Building bridges between Christ and our community

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Welcome to Grace! Please fill out a Connect Card—either a digital version or a hard copy & *place it in the offering basket or leave in the narthex.* (This is our attendance.) For more information on Grace, visit our website: www.gumcmi.com. Thank you for joining us today.

2025 April Mission Emphasis: MILA

MILA Elementary was the first multi-classroom school on Merritt Island, providing education to our children since 1953. It was also the first school in Brevard County to provide education and services to students with special needs. About 500 children attend MILA, and a significant percentage of the students are from families with limited resources and others who have a limited proficiency with English. The number of students considered to be "learning disabled" is greater than that of other schools. Grace has been an active partner with MILA for many years, supporting students and educators alike, with donations of supplies, food, books, clothing and more.

If you would like to be more involved in our support to MILA Elementary, please contact Jennie Williams at <u>buglady4102@yahoo.com</u>

Please mark your donations "MILA" or April Mission Emphasis.



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& Chapel <u>Nursery</u>: 9 am—noon, 0-4 years old: Rm 121

Worship Services: 9:00 am and 11:00 am Sunday School: 10:00 am Gathering Grounds: E&A Lobby, 8:30—11:15 am

Worship Service April 13, 2025 9:00 am

Prelude Welcome Pastor Michelle *Opening Hymn, #260 "Rejoice Ye Pure In Heart" "Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)" Song, Apostles' Creed, #881 **Gail Williams Pastoral Prayer Pastor Michelle** "With All My Heart" **Special Music:** ~ Passing of Offering Baskets ~ Doxology **Gail Williams** Scripture: Luke 19:28-40 Message: "Make Some Noise" **Pastor Michelle** Communion **Pastor Michelle** ~ Gluten free wafers available ~ The Lords Prayer *Closing Song, "Christ Be Magnified" Benediction **Pastor Michelle** Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

<u>Notes</u>



Flowers are to the glory and honor of God in honor of Joe and Kathy Hauser's 53nd Wedding Anniversary.

To sign up for flowers, let the church office know or add to your Connect Card. The cost is \$28. You can take your flowers home on Sunday or Monday

The next open Sunday is May 4 & 11. See the 2025 list in the Narthex & the E&A Building.

Easter Egg Hunt: April 19, 10:00 am.

MILA CONCERT: We need volunteers to help with set up & take down for the Mila Spring Concert & Dinner at Grace on April 30th. Dinner will be @ 5:30 & usually finishes around 7:30. All volunteers need to be available at 4:30 for set up. Please let Jennie Williams know if you are available to help. Thank you for your continued support to our Mission.

Family Promise is coming April 13-20:

Since it is such a busy week and some of our regulars have commitments, we could really use your help! We need help for set up, take down, Evening Hosts, Overnight Hosts, One Saturday Host, clean up and laundry.

Please contact Debbie Zipperly (321-446-5798, <u>deborahzipperly@gmail.com</u>) for more info Thank you so much! Debbie, Annette and Christy, Coordinators.

Red Bird Mission Trip! Are you interested in our fall mission trip to Kentucky? Please come to a short meeting on Sunday, April 13, at 10:30 am in Rm 112. Come and hear about the Red Bird work camp, the various activities, and how you can be a part of it.

Key Card & Key Audit: If you have keys and a key card please see Charlie Hoyt.

Teacher Appreciation and Mother's Day are right around the corner! Need gift cards? We are now stocking gift cards at all times, available in the front office. Our Miss Patti will also sell them during coffee time between services on Sundays (cash or checks only on Sundays.) We still order on the second Tuesday of each month. Our next order is Tuesday, May13th.

Ways to Give

- Online through Realm
- Text "Mercy" to 73256
- Offering basket or mail
- Bill pay

Upcoming Events

April 13: 4:30 pm Easter Cantata April 17: 6 pm Maundy Thursday Service April 18: 6 pm Good Friday Service April 19: 10 am Easter Egg Hunt May 3: 9 am Country store

CALENDAR

Church Office & Library: Mon - Thurs 9-3 Preschool: Mon- Fri, 9 -noon Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday Family Promise #200,#210,#206,#208, #209 9:00 & 11:00 am Worship Service; Nursery 9 am - noon, Birth - 4 yo, #121 10:00 am Sunday School: Nursery/preschool to K, #121; Grades 1-3: # 221; Grades 4-6: #224; 10:00 am Confirmation Class #224 Youth: #219; Young Adults: #213; New Horizons: #214; Aldersgate: #212 10:00 Red Bird Mtg. #112 11:00 am Children's Church: K-6: #221 4:30 pm Easter Cantata, Sanctuary Monday, April 14 Family Promise 12:00 pm Grief, #112 2:00 pm Salt, #112 Tuesday, April 15 Family Promise 10:00 am Women of Faith Bible Study, #212 12:00 pm Quilting/Crafts, #207 6:00 pm J.O.Y. #214 4:00 pm Girl Scouts #304 6:00 pm B.C. #112 6:30 pm Boy Scouts FH 6:30 pm Easter Egg Hunt Mtg. # 221 Wednesday, April 16 Family Promise 9:30 – 10:30 Preschool Chapel Time 12:15 Staff Meeting, #214 6:00 pm Youth, #219 & FH 7:00 pm Choir Practice, Music Room Thursday, April 17 Family Promise 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Food Pantry, FH 10:00 am – 12:00 pm Clothing Close 6:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service, Sanct. 6:15 pm- Cub Scouts, FH 6:30 pm Praise Team, Sanctuary 7:30 pm OA Meeting, 112 7:30 pm Jubilate Ringers, Bell Room Friday, April 18 Family Promise 6:00 am Men's Prayer/Bible Study-Merritt Assembly of God. For info call 321-452-6019 6:00 pm Good Friday Service, Sanctuary TEPPER RO Attendance: 9:00 am: 106 11:00 am: 57 Online: 9:00 am: 11:00 am: 18 45

Nursery: 0

11:00 am: 17

Mar/Apr available in the Narthex and E&A lobby. (Suggested donation: \$1.50)



Children

Connect Card QR Code

Youth: 7

10 am: 19

The bulletin is available at: gumcmi.com under "Worship Online" Items for the bulletin are due by Tuesdays at 11 am secretary.gumc@gmail.com