

Duncan Memorial Methodist Church

Ascension Of The Lord Sunday



May 17, 2026
YOUTH SUNDAY

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+Congregation standing, if able. Congregation responses in **BOLD**.

GATHERING

Quiet conversation among congregants is encouraged.

PRELUDE

“Tis so Sweet to Trust In Jesus”

arr. D. Lasky

Please observe a moment of prayerful silence as we enter our worship time.

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Anne Rhem Kelley

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Mae Morris

Leader: We gather today in a season of change and new beginnings.

People: God is with us in every step we take.

Leader: When we feel uncertain about what lies ahead

People: We trust in the Lord with all our hearts.

Leader: When the path is unclear and the future unknown

People: God directs our steps and makes our paths straight.

Leader: The same God who has been faithful in the past

People: Is faithful to lead us into what is next.

Leader: God is not finished with us yet

People: The work He began, He will complete!

Leader: So, we come with open hearts and willing spirits

People: Ready to trust God from here to there.

All: Let us worship the Lord!

+OPENING HYMN

“Shout To The Lord”

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+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles’ Creed
Hymnal Pg. 881

Mills Felts

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day, he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.*

*I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.*

+GLORIA PATRI	“Glory Be To The Father”	Hymnal Pg. 70
<i>Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.</i>		
RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES		
CHILDREN’S MOMENT	Mary Boyd McCarley, Marlie Googer, Sarah Livingston	
PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER		Hanna Harwell
OLD TESTAMENT READING	Proverbs 3:5-6	Jase Ward
THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY	“King of Kings”	
+DOXOLOGY	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	Hymnal Pg. 95
<i>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, Ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.</i>		
ANTHEM	“Trust In God”	
NEW TESTAMENT READING	Philippians 1:6	Emma Branham
SERMON	“From Here to There: Trusting God in the Transition”	KassiJo Lloyd
WORDS FROM OUR YOUTH		
+CLOSING HYMN	Because He Lives	Hymnal Pg. 364
+DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING	Numbers 6:24-26	Fun Nut Family
POSTLUDE	“God Will Take Care of You”	arr. W.S. Martin

The altar flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory and honor of God, and in honor of Duncan’s Youth and Youth Leaders by Linda and Martin Harper.

Weekly Calendar

May 17

10:00am Sunday School

11:00am Worship

May 18

9:00am Counter – Charlotte Moulton

May 20

5:00pm LOL & The Bridge

6:30pm Choir Practice

May 21

10am Women's Bible Study

We are glad you are here!

Welcome to Duncan Memorial Methodist Church. May this time of worship renew your spirit, draw you closer to God, and remind you that you are deeply loved and never alone.

Church Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 9:00am – 4:30pm

Friday 9:00am – 12:00pm

CHURCH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Shine Bright, Georgetown! Vacation Bible School is Sunday, June 14 – Wednesday, June 17, 2026!

Altar Guild – We are in need of some volunteers to help with Altar Guild – volunteers will assist in caring for the paraments, making sure the pews are tidy, refilling candles, and polishing the brass and silver. Training will be provided. If you are interested, please see Katie Damon or Margaret Ulrichsen.

Older Adult Sunday Service & Luncheon on June 28, 2026. We will be honoring our older adults during this service, particularly our 80+ age members. We would love to have everyone participate in recognizing and thanking these faithful servants during the service and afterwards for lunch.

SUMMER HOURS

Starting Sunday, May 24, 2026 worship will begin at 10:30am.

Sunday School will be paused during the summer and will return September 13, 2026.

Choir will continue to meet on Sunday mornings at 9:30am.

Our Faithfulness

May 10, 2026 Collection:	\$10,022.00
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May 10, 2026 Attendance:	125
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Budget Required To Date:	\$196,082.00
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Receipts To Date:	\$161,446.00
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High School

Maddux O'Neal Brown

Graduating from Georgetown High School
Attending Presbyterian College
Majoring in Pharmacy

Nixon Graham Carter

Graduating from Waccamaw High School
Attending The Citadel
Majoring in Biology

Doris Ella Cissa

Graduating from Georgetown High School
Attending University of South Carolina
Majoring in Early Childhood Education

Satcher McLaney Felts

Graduating from Georgetown High School
Attending Wofford College
Majoring in Biology (Pre-Med)

Gerald Edward "Trace" Harmon III

Graduating from Waccamaw High School
Attending University of South Carolina
Majoring in Computer Engineering

Anna Kate Livingston

Graduating from Waccamaw High School
Attending Clemson University
Majoring in Elementary Education

Harper Elizabeth Moore

Graduating from Georgetown High School
Attending Wofford College
Majoring in Biology (Pre-Med)

Noa Kate Morris

Graduating from Georgetown High School
Attending University of Georgia
Majoring in Business

Emily Adell Nettles

Graduating from Waccamaw High School
Attending University of South Carolina
Majoring in Nursing

Virginia Greer Smith

Graduating from Waccamaw High School
Attending Francis Marion University
Majoring in Forestry

College

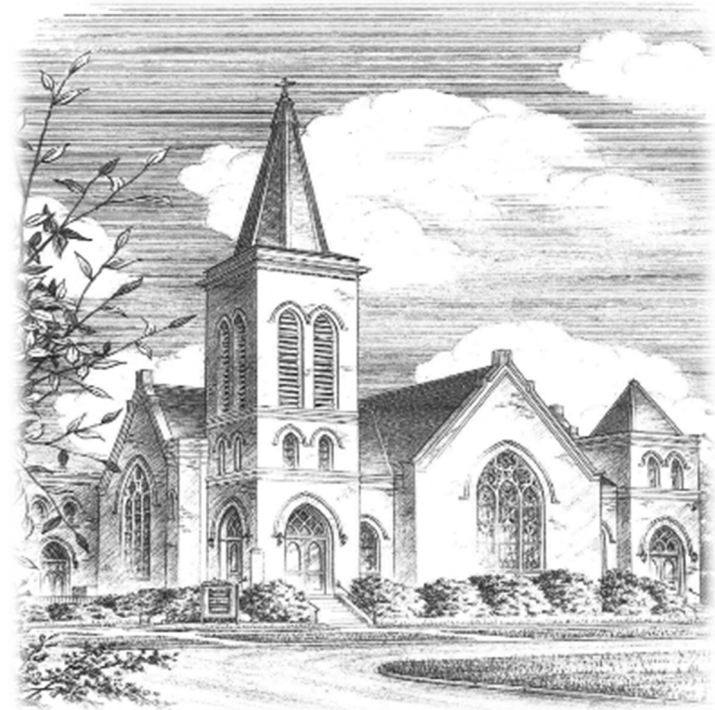
Margaret Grace Richardson

Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Science
University of South Carolina

Elizabeth Caroline Toemmes

Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science
University of South Carolina

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May the Lord bless you and keep you;
may the Lord make
his face to shine upon you
and be gracious unto you;
may the Lord lift up his
countenance upon you
and give you peace.
Numbers 6:24-26

2026 Recognition of Graduates

May 17, 2026