



GRACE UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH

May 28, 2023

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LouAnn Linton

Youth/Outreach Director:

Matt Gleason

Children's Director:

Niki Hoyt



Sunday School: 10 am

Nursery/preschool to

Kindergarten: Rm 121

Grades 1-3: Rm 221

Grades 4-6: Rm 224

Children's Church 11am

Grades K-6: Rm 221

Nursery: 9 am—noon

0-4 years old: Rm 121

Welcome to Grace! Everyone attending today, please fill out the **Connect Card** that is on the side of your bulletin, tear it off and *place it in the offering basket at the communion tables*. You can also go to gumcmi.com/connect and complete one online. (This is how we take attendance.) For more information on Grace, visit our website: www.gumcmi.com. Thank you for joining us today.

2023 May Mission Emphasis

OASIS at LCI Prison Ministry and Bishops Annual Offering

The **Oasis** offers Spirit-filled worship and study opportunities to the precious women of Lowell Correctional Institute – a place that can feel to some like a desert wasteland. The goal is to create an oasis – a place of refreshing – where the chains of shame, trauma, and hopelessness can be broken by the transforming presence of Jesus.

Florida Conference Bishop's Offering will support two efforts: the Ordinand Pilgrimage to the Holy Land fund, and Imagine No Malaria, which uses innovative technology solutions to help end malaria in Angola. Through drone technology, artificial intelligence, and satellites, breeding areas of the mosquitoes that carry malaria can be identified and destroyed. More information on these campaigns is available on the Florida Conference website (<https://flumc.org>)

Please mark your donations "May Missions."

June Mission Emphasis: Preschool Scholarships

Merritt Island Little League's closing ceremonies were held last weekend, celebrating another fantastic spring season. The team our church sponsored, the Dodgers, placed 2nd out of 14 teams in the district World Series. Way to go Dodgers! And congratulations to all of the players and their families who participated in MILL's spring season!

The **Country Store** has been rescheduled for June 3, 9 —11 am.
Setup will be on June 2 at 6 pm.

No Coffee Days. The *Gathering Grounds* will be closed through Aug 6.
Thank you to Miss Patti for all her work with the *Gathering Grounds*.

There will be no Vesper Service this week. Thank you!

Worship Services: 9:00 am and 11:00 am

Sunday School: 10:00 am

No Coffee E&A Lobby: 8:30—11:15

Worship Service
May 28, 2023
9:00 am



Notes

Video Announcement

Prelude

Welcome/Greeting Pastor Steve

*Opening Hymn #603 "Come Holy Ghost, Our
Hearts inspire"

*Song "Holy Spirit"

Apostles' Creed, #881 Bill York

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Beth
The Lord's Prayer, #895

Special Music: Hymn to the Fallen

Scripture: Acts 1:1-8; 2:1-4. Pastor Gary

Message: "All In Part 3; Whose Agenda" Pastor Gary

Communion

** Gluten free wafers available

*Closing Song "Holy Spirit Fire"

Benediction

Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

Place your offering & Connect Card in the offering
baskets up front with communion.

Attendance:	<u>9:00 am</u>	126	<u>11:00 am</u>
63	Youth <u>10:00 am</u>	4	<u>Salty Service</u>
20	Children <u>10:00 am</u>	3	<u>11:00 am</u>
10	Nursery: 5		

Registration is open for:

**Summer Camp at Warren Willis Camp
(June 19—24, date change).** Ms. Niki is taking
a group of rising 4th-12th graders. Register
today at www.umccc.org/.

VBS (June 12—16): Volunteers and partici-
pants can register at vbspro.events/p/23vbs.
Participant spots are limited and filling up fast
so sign up today!



Youth Brevard (Summer) Mission Week
with the Suntree UMC Youth
July 10-14
See Matt for details



Flowers are to the Glory and Honor of God in honor in loving memory of Lavada Tinsley Carter from her daughter, Ann Carter.

To sign up for flowers, let the church office know or add to the Connect Card. The cost is \$28. You may take your flowers home after the service or pick them up Monday in the office.

The next open Sundays are July 9, 23 & 30.

VBS donation Board.

Checkout the supply request board in the narthex.

Amazon Wish List

<https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/2GNFZXIP8WY0>

Moonpie.com

3 cases of mini vanilla moon pies
96 per case

Volunteer snacks and drinks!

