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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. 23	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 4:00pm - Cookies With Santa, Wesley Center 5:00pm - Kindermusik, Asbury Bldg, room 206 6:00pm - Sunday Night Student Ministry, Youth Wing
MON., Nov. 24	8:30am - CDC (Mon—Fri), Child Dev. Center Wing 9:15am - Jazercise (M, W, F, Sa); 6:15pm (Tu, Th) Curly's Court Gym 11:00am - Wisdom of the Ages, Conference room 6:30pm - Grace Happy Ukes, Conference room
TUES., Nov. 25	9:30am - 12:30pm Pickleball, (T, Th) Curly's Court gym 9:30am - Ladies Bible Study, Journey SS class 1:00pm - Shuffle & Deal Small Group, Youth Wing
WED., Nov. 26	8:30am - Wednesday Morning Breakfast Crew, Sunrise Grill 12:30pm - Prime Time Bridge, Church Parlor 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary Choir room 7:00pm - Praise Band Rehearsal, Wesley Center
THURS., Nov. 27	HAPPY THANKSGIVING 6:00pm - Caring & Sharing Small Group, Lower level Wesley Center
FRI., Nov. 28	OFFICE CLOSED, THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY
Sat., Nov. 29	9am - 5pm Full Workday Hours RTB (Return to Bethlehem) Workday, RTB Field 9am - 12pm Childcare available during the morning RTB Workday See graphic on front of bulletin to register your child



Altar Flowers for November 23, 2025
The Thanksgiving altar decoration are placed in gratitude to God for His many blessings.



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 18, 2025
Piedmont Hosp.:	Mark Reagan
Discharged:	Debbie Campbell, Ben Estes, Zach Aho
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:	November 16, 2025
Worship at Grace:	8:30: 20 8:45: 88 11:00: 140
OUR GIFTS:	Revenues through Nov. 16
Month to date Revenues:	\$84,107.00
Month to date Expenses:	\$73,144.57
Net:	\$16,238.95
Balance in Prepaid Pledges :	\$14,950



Grace Stewardship Campaign

The pledge update is as follows: 138 pledges for a total of \$854,052.00

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 23, 2025
Crucifer:	TBD
Acolytes:	TBD
Count Team:	Angela Davis, Melonia Caeron

Sunday Greeters (11:00):

Nov. 23:	Josh Kauffman & Sonja Grant
Nov. 30:	Galan & Johnny Potter
Dec. 7:	Horace Sweat, Cindy Fuller

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

Prime Time
Grace UMC Adult Ministry for those 55+

* \$20 PER PERSON + DINNER

MONDAY, DECEMBER 1 LEAVING AT 5:00PM

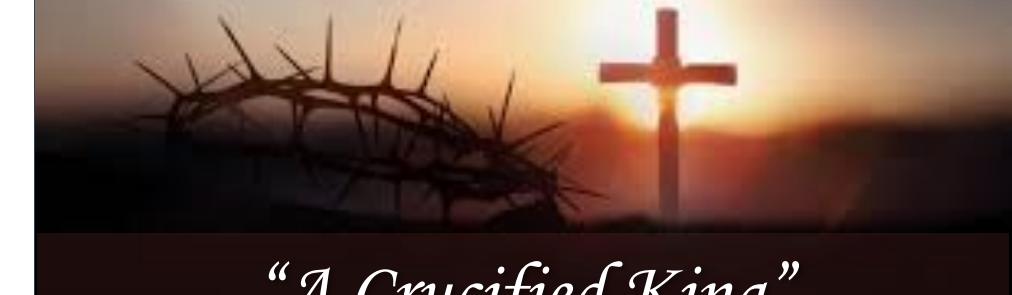
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Wild Lights at Riverbanks Zoo

JOURNEY TO COLUMBIA FOR DINNER AT LIZARD'S THICKET & A WANDER THROUGH THE WILD!

CONTACT AMBER@GOTGRACEUMC.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION

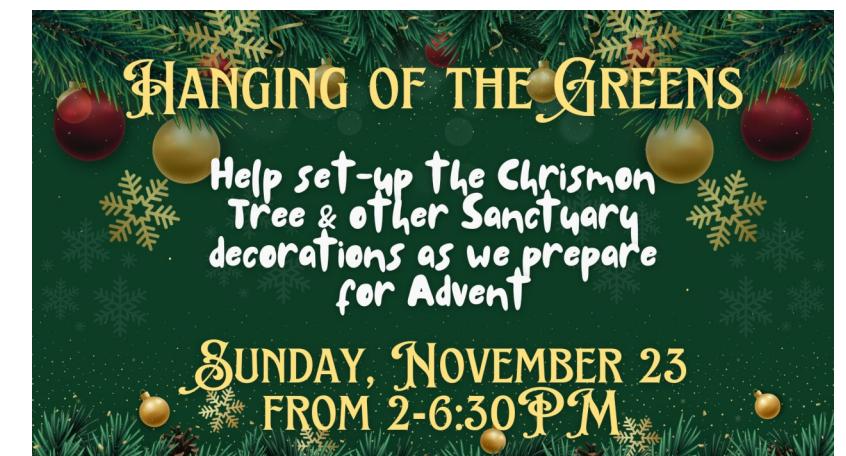
November 23, 2025



Celebrating Worship



Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.



