

THE LORD'S DAY

MAY 12, 2013
MORNING WORSHIP
8:30 AM and 11:00 AM

*The organ prelude is a call of consecration to worship the Living God.
Let us prepare our hearts in reverence and silent prayer.*

The Prelude *GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS* arr. Smith/Hustad
Ann Guest, piano; Ellen Shearer, organ

The Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Register — Visitors please give complete address and phone number.)

The Introit *A CHRISTIAN HOME* FINLANDIA
The text for the introit is hymn 719, stanza 2.

The Call To Worship Psalm 98:1-2

* **The Hymn 16** *COME, LET US SING UNTO THE LORD* DUKE STREET

* **The Prayer of Invocation and the Lord's Prayer**

* **The Gloria Patri** Hymnal, page 735

* **The Confession of Faith** The Apostles' Creed (Hymnal, inside cover)

The Commandment *"You shall not murder."* Exodus 20:13

The Confession of Sin and Supplication for Grace

Lord God, eternal and almighty Father: We acknowledge before your holy majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and in corruption, prone to do evil, unable of our own power to do good. Because of our sin, we endlessly violate your holy commandments. But, O Lord, with heartfelt sorrow we repent and turn away from all our offenses. We condemn ourselves and our evil ways, with true sorrow asking that your grace will relieve our distress. Have compassion on us, most gracious God, Father of mercies, for the sake of your son Jesus Christ our Lord. And in removing our guilt, also grant us daily increase of the grace of your Holy Spirit, and produce in us the fruits of holiness and of righteousness pleasing in your sight: Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Scriptural Assurance of Pardon Romans 5: 6, 8
While we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly... God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory Anthem *SEEK YE THE LORD* J. V. Roberts
David Diehl, tenor soloist

Seek ye the Lord while He may be found. Call ye upon Him while He is near...Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts, and return unto the Lord...and He will have mercy, and abundantly pardon...Seek ye the Lord...Amen.

* **The Doxology** *Hymnal Page 731* OLD HUNDREDTH

* **The Prayer of Dedication**

The Prayer of Intercession

♦ **The Sacrament of Baptism** Elizabeth Merriam McCarthy

♦ * **The Hymn 131** TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA
CHILDREN OF THE HEAVENLY FATHER

• * **The Hymn 302** *COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING* MADRID

♦ **The Interlude**

The Scripture Revelation 14:1-5 (Page 1097 in the Pew Bible)

The Sermon *SINGING A NEW SONG* Dr. Richard D. Phillips

* **The Hymn 547** *WITH HARPS AND WITH VIOLS* HARPS AND VIOLS

* **The Benediction**

* **The Choral/Congregation Response** *TWOFOLD AMEN* DRESDEN

The Postlude *JOYFUL, JOYFUL WE ADORE THEE* arr. Wyrzten/Hustad
Ann Guest, piano; Ellen Shearer, organ

*Congregation Standing
♦8:30 AM Worship Service Only
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**Welcome
Visitors**

We are delighted to have you join us for worship today. We are a founding congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America, the largest Bible-believing Presbyterian denomination in America. We invite you to take a Visitors Packet and a weekly newsletter located throughout the church and learn more about how you can become a part of our mission.

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EVENING WORSHIP
6:00 PM

The Prelude *THE GIFT OF LOVE* arr. Lowe

The Welcome and Announcements

The Call To Worship Psalm 113:1-4 RE Ken Safford

* **The Hymn 4** MIT FREUDEN ZART
ALL PRAISE TO GOD, WHO REIGNS ABOVE

* **The Invocation**

The Psalm 21 Page 15 in the Trinity Psalter HETHERTON

The Dedication of Tithes and Offerings

The Offertory

* **The Offertory Response** *WE GIVE THEE BUT THINE OWN* SCHUMANN
The text for the offertory response is hymn 432, stanza 1
We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be: all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

The Evening Prayer RE Emil Henning

* **The Hymn 189** *JESUS LOVES ME, THIS I KNOW* JESUS LOVES ME

The Interlude Wee Worship exits with Elizabeth Guest
(Children 4 years old - 2nd grade)

The Scripture Psalm 41 (Page 501 in the Pew Bible)

The Sermon *OUR FAITHFUL FRIEND* Rev. Robert E. Spears

* **The Hymn 308** *JESUS PAID IT ALL* ALL TO CHRIST

* **The Benediction**

The Postlude *FANFARE FOR A FESTIVAL* Mouret

*The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this Lord's Day to the glory of God
and in loving memory of **Anne Patterson**
by Jane Stillman.*

DUTIES FOR THE WEEK

Nurseries:

AM Monitor	Olivia Griffin
8:15 Treasures/Cherubs	Leigh Anna & Laura Compton
Sunbeams/Kings K.	Margaret and Audra Atwood
9:45 Treasures	Kaitlyn Bouchillon/ Olivia Griffin
Sunbeams/Cherubs	Karen and John Gray
10:45 Treasures	Christy Strickland/ Olivia Griffin
Cherubs	Sarah and Katie Upton
Sunbeams	combine
Kings Kids	Jo-Ellen and Victoria Pujdak
PM Monitor	Sharon Phillips
5:50 Birth-2 yrs	Sharon Phillips/ Jennifer Pennington
2 to 3 years	Jean Pennington

Ushers:

