

# August 20, 2023



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# Welcome to Worship

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Rev. Dick Herd

HYMN (No. 530)

“Are Ye Able”

CHORAL SPECIAL

“Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer”

SERMON-Matthew 28:18-20

Rev. Dick Herd

“I Am a Disciple”

HYMN (No. 407)

“Close to Thee”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (No. 881)

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Michael Norris

OFFERTORY SPECIAL

“Merciful to Me”

Mike Keels, James Douglas & Michael Norris

DOXOLOGY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Jon Brooks

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Jon Brooks

HYMN (No. 397)

“I Need Thee Every Hour”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*The Sanctuary flowers are placed today by Brad and Caroline Gainey in celebration of their fourth wedding anniversary.*



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WELCOME Rett Crocker

PRAYER Rett Crocker

PASSING OF THE PEACE

SONG OF WORSHIP “I Thank God”

SONG OF WORSHIP “How He Loves”

CHILDREN’S SERMON Jessica Crocker

OFFERTORY PRAYER Rett Crocker

OFFERTORY SONG “Jesus, Friend of Sinners”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Jon Brooks

SONG OF PRAYER “Just As I Am/I Surrender All”

SERMON-Matthew 28:18-20 Rev. Dick Herd  
“I Am a Disciple”

SENDING FORTH “Here I Am Lord”

BENEDICTION

## **For Your Prayers**

Loretta Pressley and family  
Eloise Alexander is in the hospital  
Faye Stroman recovering from surgery  
Debbie Rohrman recovering from surgery  
Jan Parker (Friend to Kathy Oakley)  
Larry Fousek  
Vernon Trammell  
Iris-dealing with a cancer diagnosis  
Beth Allen (Cindy Chinchar's daughter)  
Chis Etheredge  
Gwen Rice  
John Yost (Friend to Pat and Toni Pryor)  
Roger Helms (Deb Helms' brother)  
Kory Scott (Fredna Scott's grandson)  
Lila Childs  
DeEtte Morgan (Lisa De Norris' mother)  
Tarah Hodges (David and Judy Hodges daughter in law)  
Fredna Scott  
Bill Flynt (Katie Flynt's father)  
Randy Herd (Dick Herd's brother)  
Levi Holmes  
Raymond & Danielle Schneider (Jahnna Reck's parents)  
Melvin Truett (Dot Burnett's brother-in-law)  
Terri Porter (Brad Porter's sister)  
Steven Benson (Glory Benson's son)  
Mark Alexander (Earl & Joan Alexander's son)  
Frank Alexander (Earl & Joan Alexander's son)

### **This week's Senior Adult focus**

Rosa Jane Brown

Kate Echaniz

Doris Dalton

Ron & Dot Franklin

### **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

The citizens of Maui-A donation for disaster relief can be made at [globalmethodist.org/give-online/](http://globalmethodist.org/give-online/). At the "Gift Purpose" box be sure to click the arrow on the right and select "Disaster Relief"-Thank You!

SPRC is currently seeking a Director for the 2023/2024 basketball season. This is a paid seasonal part-time position to include pre-season meetings, registration, in-season and post-season play (September-February with a total salary of \$6,000).

### Qualifications

1. A general understanding of basketball
2. Ability to schedule practice time for teams
3. Strong leadership and management skills
4. Safe Sanctuary , CPA, AED, and First Aid certified
5. Have an understanding of expected behavior from coaches and players and the ability to manage a crowd

### Duties

1. Collect registration forms and verify that all monies have been collected
2. Recruit coaches, organize teams, recruit score and clock keepers for games
3. Ensure all coaches have completed Safe Sanctuary training
4. Attend all games hosted at MMC
5. Create a welcoming and Christian atmosphere and maintain crowd control in a Christian-like approach
6. Schedule practice and game times as well as any cancellations or schedule changes with Administrative Assistant to ensure the gym doors are properly unlocked and locked.
7. Perform routine drop-ins at practices
8. Routine inspection of facility for safety and repairs
9. Report to Pastor any behavior, activities, or concerns for the basketball program and events.
10. Work as a first layer in dealing with coaches, players, parents, and spectators

Please send a letter of interest and or resume to [admin@mauldinmethodist.com](mailto:admin@mauldinmethodist.com)

## **Calling All Volunteers for Children's Ministry**

There will be an important interest/planning meeting **TODAY** at 10am and noon (following the worship services). Please meet Jessica in the Kids Chapel and see how you can get connected with our Children's ministries.

## **Gospel Community**

Come and see what Gospel Community (GC) is all about! This is for all those in a GC or interested in joining a GC. It's an opportunity to share a meal together, meet the GC leaders, and participate in a group discussion that is meant to give you a small taste of what it's like to be a part of a Gospel Community. Join us August 27th in the LOFT immediately following the 11am worship. This is a free event, but you must sign-up by August 20th, to secure your spot. Childcare is available if needed.

## **August Mission Box-United Ministries**

Items Needed: Towels, bathroom and kitchen trash cans, bath mats, baking sheets, paper towels, bleach, multipurpose spray, toilet paper, kitchen utensils, laundry detergent, men's and women's underwear (new, all sizes), petroleum jelly/Vaseline (preferably large tubs), spray deodorant, personal wipes (not Clorox), bottles of water.

## **Upcoming Senior Adult Events**

**August 28th-Cookout at Heritage Park, Simpsonville**-Plan to meet at the Magnolia Shelter from 11am-2pm for delicious food and great fellowship. This event is free but we ask that you register in your Sunday School class, through Realm, or by calling Michael (864-288-4728 ext. 125).

**September 25-BMW Tour & Downtown Greer, 9am-3pm**-This will be a one hour BMW tour followed by lunch and ice cream. Cost is \$15.75 per person (covers BMW tour) and spaces are limited. Again, please register in your Sunday School class, through Realm, or by calling Michael.

## **Kidz POP Christmas Musical 2023**

Rehearsal for Kidz POP Christmas musical, “All About That Baby”, will begin **TODAY**, 6:30-7:30pm. The musical is open to all children ages 1st-7th grade. Parents plan to drop-off and pick-up at the Son Room entrance. Rehearsals will continue weekly until the performances on December 2nd and 3rd.

## **Ministry Opportunity**

Mauldin Elementary has reached out and is in need of mentors for the 2023/2024 school year. There will be an in person training on Thursday, August 31 at 8:30am in the school’s cafeteria. You can sign up and apply at [mentorupstate.org/become-a-mentor](https://mentorupstate.org/become-a-mentor). Please contact Judy Coble, School Counselor, if you have any questions. ([jcoble@greenville.k12.sc.us](mailto:jcoble@greenville.k12.sc.us) or 864-355-3777).

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### Sunday-August 20

8:45am-Worship

10am-Sunday School

11am-Worship

5pm-Handbells

6:30pm-Kidz POP

### Monday-August 21

6pm-GC (Malone)

6:30pm-Growing Through Grace

### Tuesday-August 22

6pm-GC (Cornwell)

### Wednesday-August 23

7:30pm-Chancel Choir Practice

### Thursday-August 24

6pm-Mauldin Mosaic

6:30pm-GC (Cooper)

7pm-Cub Scouts

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Associate Pastor

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