

Building bridges between Christ and our community

May 25, 2025
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Executive Pastor:
Rev. Beth Burton

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 May Mission Emphasis: Life Recaptured

Life Recaptured offers women who are trapped in sexual exploitation a way to refuge and freedom. Through awareness, prevention, and restoration, Life Recaptured offers a complete approach to bringing solutions to end human trafficking and heal survivors through physical and mental health care, spiritual guidance, and mentorship. Life Recaptured provides a safe and compassionate haven where women can find healing, education, and empowerment to take back their lives.

Learn more at: <https://www.liferecaptured.org/>

Please mark your donations “Life Recaptured” or May 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

Nursery: 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
May 25, 2025
9:00 am

Notes

Prelude	Let There Be Peace On Earth
Welcome	Pastor Michelle
*Opening Hymn, 396	“O Jesus, I Have Promised”
Song	“Is He Worthy”
Apostles’ Creed, #881	Gretchen McGaffic
Pastoral Prayer	Pastor Michelle
Special Music	“Daniel, Daniel, Servant of the Lord”
	~ Passing of Offering Baskets ~
Doxology	
Scripture:	Acts 16:9-15 Gretchen McGaffic
Message:	“When God Opens The Door”
	Pastor Beth
Communion	Pastor Michelle
	~ Gluten free wafers available ~
The Lords Prayer	Pastor Michelle
*Closing Hymn	“Make Room”
Benediction	Pastor Beth
Postlude	

***Please stand as you are able.**



Flowers are to the glory and honor of God in memory of Lavada Tinsley Carter, by her daughter, Ann, and grandson Aubrey James.

To sign up for flowers, let the church office know or add to your Connect Card.

The next open Sunday is July 13. See the 2025 list in the Narthex & the E&A Building.

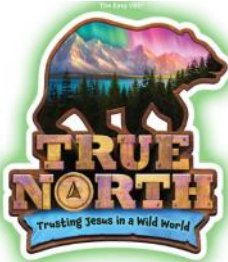
Help the church earn money with each latté, tank of gas, or grocery run. Raise Right is the easiest fundraising program. You purchase a gift card for no additional fees and the church gets a percentage. Raise Right even has gift cards for the major cruise ship lines and

June 8 Pentecost Sunday: We will all worship together in one service at 10:00 am with a picnic to follow. We will also honor all graduates this Sunday.

June 22: We will be all be worshipping together in one service at 10:00 am with a reception for Pastor Beth to follow.

Our VBS week (June 9-13) is coming and volunteers are needed, we do provide childcare for volunteers with young children. Sign up in the Narthex or call the church office.

SAVE THE
DATE!



MORE INFORMATION:
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**VBS fun at Grace United Methodist!
June 9-13 for children going into
Kindergarten-6th grade for
2025-2026 school year!**

**Registration Opens April 1!
Limited spaces!**

***Younger children of volunteers can attend
Mini VBS with Ms. Letty!**

Don't miss an opportunity to help send a child to camp. Donate today!

Upcoming Events:

June 3 & 5: 6:30 pm VBS Training

June 8: 10:00 am One Worship Service

June 22: 10:00 am One Worship Service

June 22: 11:00 am Pastor Beth's Reception

CALENDAR

Church Office & Library: Open Tues. & Thurs. 9-3

Preschool: Summer Break

Sunday, May 25

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 Special Gathering # 112, 200, 209, Chapel, Workroom, FH

Youth: #219; Young Adults: #213; New Horizons: #214;

11:00 am Special Gathering, FH

11:00 am Children's Church: K-6: #221

Monday, May 26

Memorial Day-Office Closed

Tuesday, May 27

10:00 am Women of Faith Bible Study, #212

12:00 pm Quilting/Crafts, #207

6:00 pm B.S. FH

Wednesday, May 28-Office Closed Spring Cleaning

6:00 pm Youth, #219 & FH

7:00 pm Choir Practice, Music Room

Thursday, May 29

9:00 am – 12:00 pm Food Pantry, FH

10:00 am – 12:00 pm Clothing Closet

6:30 pm Praise Team, Sanctuary

7:30 pm OA Meeting, 112

Friday, May 30

6:00 am Men's Prayer/Bible Study–Merritt Assembly of God. For info call 321-452-6019

Saturday, May 31

Attendance: 9:00 am: 110

11:00 am: 45

Online: 9:00 am: 72

11:00 am: 23

Children **Youth:**
10:00 am: 5

Nursery:
11:00 am: 0

THE UPPER ROOM
DAILY DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

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



Connect Card QR Code

The bulletin is available at: gumcmi.com under
"Worship Online"

Items for the bulletin are due by Tuesdays at 11 am
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