

May 14, 2023



PARABLES

JESUS THE STORYTELLER



MAULDIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Welcome to Worship

SPECIAL MUSIC (11am)

Kidz POP Jr Choir

WELCOME

Dr. Webb Belangia

OPENING PRAYER

PASSING OF THE PEACE

SONG OF WORSHIP

“My Lighthouse”

SONG OF WORSHIP

“Come As You Are”

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rett Crocker

OFFERTORY SONG

“How He Loves”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Jon Brooks

SONG OF PRAYER

“How Deep The Father’s Love For Us”

SERMON: Matthew 5:13-16

Rev Dick Herd

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (11am)

George, Cara, Ryan and Joseph Sutherland

SENDING FORTH

“Jesus Friend Of Sinners”

BENEDICTION



Welcome to Worship

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Rev. Dick Herd

HYMN (No. 371)

“I Stand Amazed in the Presence”

CHORAL SPECIAL

“Grace Alone”

SERMON-Matthew 5:13-16

Rev. Dick Herd

HYMN (No. 365)

“Grace Greater Than Our Sin”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (No. 881)

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Dr. Webb Belangia

OFFERTORY SPECIAL

“How Great Thou Art”
Soloist-James Douglas

DOXOLOGY

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM (8:45am)

Arthur Lee Gainey, son of Brad and Caroline Gainey

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Dr. Webb Belangia

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Maddy Jackson

SPECIAL MUSIC (8:45)

Kidz POP Jr. Choir

HYMN (No. 378)

“Amazing Grace”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Next Steps in Disaffiliation

1. Our Church Council is recommending that Mauldin UMC become a member congregation of the Global Methodist Church. **On May 21, 2023 we will take a congregational vote (church members who are present) to determine if we will become a part of the Global Methodist Church. The vote will take place in the gym from 9:45am-12:30pm.**
2. Annual Conference will be held in Florence SC, June 4-7, and we will await the vote for honoring our request to disaffiliate. Upon approval the disaffiliation will be effective June 30, 2023, and we will become Mauldin Methodist Church.

Steps for Members of Mauldin UMC

For those who wish to remain a member at Mauldin Methodist Church

Transfer forms (white) must be submitted before June 30. Each member must complete a form. Forms are not necessary for children as they will transfer with their parent/guardian. Forms are available in the Son Room and Spirit Center. Forms will also be emailed/mailed out for anyone to email/mail back to the church office.

For those who wish to remain a member of the UMC (This means you will not be a member of the new Mauldin Methodist Church)

A transfer form (blue) must be completed to transfer your membership from Mauldin UMC to the SC UMC Conference. Forms will be available in the Son Room and Spirit Center as well as emailed/mailed for anyone to return to the church office via email/mail. The SC UMC Conference will assist you in locating a new church home. They have created a transfer portal- umcsc.org/engage-which is designed to help any member of a local church locate a United Methodist congregation to move their membership. Local church members may also contact the district office for help finding a nearby United Methodist Church that they might move their membership to. Greenville district number is 864-233-3611 and the email address

Ladies Summer Book Study

Ladies, join us for a summer book study! *Don't Miss Out*, by Jeannie Cunnion, is a life-changing invitation to experience the work of the Holy Spirit in you! Jeannie will show us how the Holy Spirit, our promised Helper, empowers us to live and love more like Jesus. This book reminds us to tap into the incredible power of the third person of the Trinity—who enables us to walk into the fullness of our calling.

Kick off will be at Tropical Grill in Mauldin on May 24 at 6:30pm. We'll have fellowship and dinner in the upstairs area. Order your copy of *Don't Miss Out* at your convenience through Amazon, etc. We plan to meet June 28, July 26, and August 16 to discuss specific chapters. We would love for you to join us! Facilitators are Paula Ozmint and Susan Hood.

Safe Sanctuary Training-May 21 at 4pm

Kids Chapel

This is a mandatory training for anyone volunteering with VBS or any of our children/youth programs.

MUMK Preschool and Kindergarten

K5 Kindergarten will have their graduation celebration on Friday, May 19th at 9am in the Sanctuary. Our graduates are: Ali Carson, Camden Finnie, Levi Holmes, Claire Malin, Penny Wade, and Lucas White.

We also want to recognize Suzy Clary for 25 years of service to MUMK! Suzy is integral part of our team and has enlightened so many students this year as MUMK's science teacher. Thank you so much Suzy!

