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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 pres-  
ence. 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

**September 14, 2025**



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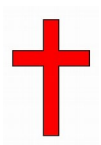
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*St. James Methodist Church is a community of faith  
which exists to make and nurture disciples of Christ by  
connecting, growing and serving its members and, the  
greater Laurens community.*

Sunday School 9:30 AM

Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 AM



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Prelude	Wesley Osborne
<b>Call to Worship: Canticle of Redemption</b>	<b>No. 516</b>
Choral Response	
Announcements	
<b>*Hymn: Amazing Grace</b>	<b>No.378 V.1,2,3,4,6</b>
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b>	<b>No. 881</b>
<b>*Gloria Patri</b>	<b>No. 70</b>
Call to Prayer	
Offertory	
<b>Doxology</b>	<b>No. 95</b>
Prayer of Dedication	
<b>Anthem</b>	<b>Choir</b>
<b>Scripture: 1 Timothy 1:12-17</b>	
<b>Sermon: Excessive Grace</b>	<b>Pastor Clyde Scott</b>
<b>*Hymn: Grace Greater Than Our Sin</b>	<b>No. 365</b>
Benediction	
Postlude	Organ: Wesley Osborne

**\* Please stand as you are able**

**Prayer List**

Debbie Bonable	Wesley Kennedy
Steve Boxible	Lillian Noel-broken back
Andy Breitenbach-Cancer	Eunice Phelps
Lisa Brewer	Diane Pike—Cancer
Jimmy Brock	Rick Richter
Kathy Carlson	Braden Risotti
Wilt Childress	Tom Robertson-Cancer
Mike Chumley	Mike Schatzberg-Cancer
Ed Coleman	Joe Smith
Carolyn Cook	Dorothy Starett
Randy Davis-Cancer	Dianne Stewart
Rick Duvall	Helen Stewart
Tommy Estes	Tammy Taylor
Alice Franks	Family of Kenneth Thompson
Toni Freeman	Larry Woodward-cancer
John Graybill	

**Seasoned Saints**

Barbara Abercrombie	Helen Stewart
Sylvia Brannon	Dianne Stewart
Carolyn Cook	Bruce Sumerel
Millie Darnell	Margaret Sumerel
Don Davis	Barbara Tuttle
Pat Myers	Jimmy Woods



We are excited to announce that the St. James Seasoned Saint for September is Barbara Abercrombie.

Barbara has been a member of St. James now for approximately 22 years. She was married 59 years to Bill Abercrombie, and has 3 children, 9 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren. Bill owned and operated WD Abercrombie Logging for 65 years, and Barbara worked at Palmetto Bank for 22 years, interestingly enough, with Marion Davis and Myrna Self.

Her hobbies include purchasing collectibles with sunflowers on it. And one of her great-grandsons recently counted well over 200 pieces of collectibles with sunflowers on them throughout her beautiful Ponderosa-like cabin.

Her address is, should you prefer to send a card, or even drop by for a visit, is 1835 Poole Town Road, Laurens, 29360.



## Church News

Flowers donated by Myrna Self in memory of Gerald Self who passed away on September 11, 2023.

**Crisis Center needs for Sept.:** Flour, cornmeal, baking mix.

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

Ford Elementary Special Needs Class needs: Applesauce, Oreos, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Cheese Balls, Drink Boxes, Baby Wipes.

Please note the next Seasoned Saints program on **September 18** will be "Hee Haw Revival" starring Randy Crain and Pastor Michael Post. Be sure and tell your family and friends so they can make plans to attend! Sign-up sheet for food for September 18 Seasoned Saints is on the table in the vestibule.

Ilona and Carolyn Cook have a craft project that needs **old keys**. If you have any you are willing to donate for the craft fair, please let Ilona know or bring them and put them in the Fellowship Hall before November.



The next Santa's Workshop will be **Thursday, September 25, 10:00 AM—12:00 PM**. We will meet every **Thursday hereafter**.



Every Sunday	9:30 AM	Sunday School
Every Sunday	10:30	Church
September 18	11:00 AM—1:00 PM	Seasoned Saints “Hee Haw Revival”
September 25	10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Christmas Crafting
October 2	10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Christmas Crafting
October 2	9:00 AM-11:30 AM	Baptist Crisis Center
October 9	10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Christmas Crafting
October 12	10:30 AM	Homecoming Sunday
October 16	10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Christmas Crafting
October 23	10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Christmas Crafting
October 30	10:00 AM-12:00 PM	Christmas Crafting
November 15	9:00 AM-2:00 PM	Christmas/Holiday Craft Bazaar
December 4	11:00 AM-1:00 PM	Seasoned Saints (tentative)
December 13	6:00 PM-8:00 PM	Live Nativity Scene
December 24	5:30 PM	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service



### September Birthdays

19 Mike Lyda



### September Anniversaries

8 Vernon and Liz Self

### September Greeters

7 Lou Ann Wakeland  
14 Janet Kennedy  
21 Steve Wakeland  
28 Mot Mayer

### Flowers for September



7 Vernon & Liz Self, Carolyn

14 Myrna Self

21 Doug & Mot Mayer

28 Congregation

**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.