Soda and water and any yummy food to make us smile!!
We plan to have snacks available all week so anything you can bring will be awesome!

Miscellaneous

2 liter bottles
Paper Towel tubes
Small water bottles with flip top lids-empty

MONEY FOR VBS SHIRTS

Children Events ~ VBS

June 6 ~ Taco about VBS

Check out the table in the narthex for volunteer opportunities

Family Promise Co-Coordinator Needed

It is time for our Grace Family Promise Co-Coordinator, Cheryl Malloy, to step away from coordination responsibilities in the next 4 months. If you are interested in helping with this fulfilling ministry, please contact Debbie. We would love you to shadow Cheryl on our next hosting in July. Debbie Zipperly, Debbie.gumc@gmail.com, 321-446-5798.

Upcoming Events

June 3: Country Store
Jun 28, 9:30 am: MILA Backpack Filling Event, FH

Connect Card

May 28, 2023

***Everyone*, please fill this out and PRINT clearly.**

Place in offering basket at the communion tables.

Guests: we would like to get to know you better. May we have your contact information?

Members/regular attendees: may we have your **first & last name** and any **changes** in your information on this form?

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

_____ 9:00 _____ 11:00

I am a:

_____ Member

_____ Regular attendee

_____ First time guest

To our guests, may we ask, how you learned about Grace?

_____ Family

_____ Internet

_____ Friend

_____ Other _____

_____ I was a **Salty Servant** this past week (serving through church ministries to the community)

_____ I would like a **NAME TAG.**
(Pick up requested name tags in the narthex on the west side.)

Thank you.

MY DECISION(S) TODAY:

- _____ I would like to know more about the Church.
- _____ I want to join the Church.
- _____ I would like to know more about what it means to be a Christian.
- _____ I would like a pastor to call me.
- _____ I would like to talk to a Stephen Minister.
- _____ Other: _____

Comments: (Or notes to office)

I would like to hear more messages or music on the topic of:

Prayer Requests:

Shared with Confidential Prayer Group:

Praise, Spiritual Needs, Health, Personal, Family, and Financial

Prayer Group:

I would like to be in the Prayer group.
Email: _____

Gracevine: I would like to receive the weekly email information.

Email: _____

CALENDAR

Church office & library: Mon - Thurs 9-3, Preschool Mon-Fri 9-12

Sunday, May 28

Nursery: 9 am - noon, Birth – 4 yo, #121
 9:00 & 11:00 am Worship Service
 10:00 am Special Gathering #112, 200, 207, 209, Chapel & Workroom
 10:00 am Sunday School: Nursery/preschool to K, #121;
 Grades 1-3: # 221; Grades 4-6: #224; Youth: #219;
 Young Adults: #206;
 New Horizons: #213; Aldersgate: #212
 11:00 am Special Gathering: FH
 11:00 am Children’s Church: K-6: #224

Monday, May 29 Memorial Day-Office Closed

No Vespers with Pastor Beth

Tuesday, May 30

10:00 am Women of Faith Bible Study, #212
 12:00 pm Quilting/Crafts, #207
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts FH (last regular mtg until Aug)

Wednesday, May 31

Early am Food Pantry set up, FH
 10:00 am Bible Fellowship # 207
 6:00 Cub (Lions), park or #305; 6:30 Cub (AOLS), #304
 NO Choir Practice—Off for the summer

Thursday, June 1

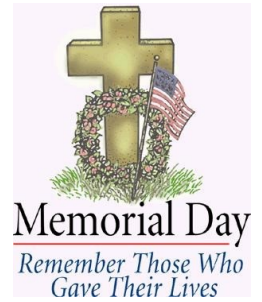
9:00 am – 12:00 pm Food Pantry, FH
 10:00 am – 12:00 pm Clothing Closet
 6:15 pm Cub Scouts, FH ??
 6:30 pm Praise Team, Sanctuary
 NO Jubilate Ringers, Off for the Summer
 7:30 pm OA Meeting, #112

Friday, June 2

6:00 am Men’s Prayer/Bible Study–Merritt Assembly of God on Grove St. MI For more information call 321-452-6019.

Saturday, June 3

No activities scheduled



May/June Upper Room Devotionals are available in the Narthex and E&A lobby. (Suggested donation: \$1.50)

The connect card is online at: gumcmi.com/connect
 The bulletin is available at: gumcmi.com under “Worship Online”
 Items for the bulletin are due by Tuesdays at 11 am