Church Signage

During the month of May we will have poster boards on various walls throughout the campus for you to suggest directional information that will help navigating around the church easier. you for your input.

OUTREACH COMMITTEE FOR MAY 2023

BACK PACK AND BLESSING BOX ITEMS NEEDED

For the month of May, the Outreach Committee will use the bins in the Son Room and Spirit Center to collect items for both our Back Pack Ministry and for the Blessing Boxes.

The Back Pack Ministry group meets every Tuesday at 1:30pm to pack food items to go home with students at Mauldin Elementary school so that they will have food for the weekend.

The Blessing Boxes are outside the Fellowship Hall and are to bless the homeless and needy in our neighborhood. There are two Blessing Boxes – one for food and one for hygiene products.

Here are suggestions for items needed:

Easy Mac (boxed, single serve envelopes)
Applesauce squeeze or cups
Beanee Weenees (pop top)
Beef jerky sticks
Cereal bars or Breakfast bars
Graham crackers/Goldfish
Granola bars
Chicken noodle soup/tomato soup (pop top)
Crackers
Fruit cups (unrefrigerated)
Raisins

Oatmeal (boxed, single serve envelopes)
Ramen noodles (single serve plastic packs or cups)
Gummy snacks (single serve)
Ravioli or spaghetti (pop tops)
Single-serving cereals
Vienna Sausage (pop top)
Pudding Cups (unrefrigerated)
Peanut butter (plastic container)
Grits (boxed, single serve envelopes)
Spam (single serve envelopes)
Peanut butter or cheese crackers

Small shampoo
Toothbrush/paste
Individual wipes

Feminine products
Deodorant

NO candy
NO cookies
Nothing in glass containers

For Your Prayers

New Concerns

David Smith had surgery on Thursday

Tammy Watkins Daniels (friend of Joy Reece) is under home Hospice care

Long Term Concerns

Angie Smith

Art Brown

Jason Moorman (friend to Brandon Malone)

Tara Healy (friend to Pat and Toni Pryor)

Marianne Rathburn (friend to Pat & Toni Pryor)

Wayne Cooper (Fred Cooper's son and Trish Lemons brother)

Jackie Hall (Brenda Frady's mother)

Dorothy Hopkins

Dianne Harris

Miriam Grastie (friend to Jerry & Jan Campbell)

Eloise Alexander

Jerri (friend to Janet Brannon)

Dot Clos (friend to Pat and Toni Pryor)

Gil and DeEtte (Lisa De Norris parents)

Jesse (Dilsa Johnson's nephew)

David Linder (Deborah Constance's brother)

Vernon Trammell

Caroline Belangia

Tarah Hodges (David and Judy Hodges daughter in law)

Faye Stroman

Fredna Scott

Elgardo Pressley

Alan Boyer

Bill Flynt (Katie Flynt's father)

Susie Peters father

Randy Herd (Dick Herd's brother)

Dorothy Wolfe (Richard Chinchar's mother)

Kevin Bradley (friend to Carol Campbell Richards)

John Hampton (Jim Hampton's brother)

Levi Holmes

Raymond Schneider (Jahanna Reck's father)

Melvin Truett (Dot Burnett's brother-in-law)

Lawton Davis (cousin to Elizabeth Rogers)

Roger and Elaine Helms (Deb Helm's brother and sister-in-law)

Steven Benson (Gloria Benson's son)
Terri Porter (Brad Porter's sister)
Frank Alexander (Earl and Joan Alexander's son)

This week's Senior Adult focus

David & Gloria Worthington
Dick & Sue Wright
Claudine Alexander
Barbara Angle

Missionaries

Jeff and Candy Campbell
Steve Hendrix
Family in the middle east

Local, National and Global

Our Nation and our Leaders
The citizens of Ukraine

Email any prayer concerns to pray@mauldinmethodist.com

Sunday-May 14

8:45am-Worship

10am-Sunday School

11am-Worship

5pm-Who Do You Say I Am

Monday-May 15

6pm-GC (Malone)

7pm-Youth Small Group (Green)

7pm-Scouts

Tuesday-May 16

1:30pm-Backpack Ministry

6pm-GC (Cornwell)

7pm-The Table

Wednesday-May 17

9:30am-Friendly Yarns

6:30pm-Pickle Ball

6:30pm-Youth

7:30pm-Choir Practice

Thursday-May 18

9am-Senior Adult Trip Hill

6:30pm-GC (Cooper)

7pm-GC (Meyer)

Friday-May 19

9am-MUMK Graduation

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