

Building bridges between Christ and our community

June 1, 2025
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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 June Mission Emphasis: Grace Preschool Scholarship Fund

Grace Preschool Scholarship Fund. Our Preschool has a great reputation in our community because of our staff and the support of the congregation. Each year we are able to help several families through your generosity; some children could not attend without your support. At our Preschool, children thrive. We provide extraordinary opportunities for children to play, learn, and grow, which enable each child to grow and develop in a social setting. We encourage children to be active, confident and engaged learners as they explore their environment and develop relationships with adults and other children. Thank you for your past and future support of this fund.

Please mark your donations “Grace Preschool Scholarship Fund” or June 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
June 1, 2025
9:00 am

Notes

Prelude	Gospel Hymn Medley
Welcome	Pastor Beth
*Opening Hymn, 327	“Crown Him With Many Crowns”
Song	Holy Forever
Apostles’ Creed, #881	Sharon Thornton
Pastoral Prayer	Gretchen McGaffic
Special Music	“How Great Thou Art”
Doxology	~ Passing of Offering Baskets ~
Scripture: Acts 1: 1-11	Sharon Thornton
Message:	“As They Were Watching” Pastor Beth
Communion	Pastor Beth ~ Gluten free wafers available ~
The Lords Prayer	Pastor Beth
*Closing Hymn	“Living Hope”
Benediction	Pastor Beth
Postlude	

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



Flowers are to the glory and honor of God in anticipation of Kellie Parkers arrival and Susan Belyea Hagan's Birthday.

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

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.
Planning a trip?

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 worshipping together in one service at 10:00 am with a reception for Pastor Beth to follow. There is a small gift box in the Narthex for cards, letters, and gifts.

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.

Family Promise Families Coming June 15-22.

Because it is summer, we have a lot of openings to fill.

Great opportunities for service hours for kids! We could really use your help.

We need help with Meals, Evening Hosts, Overnight Hosts, Set up, Take Down and Laundry (afterwards). We will not host again until October, so, a good break after.

Call Debbie Zipperly, 321-446-5798 or email deborahzipperly@gmail.com. Thank you!

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

Thank you to everyone that helped provide snacks for Mila staff! They had a nice variety of snacks for their last week of school.

Upcoming Events:

June 3 & 5: 6:30 pm VBS Training

June 8: 10:00 am One Worship Service

June 8: 11:00 am Church Picnic

June 22: 10:00 am One Worship Service

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

CALENDAR

Church Office & Library: Open Mon.—Thurs. 9-3

Preschool: Summer Break

Sunday, June 1

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; Aldersgate: #212

11:00 am Special Gathering, FH

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

Monday, June 2

12:00 pm Grief, #112

2:00 pm Salt, #112

Tuesday, June 3

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

12:00 pm Quilting/Crafts, #207

4:00 G.S. #304

4:30 Missions Mtg. #112

6:30 pm VBS Training #221

Wednesday, June 4

6:00 pm Youth, #219 & FH

Thursday, June 5

9:00 am – 12:00 pm Food Pantry, FH

10:00 am – 12:00 pm Clothing Closet

6:30 pm Praise Team, Sanctuary

6:30 pm VBS Training #221

7:30 pm OA Meeting, 112

Friday, June 6

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

Saturday, June 7

Attendance:	<u>9:00 am:</u> 111	<u>11:00 am:</u> 47
Online:	<u>9:00 am:</u> 55	<u>11:00 am:</u> 24
	Youth: 0	Nursery: 0
Children	<u>10:00 am:</u> 8	<u>11:00 am:</u> 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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