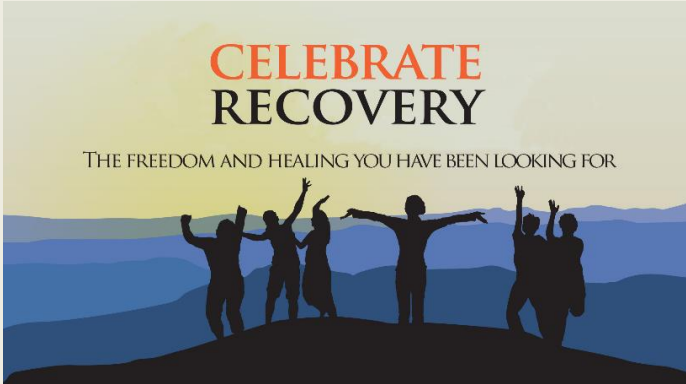


# Celebrate Freedom

## Celebrate Recovery

A 12 Step Christian Recovery Ministry

A Place where you find Healing and Recovery from  
Harmful Hurts, Habits and Hang-ups



*Matthew 11: 28 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."*

864 554 0415

<https://www.facebook.com/crgwd/>

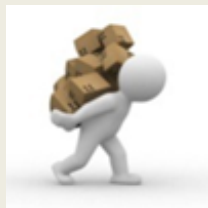
<https://www.crgwd.net/>

Main Street United Methodist Church  
211 N. Main St. Greenwood, SC 29646

Friday 6:30 pm

## **What is Celebrate Recovery?**

Celebrate Recovery is a recovery process based on the Word of Jesus Christ and uses the eight recovery principals found in the Be-Attitudes as well as the twelve steps of Alcoholics Anonymous to free members of addictive and compulsive behaviors such as drug addiction, alcoholism, sex addiction, food addiction, gambling addiction, un-forgiveness, depression, bipolar disorder or any hurt, habit or hang-up that keeps us from our relationship with God and others. We have been helping members find freedom from bondage our members find freedom from all types of addictive and compulsive behavior such as drugs, alcohol, divorce, anger, anxiety, depression, sexual issues, infidelity, co-dependency, etc.



## **How Does Celebrate Recovery Work?**

Celebrate Recovery is God's healing power in our lives through the eight recovery principles found in the Bible (The beatitudes). By working and applying these principles, we begin to grow spiritually and become willing to accept God's grace in solving our problems. Change takes place as we share our experiences, hopes and strengths with each other. We gain freedom from our addictive, compulsive and dysfunctional behaviors. This freedom creates peace, joy, serenity and most importantly, a stronger personal relationship with God and others. Free from the hurts of yesterday, the struggles of today, and the worries of tomorrow. We reconcile with ourselves, God and others.

I love Celebrate Recovery, I have personally witnessed changed people, from sad, dejected, no hope, to children of God, having experienced a spiritual awakening, finding inner peace, and freedom from hurts, habits & character defects. Minister Howard

## **Who Should Attend?**

Anyone who knows something is wrong with you and you cannot overcome it. Loneliness, emptiness, guilt, shame, anger, addiction, feeling of rejection, the list is unending.

## **What is Expected of You?**

A desire to rid yourself of the hurts of life, the bad habits and the character defects that have all made life unbearable.

Come and discover the friendship

Please do not be afraid to come, after all, everyone here is here for the same reason as you.

We invite you to come as you are. We will meet and greet you with open arms and hearts. Keep in mind we are here for the same reason as you, healing and recovery.

Our discussions and share times are confidential and are requirements of attending. There are no dues and fees and no registration requiring detailed information

## **Main Street United Methodist Church**

A safe sanctuary church. We value your safety and privacy. Celebrate Recovery has rules for conduct and behavior, which are meant to protect you and make you feel safe and secure,

### **Start together.**

Are you struggling with a hurt, hang-up or habit? Are you tired of trying to fight your battles alone? If you want to experience victory in your life and witness others doing the same, seize the opportunity to start attending a Celebrate Recovery.

### **Stay together.**

Just because you start attending a Celebrate Recovery, usually things don't get better immediately. It's a process. You're going to

have challenges along the way. The enemy will try to distract you and tempt you to give up. Do not listen to his lies. Trust the process and the people God will bring along your recovery journey in Celebrate Recovery.

### **Finish together.**

By working hard and staying the course, we find healing while becoming a part of bringing family to others. We give out the hope of Jesus Christ that we have found.

I love thinking of how people from all over the planet come together in Celebrate Recovery with different backgrounds, different skin colors, different accents all joining together to make a difference in this world.

Then when Jesus returns, we will hear, “Well done, good and faithful servant. Enter in the Kingdom of Heaven. Let’s celebrate together!”

**That’s what we do in Celebrate Recovery Forever Family: Start together. Stay together. Finish together.**

*Romans 8:28 ESV “And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose”.*



### **Prayer**

*Dear God, show me Your will in working on my shortcomings. Help me not to resist the changes that You have planned for me. I need You to “direct my steps.” Help me stay in today, not get dragged back into the past or lost in the future. I ask You to give me the power and the wisdom to make the very best I can out of today. In Christ’s name I pray, Amen.*