

Grace United Methodist Church Staff & Emails

Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson	Senior Pastor, cjamieson@gotgraceumc.org
Rev. Ashley Buchanan	Associate Pastor of Nurture & Missions abuchanan@gotgraceumc.org
Rev. Patrick Taylor	Associate Pastor of Evangelism & Discipleship ptaylor@gotgraceumc.org
Dr. John M. Newell, III	Support Pastor, jmcnewell@aol.com
Emily Mumford	Business Administrator, emily@gotgraceumc.org
Karen Bach Mays	Administrative Assistant, karenb@gotgraceumc.org
Greer Rowland	Financial Secretary, greer@gotgraceumc.org
Chris Leysath	Music Ministries, chris@gotgraceumc.org
Michael Keltz	Contemporary Worship, michael@gotgraceumc.org
Amber Forrest	Adult Ministries/Communication, amber@gotgraceumc.org
Yolanda McCabe	Children & Family Ministries, yolanda@gotgraceumc.org
Rebekah Bryant	Director of Youth Ministries, rebekah@gotgraceumc.org
Dana Lykins	CDC Director, danalykins@gotgraceumc.org
Linda Dollar	CDC Finance, lindadollar@gotgraceumc.org
Nancy Payne	Kitchen Manager, npayne@gotgraceumc.org
Chuck Faulkner	Gym Administrator, cfaulkner@gotgraceumc.org
Ray May	Audio Technician, ray@gotgraceumc.org
Thomas Wall	Media Technician, mediatech@gotgraceumc.org
Mary Chris Newell	Director of Kindermusik, marychris@gotgraceumc.org
Ashley Cullum	Kindermusik Teacher, acullum1781@comcast.net

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., April 13	Palm Sunday 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 No Middle & High School Evening Worship April 6, 13 & 20. Resumes April 27 (Spring Break and Easter Sunday)
MON., April 14	9:15am - Jazercise (M, W, F, Sa), 6:15pm (Tu, Th) Curly's Court Gym 7:00pm - Happy Ukes, Conference room
TUES., April 15	9:30am - 12:30pm Pickleball, (T, Th) Curly's Court gym 9:30am - Ladies Bible Study, Journey SS class 9:30am - Staff Mtg., Conference room 10:00am - Women of Grace Sunshine Circle, 5th Grade SS class 1:00pm - Shuffle & Deal Small Group, Youth Wing
WED., April 16	8:30am - Wednesday Morning Breakfast Crew, Sunrise Grill 6:15pm - Family Group Praise Team, Church Parlor & Wesley Center 6:30pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary Choir Room 7:00pm - Praise Band Rehearsal, Wesley Center
THURS., April 17	6:00pm - Caring & Sharing Small Group, Lower level Wesley Center At right for dates & times, Sanctuary, GA Ave. Narthex 7:00pm - Holy Communion Service, Sanctuary
FRI., April 18	OFFICE CLOSED - Good Friday 7:00pm - Good Friday Tenebrae Service, Sanctuary

ORDER YOUR EASTER LILIES NOW PLEASE

Use the QR code to fill out the form on line and provide all the necessary information for each requested lily, then pay online at Giving and type Easter Lily in the memo. Or pick up a form around campus.

Deadline to order: Monday, April 14

SANCTUARY ALTAR FLOWER OPENINGS

After Easter we have openings on our Flower Calendar for April 27 and May 4, 11, & 18. Choose a date on the Flower Calendar in the Narthex and let Karen know at 803-279-7525.

REGISTER FOR WINGS MEALS NOW- Resume on April 23

Put filled out blue WINGS pew card in the offering plate or use the QR code on back and register online!



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: April 11, 2025

Recently Discharged: Ted Thompson, Ryan Rowland

Hospice: Henry Cribb
Virginia Hodge, mother of Nancy Payne

Hammond Square: Jean Bergstrom, Ginny Stewart, Judy Cox

NHC NA: Billy Watson

Oaks at Habersham, Savannah: Connie Sawyer

Washington Commons: Cynthia Gordon

Prayer Needs: Beth Ann Young, Pam Windley, Lori Smith, Bev Whitney,
Judy Kay Cox, Bobby Oliver, Marianna Simmons, Diane Banta

OUR PRESENCE: April 6, 2025

On Campus: 8:30: 18 8:45: 102 11:00: 142



Scan Me to Give
or Pledge NOW

OUR GIFTS:

Budget Report: March YTD

Total Revenues \$101,226.31 \$287,983.69

Total Expenses \$107,805.30 \$330,538.67

Treasurer's Comment

The first quarter had some extra expenses for repairs and revenues fell below our needs, so our bottom line is still negative. We do have reserves that will sustain us through this negative cash flow. We anticipate this will look better in the coming months as the pledges are completed.

