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ed message will be announced!**

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Welcome to Saint James 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 Methodist Church

August 2, 2026



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*St. James 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 9:30 AM

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 AM



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Prelude	Wesley Osborne
Call to Worship: Psalm 17	No. 749
Choral Response	
Announcements	
Hymn: Love Divine, All Loves Excelling	No. 384
*Affirmation of Faith	No. 881
*Gloria Patri	No. 70
Call to Prayer	
Offertory	
Doxology	No. 95
Anthem	Choir
Scripture: Genesis 32:22-31	
Sermon: And the Winner Is....	
Sacrament of Holy Communion	
*Hymn: O How I Love Jesus	No. 170
Benediction	
Postlude	Organ: Wesley Osborne
* Please stand as you are able	

Prayer List

Andy Breitenbach	Danny McIntyre
Donna Chastain	Tony Morgan
Anna Faye Childers	Krista Newman
Connor Chittum	Steve O'Hern
Carolyn Cook	Rita Orear
Crupler Family	Angie Perkins
Kathy Davis	Lois Revis
Randy Davis	Tom Robertson
Nancy Dill	Mike Schatzberg
Tommy Estes	Gigi Smith
Scotty Foster	Dianne Stewart
Misty Gaines	Chris Taylor
Jennifer Heikert	Bill Tumblin
Maria Kennedy	Mike Turner
Karen Kitchen	Betty Wood
Marcy McCall	Larry Woodward

Our Country

*When there is a date in parentheses at the end of a name, it indicates the date the name will be removed from the prayer list.



Seasoned Saints

We are excited to announce that the St. James Seasoned Saint for August is Becky Allen, who will be celebrating her 86th birthday on Tuesday August 5th. She and Bob were married 12 years, and interesting fact is that they met while he was serving as Sr. Pastor at Sardis United Methodist Church. Becky was born and raised in Union, SC, and her hobbies include shopping, shopping, and more shopping. She also loves her two dogs Molly, and Precious, and watching her favorite game shows, Let's Make a Deal, and The Price is Right.

Please reach out to her sometime in August by either visiting or sending a card to 665 Lover's Lane, Union, SC 39379, or calling her at (864) 323-7336

Becky Allen	Dianne Stewart
Barbara Abercrombie	Bruce Sumerel
Sylvia Brannon	Margaret Sumerel
Carolyn Cook	Jimmy Woods
Millie Darnell	Judy Word
Pat Myers	



Church News

This Sunday's flowers are placed in the sanctuary by the Congregation.

Crisis Center needs for August Cartons of 2% milk.

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

Ford Elementary Special Needs Class needs: Diapers, Baby Wipes, Clorox Wipes, Glue Sticks, Paper Plates, Plastic Pocket folder, JUMBO Crayons, Applesauce, Oreos, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Cheese Balls, Drink Boxes. A total of \$870.00 was collected for the refrigerator and it was purchased for the classroom.

We will be packing and labeling showboxes each Wednesday from 10-11:30 AM in the FLC. As always, continue to pray that God will touch the lives of those receiving the boxes. Thank you for all your support of this mission. Questions, please feel free to call or text Glenda Taylor (864-872-1924).

Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule if you can assist with the food for the September 17 Seasoned Saints luncheon. Also, please adhere to the menu as much as possible to avoid duplication.

The next Santa's Workshop will be Thursday, August 6, 10:00 AM—12:00 PM.



Every Sunday	9:30 AM	Sunday School
Every Sunday	10:30 AM	Church
August 5	Christmas Crafts	Shoebox Organization/FLC
August 6	10:00 AM-Noon	Christmas Crafts
August 13	10:00 AM-Noon	Christmas Crafts
August 20	10:00 AM-Noon	Christmas Crafts
August 27	10:00 AM-Noon	Christmas Crafts
August 30 Sunday	After service	5th Sunday Fellowship Meal
September 17 Thursday	11:00 AM	Seasoned Saints Luncheon

Offering Month	Amount Received
January	\$4,850.00
February	\$14,958.00
March	\$11,801.00
April	\$9,457.50
May	\$12,656.00
June	\$8,818.00
July	\$12,320.00
Year To Date	\$74,860.50

August Birthdays

5	Becky Allen
5	Paula Terhune
9	Karen Knight
10	Ilona Scott
23	Grace Chaney
23	Ryan Allen
25	Linda Dominick

August Anniversaries

16	Christ & Mary Ellen Champaign
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Flowers for August



August Greeters

2	Doug Mayer	2	Congregation
9	Janet Kennedy	9	Congregation
16	Steve Wakeland	16	Doug & Mot Mayer
23	Lou Ann Wakeland	23	Congregation
39	Vernon Self	30	Congregation

Offering Week	Amount Received
July 5	\$2,085.00
July 12	\$4,910.00
July 19	\$2,884.00
July 26	\$2,441.00
Total	\$12,320.00

NOTE FROM SHEILA: If you are paying tithes and offerings on-line, please be sure and indicate your identity so your account can be correctly credited.