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### Welcome to Saint James United Methodist Church

If you are a first-time worshiper with us, you honor us with your presence. Please be sure to complete the Visitors Card and drop it in the offertory plate. We invite you to come and share in worship with us anytime that you are able.



# Saint James United Methodist Church

**March 31, 2024**



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*St. James United Methodist Church is a community of faith which exists to make and nurture disciples of Christ by connecting, growing and serving its members and, the greater Laurens community.*

Sunday School 10:00 AM  
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 AM



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Easter Sunday



Prelude	Wesley Osborne
Call to Worship	No. 320
Choral Response	
Announcements	Pastor Clyde Scott
*Hymn: "Up From the Grave He Arose"	No. 322
*Affirmation of Faith	No. 881
*Gloria Patri	No. 70
Childrens Moment	
Call to Prayer	
Offertory	
Doxology	No. 95
Prayer of Dedication	
Anthem	Choir
Scripture: OT: Genesis 3: 1-7; NT: John 19: 38; 20: 1-3, 11-18	
Sermon: "A Tale of Two Gardens"	Pastor Clyde Scott
*Hymn: "In the Garden"	No. 314
Benediction	
Postlude	Organ: Wesley Osborne

\* Please stand as you are able

Ken Allman	Angel Hughes
Sylvia Brannon—Covid	David Hardy Sr. Family
Breanna	Denise Kim
Rodney and Lisa Brewer	Mike Lyda—Covid
Logan, Karen and Cal Brewer	Family of Tim McMillian
Mike Bridges	Macintyre Family
Dennie Chastine	Eli Morris
Ann Childress	Travis Nybeck
Thomas Childress	Alex Pennington
Ed Coleman	Diane Pike—Cancer
Paula Culbertson	Jenn Salway
Charles Davis	Olivia (Sharon Morton's grand-daughter)
Michael Frank Family	Linda Taylor
Donna Gragg	Jan Gray Thompson
James Hornsby	Marty Yagelowich

*Seasoned Saints*

Barbara Abercrombie	Pat Myers
Sylvia Brannon	Myrna Self
Carolyn Cook	Helen Stewart
Ed and Millie Darnell	Dianne Stewart
Don Davis	Bruce Sumeral
Bobbie Jean Johnson	Barbara Tuttle
Jimmy and Sharon Morton	Jimmy Woods



We are excited to announce that the St. James Seasoned Saint for March is Barbara Tuttle.

Barbara was married to James (Jim) for 43 years, before he passed away in 2016. Barbara and James had two daughters, and two grandsons.

She worked for 17 years in banking, and 13 years as a receptionist in a doctor's office. Barbara, as I quickly discovered during a recent visit, has quite a sense of humor.

Her hobbies include sewing, which she enjoyed for many years. In her words: "I personally made 90% of the clothing my daughters wore while they were growing up."

Barbara also has great taste in television. She shared with me that her all-time favorite TV show, which she still watches every day, is Blue Bloods, which I am sure many of us also enjoy watching.

Please reach out to her sometime in March by either sending a card to 104 Blakely Ave in Laurens, or via telephone at (864) 681-7499.



**The next Santa's Workshop will be Thursday, March 28, 10:00 AM—12:00 PM.**

**You *DO NOT* have to be "crafty" to help out! There are so many ways to be involved! See you Thursday!!!**



Today's flowers are given in loving memory of the first anniversary of Dan Stewart's passing by Helen and Dianne Stewart. You are loved and missed each and every day!

The first Seasoned Saints of the year was a **phenomenal** start to this year's program. **92** saints attended to hear the sounds of the Fleming Mill Blue Grass Band followed by a fabulous luncheon prepared by the hands of our own saints! **THANK YOU** to all who attended and **THANK YOU TO ALL** the volunteers out front and behind the scenes! The decorations were perfect and the menu certainly a compliment to the theme. It takes a village to manage these events and St. James truly has the **BEST** village to make it happen! Take a "short" breather and get ready for the next one, Thursday, May 16! Ideas for theme and menu are welcomed!!!

Vacation Bible School will be July 18-20 from 6:00 to 7:30. The theme is Outback Rock, more details to follow. If you would like to volunteer please contact Ilona Scott.

**Crisis Center needs for April:** Cooking oil, shortening, toilet paper

**Please remember our friends at the Memorial Home who depend on us for their snacks. Please donate as you are able.**



Every Sunday	10:00 AM	Sunday School
Every Sunday	11:00 AM	Worship Service
March 31	7:00 AM	Easter Sunrise Service followed by breakfast.
		<b>NO SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>
	11:00 AM	Easter Service
April 6	8:00 AM	Men's Breakfast
	9:00 AM	Community Garden Work Day
July 18-20	6:00-7:30 PM	VBS—Outback Rock
TBD		Couples Marriage Seminar
TBD		Seasoned Saints overnight trip to Noah's Ark



**April Birthdays**

- 1 Bob Dominick
- 2 Lisa Sumerel
- 9 Charlotte Dominick
- 16 Sylvia Brannon
- Steve Wakeland
- 19 Millie Darnell



**April Greeters**

- 7 Doug Mayer
- 14 Lou Ann Wakeland
- 21 Shelia Childress
- 28 Vernon Self



**April Anniversaries:**

- 7 Pastor Clyde and Ilona Scott
- 10 Pastor Bob and Becky Allen



**Flowers for April**

- 7 Janet Kennedy
- 14 Mary Ellen Champaign
- 21 Congregation
- 28 Congregation

**SPECIAL NOTE ON FLOWERS:** If you are wanting to provide flowers on Sundays, please **SIGN UP** on the flower chart in the back of the church. I do not mind anyone telling me they want to provide flowers but, I cannot rely on my memory and overbookings can occur. **THANK YOU!!!!!!**