asbury Bldg., 5th grade classroom 1:00pm - Shuffle & Deal Small Group, Youth Wing 6:30pm - United Methodist Men (UMM) Meal & Program, Wesley Center
WED., Nov. 19	8:30am - Wednesday Morning Breakfast Crew, Sunrise Grill 10:00am - Upper Room Encouragers, Journey SS class 10:00am - Men's Upper Room Fellowship, Conference room 10:00am - Kindermusik, Level 3 (ages 2-4), Asbury Bldg., 206 11:00am - Kindermusik, Level 2, (infants to age 2), Asbury Bldg., 206 12:30pm - Prime Time Bridge, Church Parlor 6:15pm - GriefShare, Wesley Center 6:15pm - Family Group Praise Band, Church Parlor & Wesley Center 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary Choir room 7:00pm - Praise Band Rehearsal, Wesley Center
THURS., Nov. 20	9:30am - Earthside Eden Mom & Me classes, Asbury Bldg., room 206 9:30am - Thursday Bridge, Youth Wing Annex class 5:30pm - Grace at NA 3rd Thursday, Cavalier's Coffeehouse 6:00pm - Caring & Sharing Small Group, Lower level Wesley Center
Sat., Nov. 22	9am - 5pm RTB (Return to Bethlehem) Workday, RTB Field



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 witness.**

**OUR PRAYERS:** as of November 14, 2025

**Piedmont Hosp.:** Mark Reagan

**Discharged:** Bob Young, Don Smith (to NHC), Chris Brooks, Forrest McKie

**Sympathy to:** Lana Brooks in the death of her son, Jeffry Kimbrell

**Hospice:** Billy Watson, Henry Cribb

**Hammond Square:** Ginny Stewart, Judy Cox

**NHC NA:** Don Smith, Jean Gambill, Billy Watson, James (Jim) Brooks, uncle of Chris Brooks

**Claiborne, Martinez:** Hope Williams

**Oaks at Habersham, Savannah:** Connie Sawyer

**Sterling Estates, Marietta:** CJ Bigger

**Washington Commons:** Cynthia Gordon

**Prayer Needs:** Jim Benton, Philip Grabowski, Damon Haley, Shirley Lankford, Bill

Anderson, Bev Whitney, Emily Mumford, Deb & Rob Persons, Bobby Oliver, Beth Ann Young, Diane Banta, Jane Murdock, Faye Jowers, Pam Windley,

Marianna Simmons, Dave Varn, Barbara Graybill

Barbara Wallenzine, sister-in-law of Angie Walton

Sony Creeden, mother of Danny Creeden

Wendy Ealey, daughter-in-law of Lynn Ealey

Angela Ramsey, sister of Fifi Rogers

**OUR PRESENCE:**

**Worship at Grace:** November 9, 2025 (LifeSong 20th Celebration)

8:30: 25 8:45: 155 11:00: 137

Giving

**OUR GIFTS:** Revenues through Nov. 2

**Month to date Revenues:** \$62,033.00

**Year to date Revenues:** \$1,015,363.47

**Month to date Expenses:** \$45,794.05

**Year to date Expenses:** \$1,121,560.71

**Net:** \$16,238.95

**Net:** (\$66,475.24)

**Balance in Prepaid Pledges :** \$14,950

### Grace Stewardship Campaign



As we continue our 2025-2026 Stewardship Campaign, we invite you to reflect on this year's theme: Fill Our Hearts, Open Our Hands. This theme captures the dual purpose of our mission - To Know Christ and Make His Love Known. It challenges us to grow deeper in faith within our church community and to extend Christ's love beyond our walls through mission and service. **So far we have received 136 pledges for a total of \$845,522.00!**

Please scan the QR Code to our Grace Website, then go down to **Supporting Grace** where you can: [Make a pledge](#), [Make a General Budget Gift](#) or [See Grace Ministries by the Numbers](#).



**OUR SERVICE:** November 16, 2025

**Crucifer:** TBD

**Acolytes:** Joey Gentile, Sophia Vaught

**Count Team:** Mae Parcel, Carolyn Dickson

**Sunday Greeters (11:00):**

**Nov. 16:** Barbara & Larry Meeks

**Nov. 23:** Josh Kauffman & Sonja Grant

**Nov. 30:** Galan & Johnny Potter

**OUR WITNESS:** How will you be a witness in the world this week?



**Altar Flowers for November 16, 2025**

The Thanksgiving altar decoration are placed in gratitude to God for His many blessings.

