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WEEK AT A GLANCE AT GRACE

SUN., June 15 ***Worship Services:*** **8:30 & 11:00,** Traditional, Sanctuary **8:45**, Contemporary Wesley Center	8:45am - Kids BLAST & BLAST, Jr, Asbury Bldg., Children's Wing 9:45am - Sunday School for all ages, Church Campus 10:00am - until - VBS Decorating, Wesley Center & SS classes 11:00am - Kids BLAST & BLAST, Jr, Asbury Bldg., Children's Wing
MON., June 16	8:45am - 12PM - VBS Week, full campus 9:15am - Jazzercise (Sa.) VBS week, 6:15pm (Tu, Th) Curly's Court Gym 11:00am - Wisdom of the Ages, Conference room 7:00pm - Grace Happy Ukes, Conference room
TUES., June 17	8:45am - 12PM - VBS Week, full campus 1:00pm - Shuffle & Deal Small Group, Youth Wing
WED., June 18 WINGS meals and programs will resume in August.	8:30am - Wednesday Morning Breakfast Crew, Sunrise Grill 8:45am - 12PM - VBS Week, full campus 12:30pm - Prime Time Bridge, Church Parlor 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., June 19	8:45am - 12PM - VBS Week, full campus 9:30am - Thursday Bridge, Youth Wing Annex class 5:30pm - Grace at 3rd Thursday, Cavalier's Coffeehouse 6:00pm - Caring & Sharing Small Group, Lower level Wesley Center 6:30pm - The Chosen Bible Study, Asbury Chapel
FRI., June 20	8:45am - 12PM - VBS Week, full campus 12:45pm - 1:30pm - VBS Final Program & Celebration, Wesley Center

LEARN ALL ABOUT THE "HAPPENINGS AT GRACE"
Go to the Grace website: www.gotgraceumc.org and refer to your weekly E-News and monthly Newsletter for all the "Happenings at Grace!" Check our Grace FB too!

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: **June 13, 2025**
Aiken Regional: Jane Murdock
Doctor's Hosp: Dave Varn
Recently discharged: Gayle Foster, Marianna Simmons, Barry Whitney
Hospice: Henry Cribb
Hammond Square: Jean Bergstrom, Ginny Stewart, Judy Cox
NHC NA: Bobby Oliver, Billy Watson
Oaks at Habersham, Savannah: Connie Sawyer
Washington Commons: Cynthia Gordon

Prayer Needs: Marilyn Adams, Deb Persons (MUSC), Bev Whitney, Diane Banta
Beth Ann Young (Duke), Ryan Rowland, Pam Windley

OUR PRESENCE: **June 8, 2025**
On Campus: **8:30:** 29 **8:45:** 145 **11:00:** 149

OUR GIFTS: Revenues thru June 8
Month to date: $ 66,619
Year to date: $533,198

May Financial Report

Updated Giving
More info inside bulletin

OUR SERVICE: **June 15, 2025**
Crucifer: TBD
Acolytes: TBD
Count Team: Diana Roy, John Clark

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

Altar Flowers for June 15, 2025
The flowers on the altar are to the Glory of God and in celebration of the 48th Wedding Anniversary of Rev. Terry A Roof and Mrs. Lena Roof (June 12) and in honor of all the fathers on Father's Day, given by their sons and families: Rev. Kristofer S. Roof and Mr. Kristian S. Roof

SANCTUARY ALTAR FLOWER OPENINGS
We have openings on our Flower Calendar for July 27, Aug. 10, 24 & 31, Oct. 26, and Nov. 9, Jan. 4 & 11, '26. Choose a date on the Flower Calendar in the Narthex and let Karen know at 803-279-7525. We use Bush Florist, ask for choices available for flowers for Grace UMC. *Let us know if you are taking your flowers afterwards*!

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.

June 15, 2025

Celebrating Worship

Grace
United Methodist Church
Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.

"To Know Christ and To Make His Love Known"

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

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Prelude — Barbara Seaborn, piano

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: Glory to the Father, who has woven garments of glory for the resurrection.
People: Worship to the Son, who was clothed in them at his rising.
Leader: Thanksgiving to the Spirit, who keeps them for all the saints.
(BOW# 391, Syrian Orthodox Church)

Opening Prayer — Father's Day Prayer — Rev. Patrick Taylor

♦ **Hymn of Praise** — *Holy, Holy, Holy* — UMH 64 (v. 1-3)

TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Old Testament Lesson — Psalm 8:1-9 (Pew Bible OT p.382) — Rev. Patrick Taylor

♦ **Hymn of Preparation** — *Faith of our Fathers* — UMH 710

Epistle Lesson — Romans 5:1-5 (Pew Bible NT p.118) — Rev. Ashley Buchanan

Sermon — "Roots Before the Fruit" — Rev. Ashley Buchanan

Pastoral Prayer, Lord's Prayer — Rev. Patrick Taylor

TO RESPOND IN FAITH

Offering — Rev. Patrick Taylor

♦ **Doxology** — *Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow* — UMH 95

♦ **Affirmation of Faith** — Nicene Creed — UMH 880
Rev. Patrick Taylor

TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE

♦ **Hymn of Commitment** — *Only Trust Him* — UMH 337 (v. 1-3)

♦ **Benediction** — Rev. Patrick Taylor

♦ *Please stand as you are able*

Accompanist:
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

Welcome & Announcements — Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson

Voluntary — *This is My Father's World* — Christopher Leysath, organ

♦ **Chiming of the Trinity** *(Please stand when chiming begins)*

♦ **Call to Worship** — Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
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People: Worship to the Son, who was clothed in them at his rising.
Leader: Thanksgiving to the Spirit, who keeps them for all the saints.
(BOW# 391, Syrian Orthodox Church)

♦ **Processional Hymn** — *Holy, Holy, Holy* — UMH 64

♦ **Passing of the Peace** — Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

Opening Prayer — *Prayer for Father's Day* — Rev. Dr. Cathy Jamieson
Leader: For our fathers, who have given us life and love,
that we may show them respect and love,
People: we pray to the Lord…
Leader: For fathers who have lost a child through death,
that their faith may give them hope,
and their family and friends support and console them,
People: we pray to the Lord…
Leader: For men, though without children of their own,
who like fathers have nurtured and cared for us,
People: we pray to the Lord...
Leader: For fathers who have been unable to be a source of strength,
who have not responded to their children
and have not sustained their families,
People: we pray to the Lord…
God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things.
Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters,
may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect.
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.
(BOW #441-442, Book of Blessings, USA, 20th Cent, Alt.)

Children's Time — Rebekah Bryant
(Children may come forward if comfortable, then they will be dismissed to go to BLAST/BLAST Jr.)

Anthem — *What Shall I Render to My God?* - A. Lovelace — Chancel Choir

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11:00 a.m.

TO RESPOND IN FAITH

Offering — Rev. Patrick Taylor

Offertory — *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* - B. Mathias
Christopher Leysath, piano

♦ **Doxology** — UMH 95
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** — Nicene Creed — UMH 880
Rev. Patrick Taylor

TO GO FORTH IN SERVICE

♦ **Hymn of Commitment** — *Only Trust Him* — UMH 337

♦ **Benediction** — Rev. Ashley Buchanan

♦ **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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