Return to Bethlehem Work Days

JOIN US
Saturdays, Nov. 29 & Dec. 6 9AM

Nov. 29 Childcare provided: 9AM - 12PM Scan QR code to register by date.



"To Know Christ and To Make His Love Known"

8:30 a.m. Traditional, Sanctuary

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Prelude	Christopher Leysath, organ
Welcome & Announcements	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
♦ Passing of the Peace	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.	
People: And also with you.	
Call to Worship	Amber Forrest
Leader: In the midst of the congregation I will praise you.	
People: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous, and give thanks to God's holy name!	
Leader: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name for ever and ever.	
People: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and God's greatness is unsearchable.	
	(BOW #451, The Book of Worship 1965, Alt.)
Opening Prayer (in unison) "An Invitation to Christ"	UMH 466
	Amber Forrest
♦ Hymn of Praise	<i>We Gather Together</i> UMH 131
	TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD
Epistle Lesson	Colossians 1:11-20 (Pew Bible NT p.155)
	Amber Forrest
♦ Hymn of Preparation	<i>Jesus Shall Reign</i> UMH 157 (v. 1-2)
Gospel Lesson	Luke 23:33-43 (Pew Bible NT p.67)
	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Sermon	"A Crucified King"
	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer	Amber Forrest
	TO RESPOND IN FAITH
Offering	Amber Forrest
Offertory	Christopher Leysath, organ
♦ Doxology	<i>Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow</i> UMH 95
♦ Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i> UMH 881
	Amber Forrest
	TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE
♦ Hymn of Commitment	<i>Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross</i> UMH 301 (v. 1-3)
♦ Benediction	Amber Forrest
♦ Please stand as you are able	
Accompanist:	Christopher Leysath, organ

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

Welcome & Announcements	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Voluntary	<i>Come, Ye Thankful People, Come!</i> - M. McDonald Christopher Leysath, organ
♦ Chiming of the Trinity (Please stand when chiming begins)	
♦ Call to Worship	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: In the midst of the congregation I will praise you.	
People: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous, and give thanks to God's holy name!	
Leader: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name for ever and ever.	
People: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and God's greatness is unsearchable.	
	(BOW #451, The Book of Worship 1965, Alt.)
♦ Processional Hymn	<i>Crown Him with Many Crowns</i> UMH 327
♦ Passing of the Peace	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.	
People: And also with you.	
Opening Prayer (in unison) "An Invitation to Christ"	UMH 466
	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Children's Time	RTP Promotion
	(Children may come forward if comfortable, then they will be dismissed to go to BLAST/BLAST Jr.)
Sacrament of Baptism	Zachary and Preston Aho
Reception of New Members	Kathryn and Tom Aho family; Carol and Al McKay
Anthem	<i>Sing to the Lord of Harvest</i> - H. Willan
	Chancel Choir
Epistle Lesson	Colossians 1:11-20 (Pew Bible NT p.155)
	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer	Rev. Patrick Taylor
♦ Hymn of Preparation	<i>We Gather Together</i> UMH 131
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	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
	TO RESPOND IN FAITH
Offering	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Offertory	Christopher Leysath, organ
	The King of Love My Shepherd Is - B. Mathias
	Christopher Leysath, organ

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!*

UMH 95

♦ Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

UMH 881

Rev. Patrick Taylor

TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE

♦ Hymn of Commitment

Rejoice the Lord is King

UMH715

♦ Benediction

Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson

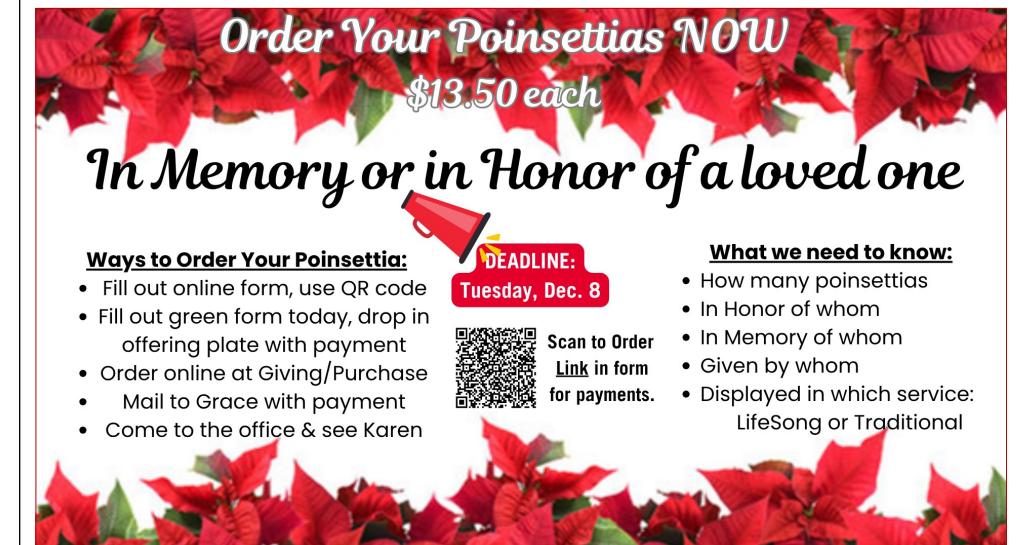
♦ Choral Benediction

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.

♦ Please stand as you are able

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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, (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.