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November 16, 2025

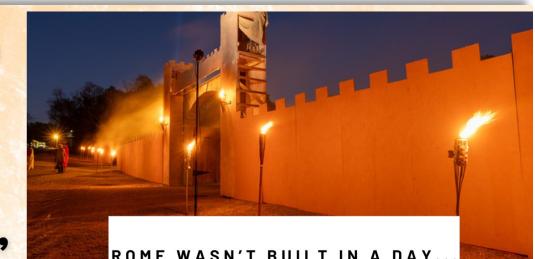
*"An Example to Imitate"*



## Celebrating Worship



### Return to Bethlehem Work Days



**November 22, 29, & December 6 9AM - 5PM**



**Bring Bethlehem to life! Bring tools, ladders, and gloves.**

**Costume Fitting Dates and Times (Wesley Center):**

Nov. 30 & Dec. 7: 2:00 - 4:00PM

Dec. 3: 5:00 - 7:00PM

*"To Know Christ and To Make His Love Known"*

## 8:30 a.m. Traditional, Sanctuary

### THE CHURCH GATHERS

<b>Prelude</b>	Barbara Seaborn
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
♦ <b>Passing of the Peace</b>	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.	
People: And also with you.	
<b>Call to Worship</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Leader: Trust in the Lord and do good.	
People: <b>May the Lord give strength to the people!</b>	
Leader: O taste and see that the Lord is good!	
People: <b>God is our refuge and strength.</b>	
	(BOW #449, The Book of Worship 1965, Alt.)
<b>Opening Prayer (in unison)</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you all that we have and all that we are. that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen	
	(BOW #555, The book of Worship 1965, Alt.)
♦ <b>Hymn of Praise</b>	<i>Come, Thou Almighty King</i>
	UMH 61 (v. 1-2)
<b><u>TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD</u></b>	
<b>Old Testament Lesson</b>	Isaiah 12:1-6 (Pew Bible OT p.497)
Rev. Patrick Taylor	
♦ <b>Hymn of Preparation</b>	<i>Trust and Obey</i>
	UMH 467 (v. 1-2)
<b>Epistle Lesson</b>	2 Thessalonians 3:6-13 (Pew Bible NT p.160)
Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson	
<b>Sermon</b>	"An Example to Imitate"
Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson	
<b>Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
<b><u>TO RESPOND IN FAITH</u></b>	
<b>Offering</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
<b>Offertory</b>	Barbara Seaborn
♦ <b>Doxology</b>	<i>Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow</i>
	UMH 95
♦ <b>Affirmation of Faith</b>	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>
	UMH 881
<b><u>TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE</u></b>	
♦ <b>Hymn of Commitment</b>	<i>Victory in Jesus</i>
	UMH 370
♦ <b>Benediction</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
♦ <b>Please stand as you are able</b>	
<b>Accompanist:</b>	Barbara Seaborn, piano

Reference key:  
BOW-Book of Worship  
TFWS-The Faith We Sing  
UMH-United Methodist Hymnal

## 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

### THE CHURCH GATHERS

<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
<b>Voluntary</b>	<i>Pastorale</i> by Mel Bonis
	Christopher Leysath, organ
♦ <b>Chiming of the Trinity</b> <i>(Please stand when chiming begins)</i>	
♦ <b>Call to Worship</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Leader: Trust in the Lord and do good.	
People: <b>May the Lord give strength to the people!</b>	
Leader: O taste and see that the Lord is good!	
People: <b>God is our refuge and strength.</b>	
	(BOW #449, The Book of Worship 1965, Alt.)
♦ <b>Processional Hymn</b>	<i>Come, Thou Almighty King</i>
	UMH 61
♦ <b>Passing of the Peace</b>	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.	
People: <b>And also with you.</b>	
<b>Opening Prayer (in unison)</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render to you all that we have and all that we are. that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen	
	(BOW #555, The book of Worship 1965, Alt.)
<b>Sacrament of Baptism</b>	UMH #33
Zachary & Preston Aho (parents, Kathryn & Tom Aho)	
<b>Reception of New Members</b>	UMH #38
Kathryn & Tom Aho family, Don & Nancy Childers, and Ginger & Norm Moseley	
<b>Children's Time</b>	Blessing of OCC boxes
<i>(Children may come forward if comfortable, then they will be dismissed to go to BLAST/BLAST Jr.)</i>	
<b>Anthem</b>	<i>Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus</i> , arr. Don Wyrtzen
	Chancel Choir & Robert Meadors, soloist
<b><u>TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD</u></b>	
<b>Old Testament Lesson</b>	Isaiah 12:1-6 (Pew Bible OT p.497)
Rev. Ashley Buchanan	
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<b><u>TO RESPOND IN FAITH</u></b>	
<b>Offering</b>	Rev. Patrick Taylor
<b>Offertory</b>	My Shepherd Will Supply My Need
	Christopher Leysath, organ

UMH 95

## 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

### ♦ Doxology

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!*

### ♦ Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

UMH 881

Rev. Patrick Taylor

### TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE

#### ♦ Hymn of Commitment

*Victory in Jesus*

UMH 370

Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson

#### ♦ Benediction

*May the Road Rise to Meet You*

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind be at your back,  
may the sun shine warmly on your face.  
May the rain fall softly on your fields,  
and until we meet again, until we meet again,  
May God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.

### Postlude

*Sent Forth By God's Blessing*

Christopher Leysath, organ

#### ♦ Please stand as you are able

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**Order Your Poinsettias NOW**

\$13.50 each

**In Memory or in Honor of a loved one**

**DEADLINE:**  
Tuesday, Dec. 8



#### What we need to know:

- How many poinsettias
- In Honor of whom
- In Memory of whom
- Given by whom
- Displayed in which service:  
LifeSong or Traditional

#### Ways to Order Your Poinsettia:

- Fill out online form, use QR code
- Fill out green form today, drop in offering plate with payment
- Order online at Giving/Purchase
- Mail to Grace with payment
- Come to the office & see Karen

### 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. Go to <https://gotgraceumc.org/im-new> or scan the QR code.

Need help today, text Visitor to 833-235-9706.

For questions about joining our church, please contact Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson at [cjamieson@gotgraceumc.org](mailto:cjamieson@gotgraceumc.org), (803) 279-7525, ext. 203.

#### Do you have children?

- \* A nursery for infants through 3-year-olds is in the Child Development Center, Asbury Building.
- \* A mother's room is available inside the Wesley Center, across from the parlor and inside the Sanctuary Bride's room/Mother's room off the main Narthex/foyer.
- \* BLAST and BLAST Jr. classes are in the Asbury Building, Children's Wing, 1st and 2nd Grade SS classrooms.