OUR SERVICE: April 13, 2025

Crucifer: Sofia Lafont

Acolytes: Emily Lafont, Samantha Lafont

Count Team: Carolyn Dickson, Mae Parcel

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



Altar Flowers for April 13
The beautiful flowers are given to the glory of God and
in loving memory of Robert Stafford
Given by his family



ORGAN FUND UPDATE

The wonderful news - I am happy to report we have exceeded the amount needed for the Organ Repair thanks to the generosity of so many! Our congregation always comes through to meet our needs. The amount collected for the organ repair was \$22,895. Any additional donations over the amount needed will remain in the organ fund for ongoing maintenance and tuning. Peggie Ruben, Treasurer



Grace United Methodist Church
639 Georgia Ave. | North Augusta, SC 29841
Website: www.gotgraceumc.org | 803-279-7525 | Email: info@gotgraceumc.org

April 13, 2025



Palm Sunday
"Colt"
by Hannah Garrity

Celebrating Worship



JOURNEY WITH US
April 17 Holy Thursday - 7PM in Sanctuary
April 18 Good Friday - 7PM in Sanctuary
April 20 Easter Sunday
~ 7AM @ The Way (corner of Randall & Sweetwater Roads) *Bring a chair
~ 8:30AM & 11AM in Sanctuary
~ 8:45AM LifeSong in Wesley Center
~ 9:55AM Children's Easter Musical, Wesley Center
~ 10:15AM Butterfly Release, Sanctuary Steps

GRACE UMC | GOTGRACEUMC.ORG

"To Know Christ and To Make His Love Known"

8:30 Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Prelude	Christopher Leysath, organ	
Welcome & Announcements	Rev. Ashley Buchanan	
♦ Passing of the Peace	Rev. Ashley Buchanan	
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.		
People: And also with you.		
Call to Worship	Rev. Patrick Taylor	
Leader: Hosanna to the Son of David!		
People: Hosanna in the highest!		
Leader: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!		
People: Hosanna in the highest!		
Opening Prayer (in unison)	Rev. Patrick Taylor	
Almighty God, you sent your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to suffer death on the cross. Grant that we may share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and ever. Amen		
(UMH #281, The Lutheran Book of Worship, 1978)		
♦ Hymn of Praise	Hosanna, Loud Hosanna	UMH 278
<u>TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD</u>		
Epistle Lesson	Philippians 2:1-11 (Pew Bible NT p.152)	Rev. Patrick Taylor
♦ Hymn of Preparation	Tell Me the Stories of Jesus	UMH 277
Gospel Lesson	Luke 19:28-40 (Pew Bible NT p.63)	Rev. Ashley Buchanan
Sermon	"A King on a Donkey"	Rev. Ashley Buchanan
Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer		Rev. Patrick Taylor
<u>TO RESPOND IN FAITH</u>		
Offering		Rev. Patrick Taylor
♦ Doxology	Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow	UMH 95
♦ Affirmation of Faith	Apostles' Creed	UMH 881
<u>TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE</u>		
♦ Hymn of Commitment	All Glory, Laud, and Honor	UMH 280 (v. 1-2)
♦ Benediction		Rev. Patrick Taylor
♦ Please stand as you are able		

Accompanist:

Christopher Leysath, organ

Music used by permission: Church Copyright License No. 1133262

Reference key:

BOW-Book of Worship
TFWS-The Faith We Sing
W&S-Worship & Song
UMH-United Methodist Hymnal

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

PASSION SUNDAY

ENTRANCE WITH THE PALMS

Welcome and Announcements	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Voluntary	Tuba Tune - C.S. Lang Christopher Leysath, organ
Proclamation of the Entrance into Jerusalem	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: Hear from the Gospel according to Luke 19:28-40, how our Lord Jesus entered Jerusalem.	
♦ Chiming of the Trinity (please stand when chiming begins.)	
The People's Response	Rev. Ashley Buchanan
Leader: Hosanna to the Son of David!	
People: Hosanna in the highest!	
Leader: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!	
People: Hosanna in the highest!	
♦ Processional Hymn	Hosanna, Loud Hosanna UMH 278
Passing of the Peace	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: May the peace of the Lord be with you.	
People: And also with you.	
Opening Prayer (in unison)	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Almighty God, on this day your Son Jesus Christ entered the holy city of Jerusalem and was proclaimed King by those who spread their garments and palm branches along his way. Let those branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our Lord, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life. In his name we pray. Amen. (BOW #340)	
Children's Time	Rebekah Bryant
(Children may come forward, then dismiss to go to BLAST/BLAST Jr. in Children's Wing.)	
<u>PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE</u>	
Musical Meditation	The Holy City - M. Maybrick David Rose, soloist
<u>THE PASSION STORY</u>	
First Lesson	Luke 22:14-23 Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Hymn	Eat this Bread UMH 628 (sung twice)
Second Lesson	Luke 22:31-53 Rev. Patrick Taylor
Hymn	Beneath the Cross of Jesus UMH 297
(v. 1 only)	
Third Lesson	Luke 22:54-62 Rev. Ashley Buchanan
Anthem	Drop, Drop Slow Tears - Orlando Gibbons Chancel Choir
Fourth Lesson	Luke 23:1-25 Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Hymn	O Sacred Head, Now Wounded UMH 286
(v. 1 only)	
Fifth Lesson	Luke 23:32-46 Rev. Patrick Taylor
Hymn	Alas! And Did my Savior Bleed UMH 294
(v. 1, 5 only)	
Sixth Lesson	Luke 23:47-56 Rev. Ashley Buchanan
Anthem	Bound Upon the Accursed Tree - Dale Wood Chancel Choir

RESPONSE TO THE PROCLAMATION

Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Offering	Rev. Patrick Taylor
Offertory	The Lone Wild Bird - Emma Lou Diemer Christopher Leysath, organ
♦ Doxology	Tallis' Canon - verse 5 UMH 682
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'ly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.	
<u>SENDING FORTH</u>	
♦ Hymn of Commitment	What Wondrous Love is This (v. 1, 3 only)
♦ Benediction	Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
♦ Choral Benediction	Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days - verse 5 UMH 269
Abide with us, that so, this life of suff'ring over past, An Easter of unending joy we may attain at last.	
♦ Please stand as you are able	Music used by permission: Church Copyright License No. 1133262



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.