Main Floor: 8:30 am: Jeremy Weaver, Hunter Leigh, Ed Butler
11:00 am: Rich Moran, Joe Bianchi, Scott Farley, Alan Farley, Mike Morgan
Balcony: Dan Maycock, Andrew Guest
Evening: Rich Moran, Ron Mahon, Joseph Maralit, Tindell Russell, Jeremy Weaver
Counters: Ron Mahon, Joseph Maralit, Tindell Russell, Captain
Elders on Duty: Ken Safford, Bobby Mann, Johnny Mann
Wednesday night workers: Prep/Serve: Betty Orders Clean-up: Senior High

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, May 12

8:30 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
9:50 AM	Children's Chapel
10:00 AM	SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 AM	MORNING WORSHIP
4:45 PM	Adult Choir Rehearsal
5:30 PM	Season of Prayer in the Chapel
6:00 PM	EVENING WORSHIP
6:00 PM	Wee Worship Choir
7:15 PM	Worship & Music Committee Meeting

Monday, May 13

6:30 PM	Session Meeting
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Tuesday, May 14

10:00 AM	WIC Circles 1 & 3 meet at the church
2:30 PM	WIC Circle 5 meets at the church
6:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop 828
6:00 PM	Evangelism Explosion Training
7:00 PM	WIC Circle 2 meets at Tammy Loopers'
7:00 PM	WIC Circle 4 meets at the church

Wednesday, May 15

6:30 AM	Men's Bible Study
5:30 PM	Peru Mission Team Meeting
5:45 PM	FAMILY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP SUPPER
6:15 PM	Administration Committee Meeting
6:15 PM	Covenant Choir
6:15 PM	Youth Choir
6:45 PM	CAT Kids Spring Fling
6:45 PM	Youth Bible Study
6:45 PM	WIC Circle 6
6:45 PM	PRAYER MEETING AND BIBLE STUDY

Friday, May 17

12:00 PM	Men's Fellowship Lunch and Bible Study
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Saturday, May 18

10:00 AM	WIC Shower for Rebekah Evans
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CHURCH INFORMATION

Website: spcgreenville.org **Social Media:** facebook.com/SPCGreenville

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

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Church Services: **Sunday:** Sunday School–10:00 AM
Morning Worship – 8:30 and 11:00 AM • Evening Worship – 6:00 PM

Wednesday: Supper – 5:45 PM & Prayer Meeting and Bible Study – 6:45 PM

The Sacrament of Covenant Baptism

Vows of the parents:

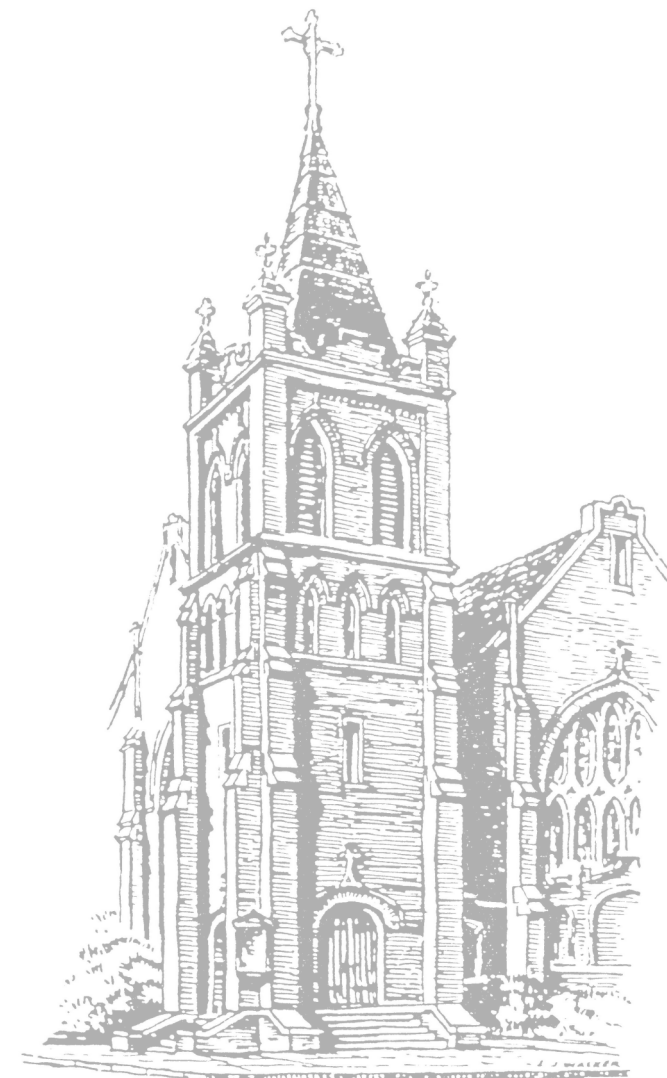
1. Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God's covenant promises in (his) behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for (his) salvation, as you do for your own?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before (him) a godly example, that you will pray with and for (him), that you will teach (him) the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring (him) up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

Vows of the congregation:

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of this child?

The Second Presbyterian Church Greenville, South Carolina

Dr. Richard D. Phillips, Senior Minister



Established in 1892 for the Glory of God

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
To all who mourn and long for comfort;
To all who struggle and desire victory;
To all who sin and need a Savior;
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to whoever will come;*

*This church opens wide her doors
and offers her welcome in the name
of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

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